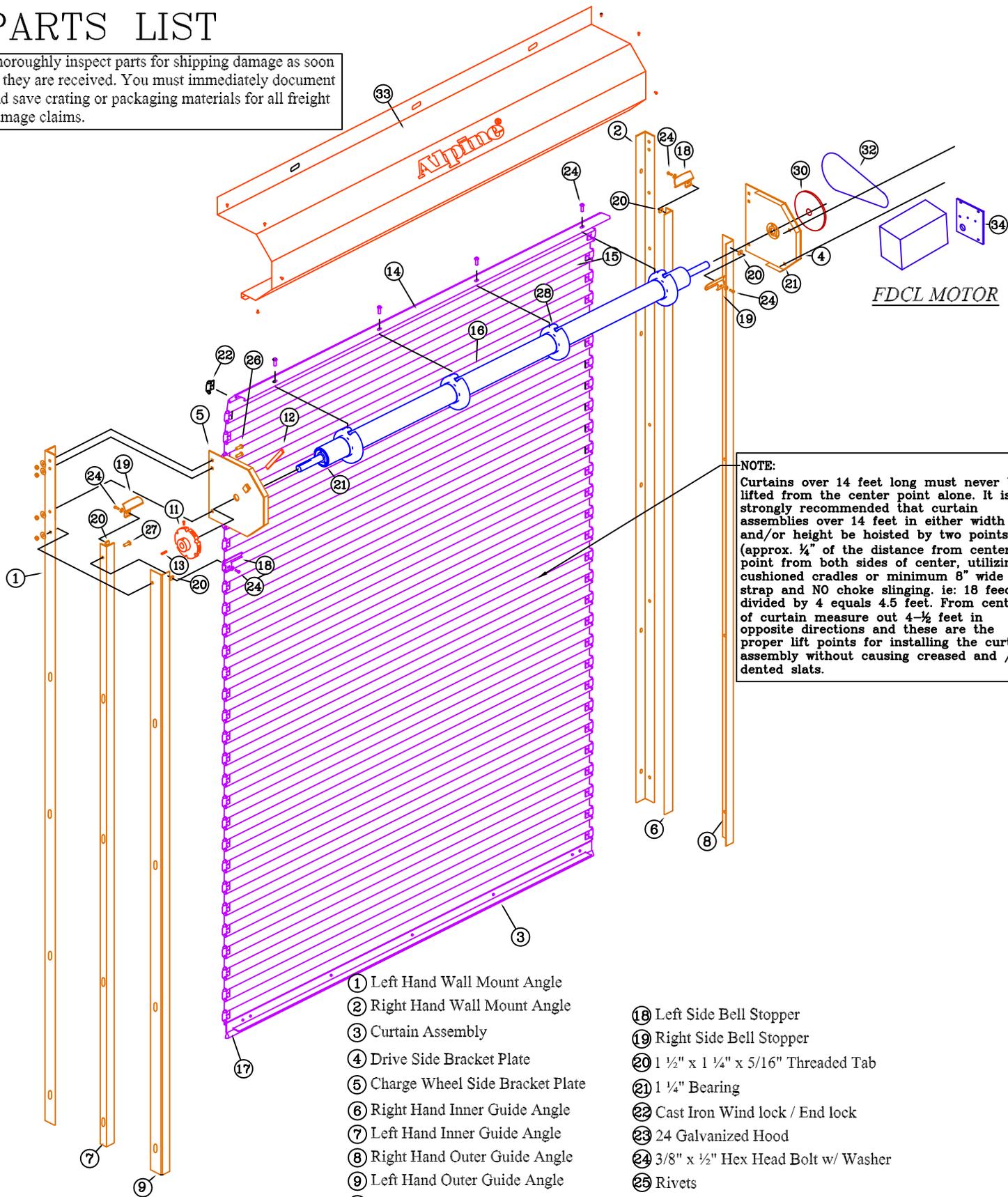




# PARTS LIST

Thoroughly inspect parts for shipping damage as soon as they are received. You must immediately document and save crating or packaging materials for all freight damage claims.



*FDCL MOTOR*

**NOTE:**  
Curtains over 14 feet long must never be lifted from the center point alone. It is strongly recommended that curtain assemblies over 14 feet in either width and/or height be hoisted by two points (approx. ¼" of the distance from center point from both sides of center, utilizing cushioned cradles or minimum 8" wide strap and NO choke slinging. ie: 18 feed divided by 4 equals 4.5 feet. From center of curtain measure out 4-½ feet in opposite directions and these are the proper lift points for installing the curtain assembly without causing creased and /or dented slats.

- |                                   |                                     |  |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| ① Left Hand Wall Mount Angle      | ⑩ Wind bar ½" x ½"                  | ⑮ Left Side Bell Stopper                           |
| ② Right Hand Wall Mount Angle     | ⑪ Charge Wheel Key way & Set screw  | ⑯ Right Side Bell Stopper                          |
| ③ Curtain Assembly                | ⑫ Charge Wheel Tension Retainer Bar | ⑰ 1 ½" x 1 ¼" x 5/16" Threaded Tab                 |
| ④ Drive Side Bracket Plate        | ⑬ Key way Stock                     | ⑱ 1 ¼" Bearing                                     |
| ⑤ Charge Wheel Side Bracket Plate | ⑭ Starter Slat                      | ⑳ Cast Iron Wind lock / End lock                   |
| ⑥ Right Hand Inner Guide Angle    | ⑮ Door Curtain                      | ㉑ 24 Galvanized Hood                               |
| ⑦ Left Hand Inner Guide Angle     | ⑯ Counterbalance Barrel             | ㉒ 3/8" x ½" Hex Head Bolt w/ Washer                |
| ⑧ Right Hand Outer Guide Angle    | ⑰ Rubber Astragal                   | ㉓ Rivets   |
| ⑨ Left Hand Outer Guide Angle     |                                     | ㉔ ½" Carriage Bolt & Nut                           |
|                                   |                                     | ㉕ 5/8" Bolt w/ Lock Washer & Nut                   |
|                                   |                                     | ㉖ Collar (for 4" Barrel only)                      |
|                                   |                                     | ㉗ #10 Screw  |
|                                   |                                     | ㉘ Drive Gear or Sprocket                           |
|                                   |                                     | ㉙ Motor Operator (Optional)                        |
|                                   |                                     | ㉚ Roller Chain (Optional for use with Motor Doors) |
|                                   |                                     | ㉛ Hood   |
|                                   |                                     | ㉜ Operator Mounting Plate                          |

# PREPARATION

## STANDARD PARTS: Hardware Package

Note: Supplied with Conventional Fire Doors only.

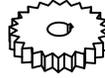
### Redi-Reset



Charge Wheel (1)



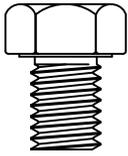
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& Bronze Washers (2)



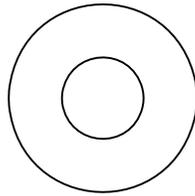
Star Gear (1)  
(for doors over 4'-0" high)



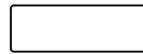
Locking Bushing



3/8" x 1/2"  
Hex Head Bolt



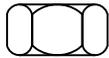
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Fiber Washer



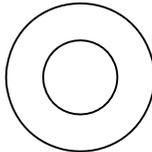
1/4"sq x 3/4" Key



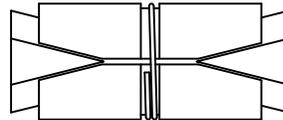
#10 x 3/8"  
Sheet Metal Screw



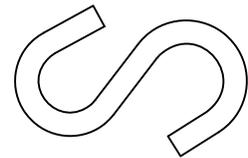
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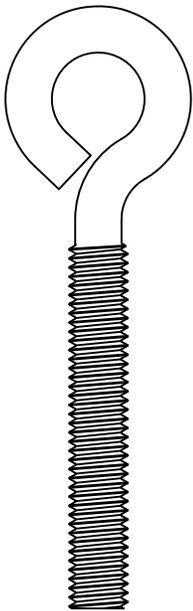
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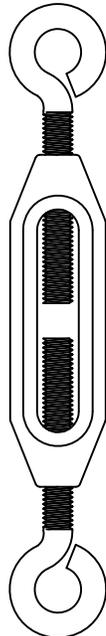
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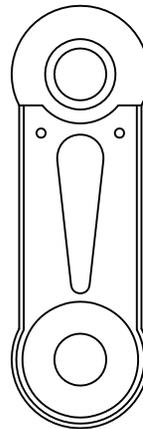
#8-10 Ga S-Hook



5/16" Eye Screw



Turnbuckle

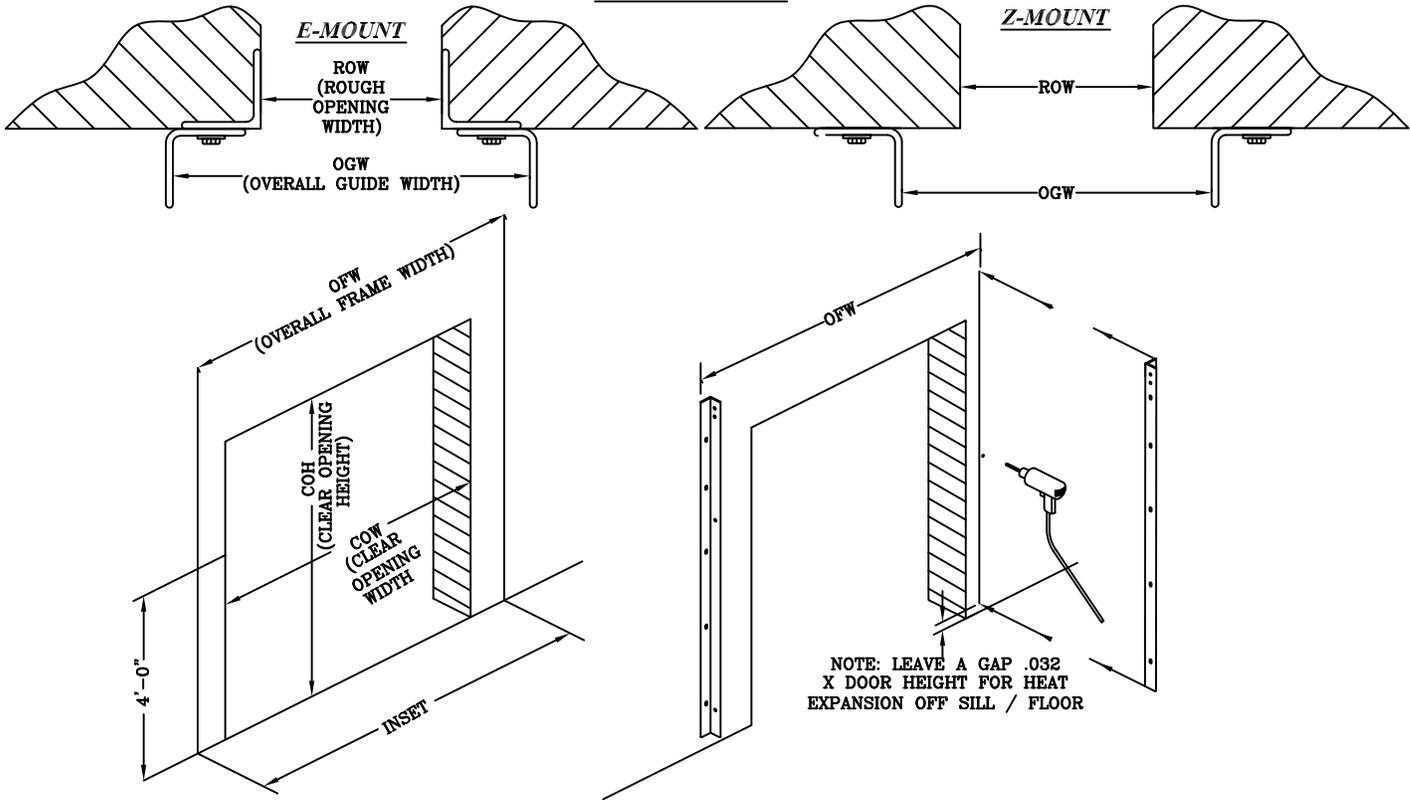


160° F - Fusible Link  
3 pcs for interior mounted  
2 pcs for exterior mounted



Sash Chain

**FIGURE 2-B**



**Removing mounting angles:**

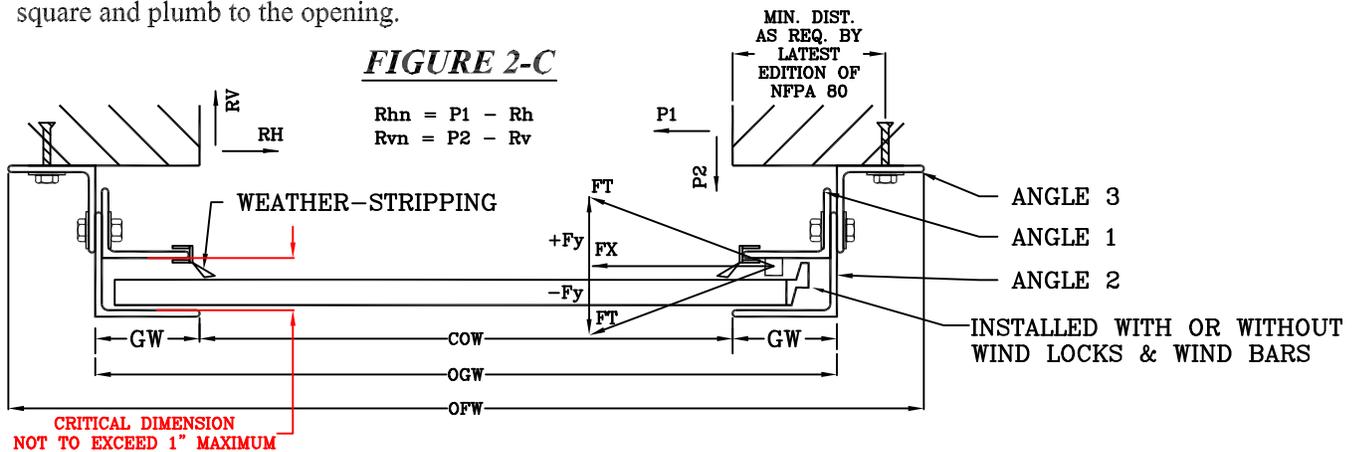
FIRST: Drill and set shields, drill and tap into steel or drill for through wall bolts (use appropriate mounting for field conditions). Install fasteners, nuts and galvanized washers.

SECOND: For high wind zones (HVHZ) refer to drawings ALP 1/01/03 or ALP 2/01/03 for proper mounting conditions.

*Note: For (HVHZ) doors over 10 feet wide, it is recommended that a steel channel frame be provided as an integral part of the building structure to accept an "E-Mount" configuration.*

THIRD: Fasten mounting angles to the wall. Use the same procedure on the opposite side of opening. Make sure the angles are square and plumb to the opening.

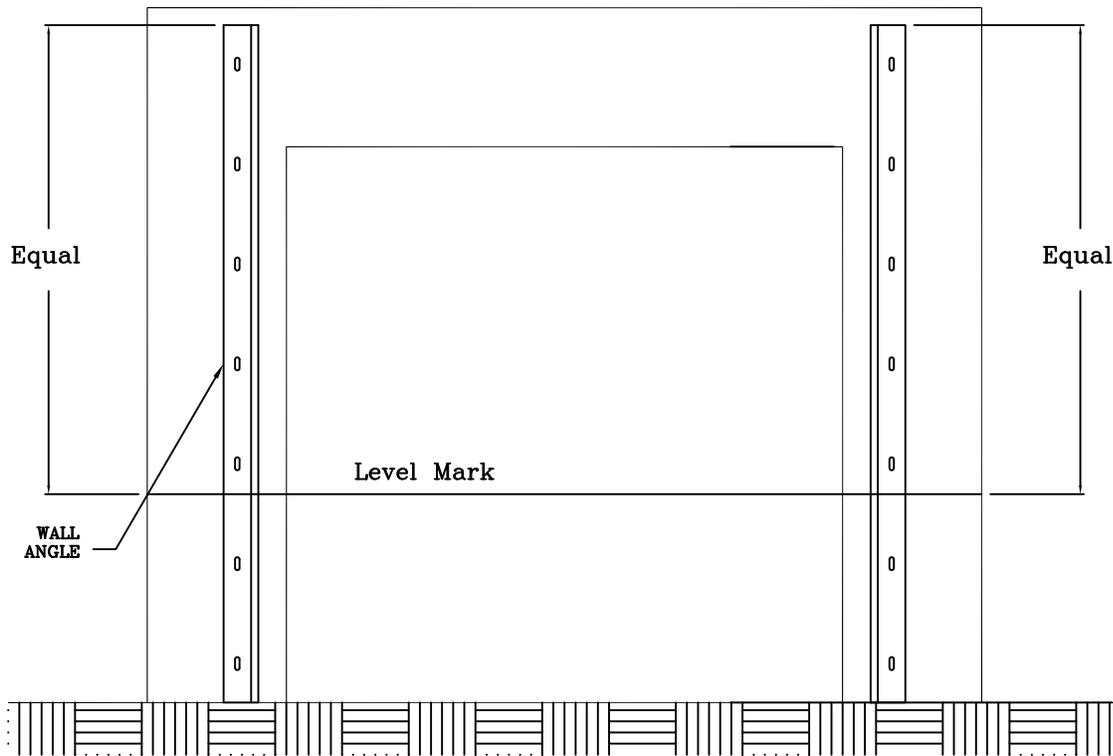
**FIGURE 2-C**



GUIDE SECTION					
CLEAR OPENING		OVERALL GUIDE	UNDER BRACKET	OVERALL FRAME	
COW	COH	OGW	UBH	OFW	OFH
WIDTH	HEIGHT	WIDTH	HEIGHT	WIDTH	HEIGHT

**FIGURE 2-D**

Level & Plumb

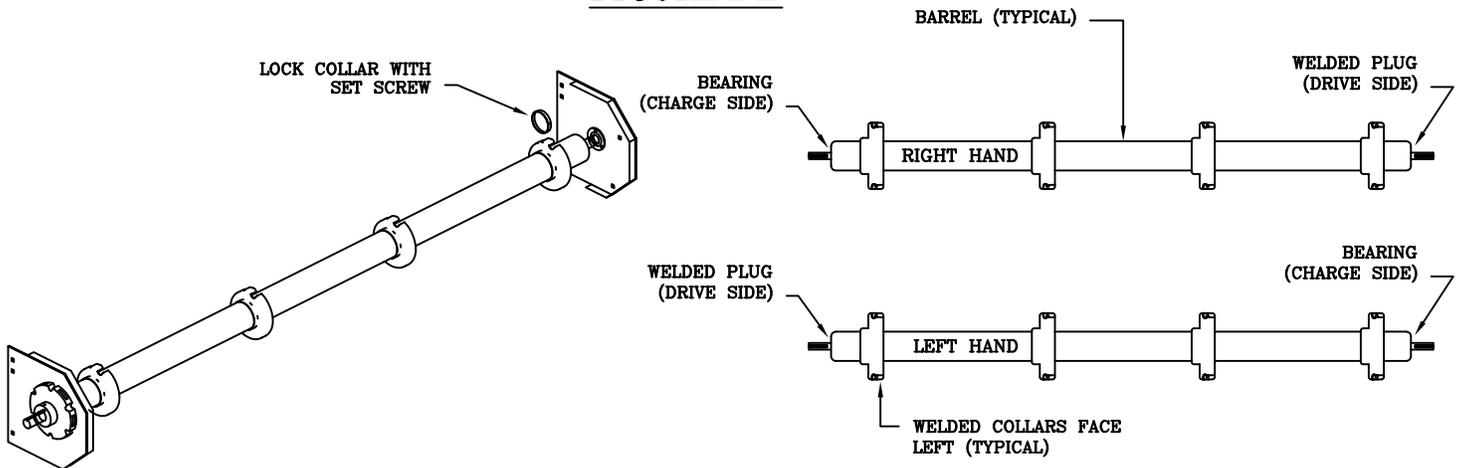


*Note: The drive assembly is not balanced when lifting. Use caution, as the tension side will be much heavier than the drive side.*

**Installing barrel and head plates:**

**FIRST:** lock bushing with set screw as shown in figure 2-E. Must be set to stop barrel movement (both left to right, and side to side). Note: Barrel deflection shall not to exceed .03 inches per foot of width. Bracket not less than 8".

**FIGURE 2-E**



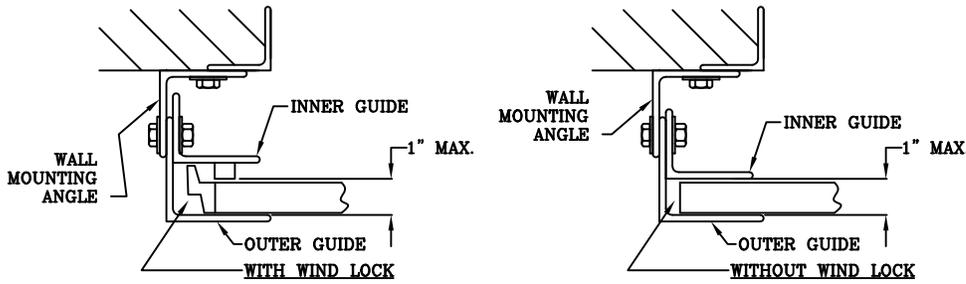
**SECOND:** Remove pipe shaft and curtain from package or crate; place on level ground (flat and free of debris), as to "drive side" orientation (right or left as in figure 2-E. Install locking collar on the inner shaft, between the pipe and bracket plate with bearing (unless bearing has locking set screws). Place brackets on shaft with drive side bracket on proper side. (see Figure 2-E). Mount the drive gear or sprocket to prevent the bracket from coming off. Install charge side bracket on other end of the shaft, then the charge wheel and key way to shaft. **DO NOT PUT A TENSION RETAINER BAR THROUGH THE CHANNEL, INTO THE CHARGE WHEEL AT THIS TIME.** Leave it free to turn. Torque set screws to center the barrel according to steps outlined in figure 2-E.



## Installing inner and outer guide angles:

FIRST: Leave slings in place and install all inner and outer guide angles onto the wall mounting angles, both left and right side. Measure proper guide space to allow curtain to ride freely in the guide rails.

**FIGURE 5**

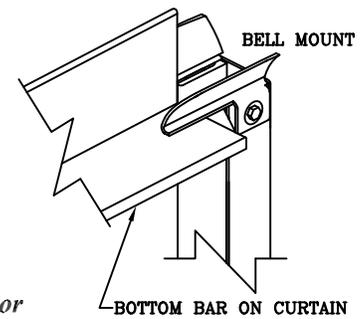


*Note: For high wind zones (HVHZ) refer to drawings ALP 1/01/03 or ALP 2/01/03 for proper mounting conditions.*



**GUIDE SPACE SHOULD NOT EXCEED 1" OR WIND LOCKS MAY NOT ENGAGE PROPERLY. (SEE FIGURE 5)**

**FIGURE 6**



SECOND: Now that the guide assemblies are fastened and secured, the curtain must be fully rolled up and the bottom bar engaged to bell mount stops (figure 6). Test and adjust for proper balance at the header at this time, with slings still in place to prevent curtain falling.

THIRD: Attach the chain set, crank or motor operator to the end bracket of the drive side. Be sure that everything is secured properly then remove rope slings (place "C" clamps in guides to prevent curtain from falling during removal of rope slings).

**Special Note: Alpine's fire doors are fully balanced when installing. After installing the operator, the installer must remove open weight charge tension to allow door to close on Redi-reset operators.**

## Installing motor connections: (Refer to Operator Installation Instructions via chain crank or motor)

FIRST: Connect power supply to motor according to the wiring diagram.

SECOND: Mount the push button control station within sight of the unit and attach wiring according to the wiring diagram.

THIRD: Install sash chain and fusible link to the fusible link plunger as described in the motor installation instructions. Sash chain and fusible links should be properly mounted per NFPA bulletin 80 and in accordance with the local authority having jurisdiction. Once the sash chain is installed, remove the cotter pin from the fusible link plunger as shown in the motor installation instructions.

FOURTH: Connect the central alarm (if applicable) to the operator according to the wiring diagram.

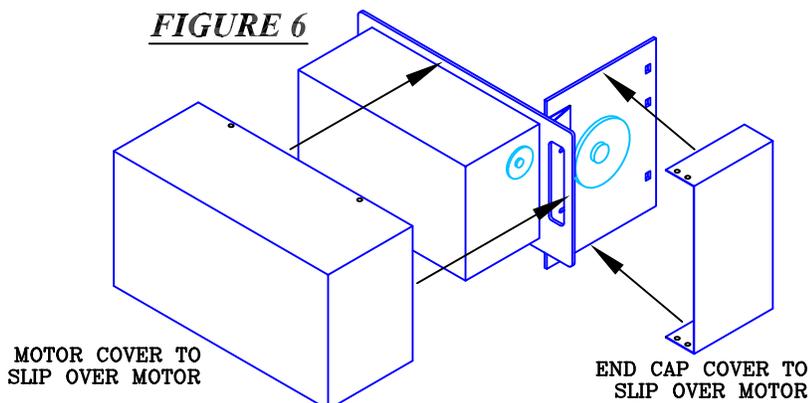
FIFTH: Adjust the motor travel limit switched as described in the motor installation instructions.

SIXTH: After all connections are complete and the limits are set, operate the unit to the open position.

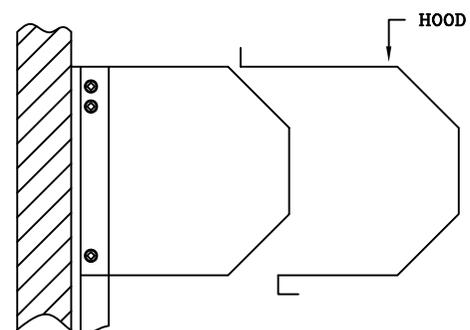
SEVENTH: On all motor operated units, set roller chain tension properly. Half links are used for fine adjustment. Motor operators that have excessive vibration must be braced diagonally to wall or adjacent construction. Be certain that the operator is firmly mounted.

EIGHTH: Install hood, soffits, special covers and any special hardware furnished (see figure 6-A) Install center hood support if supplied. Caulk exterior hoods.

**FIGURE 6**



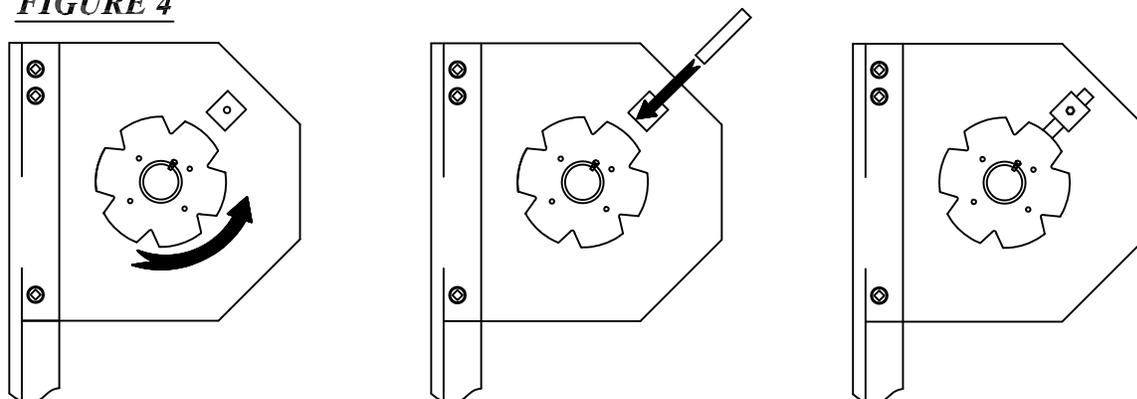
**FIGURE 6-A**



### **Final adjustments to spring tension:**

**FIRST:** With the unit in the full open position, rotate the charge wheel (see figure 4) by hand in a direction approximately  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn until a slight resistance is felt. Insert the charge wheel tension retainer bar through the slot on the charge wheel side bracket plate and into the slot on the charge wheel. Refer to Figure 4.

**FIGURE 4**



### **NOTE**

**IMPORTANT: DOOR REQUIRES REVERSE TENSION**

After the curtain is in the open position, add a  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn, counter clockwise. This will cause the door to force closure. Turn test release switch, door should come down and stop at floor. (see fig. 4)

### **NOTE**

ON REDI-RESET FIRE DOOR'S OPERATOR, THE FINAL TENSION IS COMPLETE, WHEN THE DOOR IS IN THE OPEN POSITION. WITH DOOR IN OPEN POSITION INSTALLER MUST REMOVE ALL TENSION FROM THE CHARGE WHEEL AND TEST THE DOOR CLOSING. "CONTROLLED" IS BETWEEN 6" TO 24" PER SECOND. **IMPORTANT:** NOT LESS THAN 6" PER SECOND AND NOT MORE THAN 24" PER SECOND. MAY REQUIRE REVERSE TENSION IF THE DOOR DOES NOT CLOSE ON GRAVITY DURING TESTING.

# Maximum Opening Size For TUBE Mounted Rolling Steel Fire Door

## Opening size:

130 square feet with the width of the opening not to exceed 12 feet, and height of the opening not to exceed 11 feet.

## Oversize:

256 square feet with neither the height of the width of the opening to exceed 16 feet.

## Tube size:

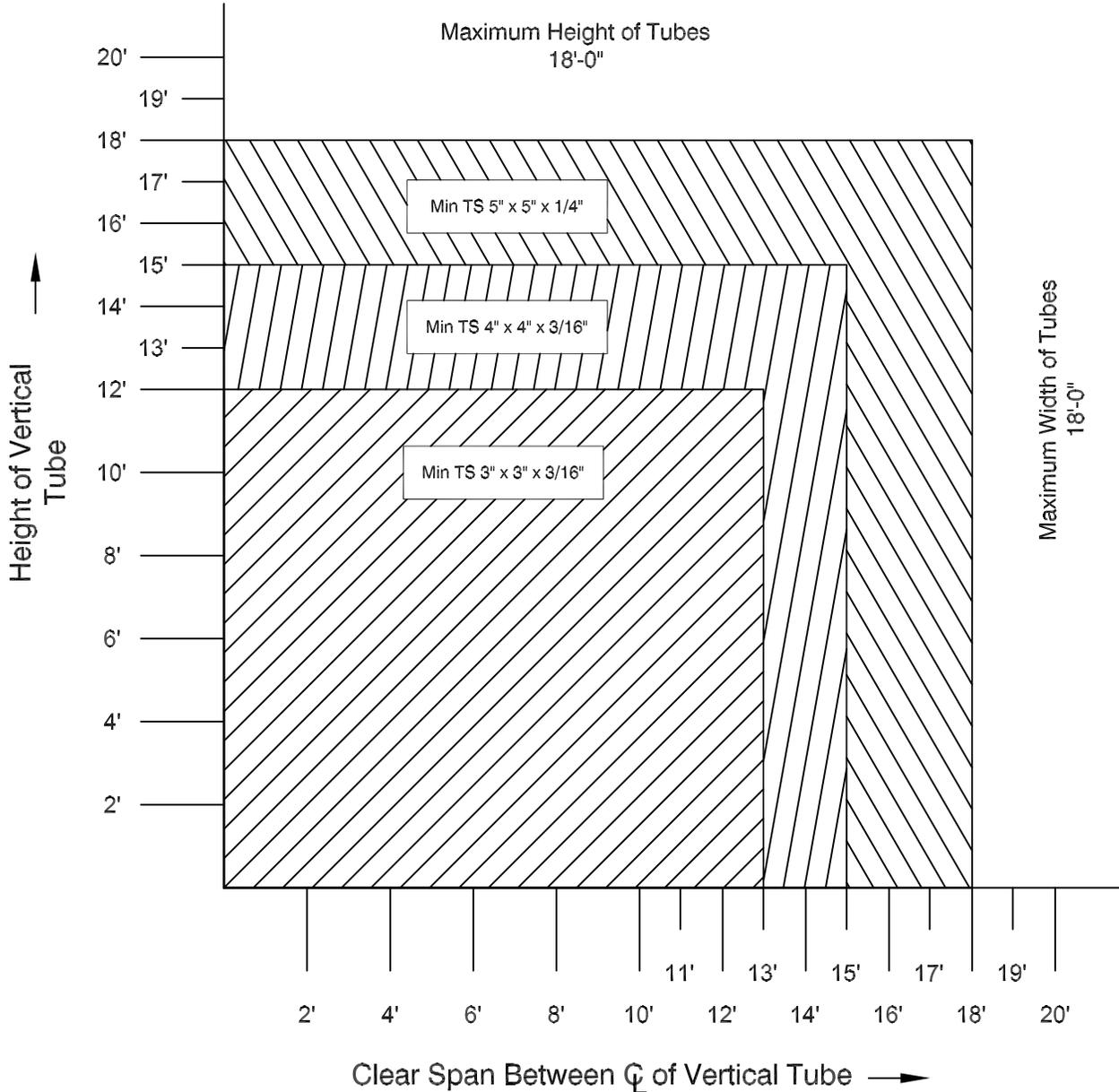
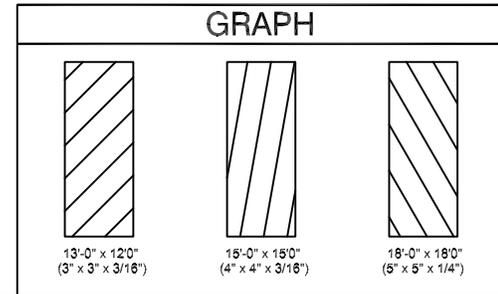
The maximum height of the tube and the maximum distance from centerline ( ) to centerline is 18 feet.

## Alternate Procedure:

In addition to the chart below, as an alternate procedure, note the following:  
The tube thickness must be equal to the thickness of the angles.

For example: 3/16" thick tube, must be used with 3/16" thick angle.

1/4" thick tube must be used with 1/4" thick angles. Matching the thickness of the tubes with the thickness of the angles, will insure structural integrity.





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## **TECHNICAL DATA SHEET**

### **Introduction:**

Rolling steel fire door manufacturers have noticed an increase in the demand for such fire doors to be installed on 3-hour non-masonry walls. The industry has learned that some of the jambs on masonry and non-masonry walls have not been suitable for mounting fire door guides to the jambs. In many instances, the jambs have not been designed to hold the load imposed by the rolling steel fire door. In October of 2000, DASMA sponsored a test of a rolling steel fire door mounted on steel tubes set against a 3-hour non-masonry wall. This Technical Data Sheet, based on the results of the testing, presents the concept of connecting steel tubes to the floor/sill and also to the wall above the opening or to a building's structural ceiling framing. The steel tubes themselves are not fastened to the wall. A steel tube is designed to fit over a base plate assembly, which is fastened to the floor/sill. The top-of-tube assembly secures the tube to the structural roof joists or slab above. On masonry walls, the top-of-tube assembly may be through-bolted in the wall. There is a slip fit between the top-of-tube assembly and the steel tube to provide tube expansion during a fire emergency. Information on steel tube size, steel tube thickness, base plate assembly and top-of-tube assembly can be found in the fire door manufacturer's UL and FM procedures.

### **Objectives:**

The objectives of preparing the set of enclosed details are:

1. To show the basic concepts in a generic way, without being manufacturer-specific regarding details.
2. To show the three-angle guide and the four-angle guide options.

### **Attachment Contents:**

- Figure 1: "E" mounted guide configuration; exposed steel tube
- Figure 2: "Z" mounted guide configuration; exposed steel tube
- Figure 3: Exposed tube mount detail, showing top of tube mount to ceiling
- Figure 4; Exposed tube mount detail, showing top of tube mounted to masonry wall via top-of-tube assembly
- Figure 5: Exposed tube mount detail, showing top of tube mounted to masonry wall via top-of-tube sleeve

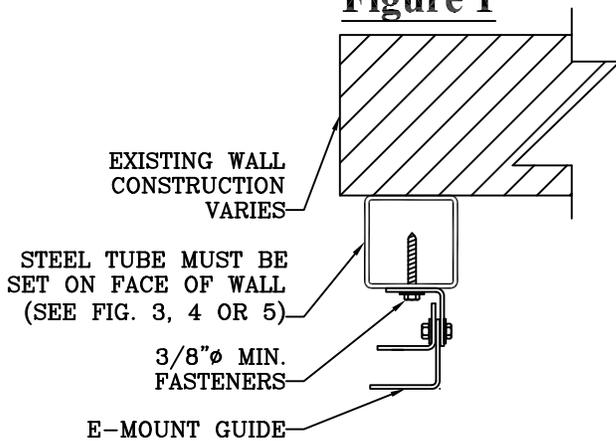
# TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

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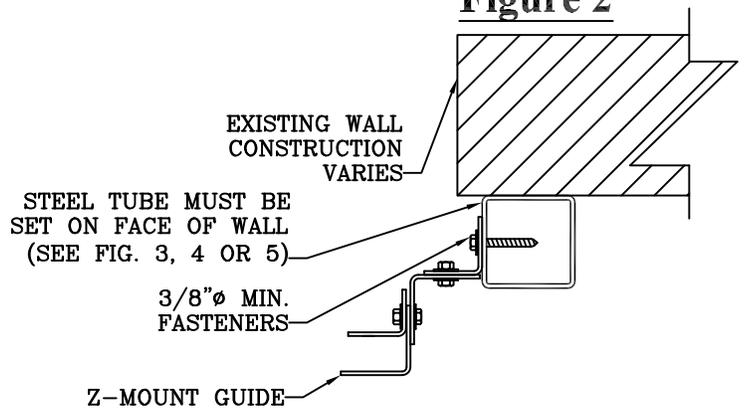
### General Notes:

1. Existing wall construction covered.
2. Details are for general information only. See manufacturer's installation instructions.
3. Consult a structural engineer for actual wall construction.
4. Details are attached to TDS-273.
5. Details apply to masonry, drywall and sodium silicate walls.
6. Steel tubes cannot be mounted between jambs.

### Figure 1

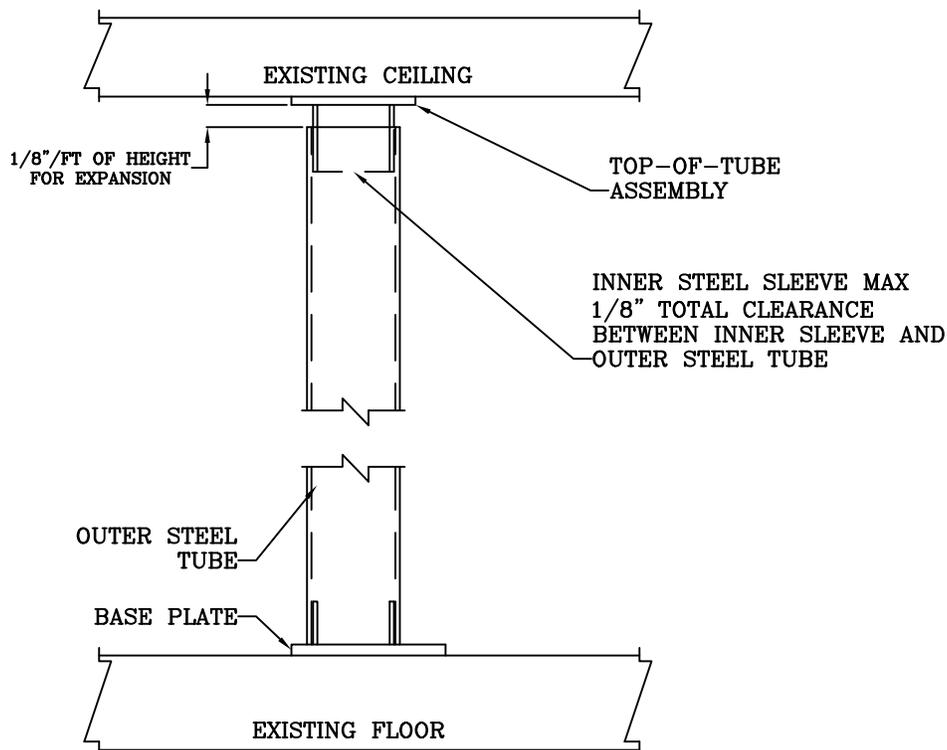


### Figure 2



### Figure 3

#### Ceiling and floor mounting

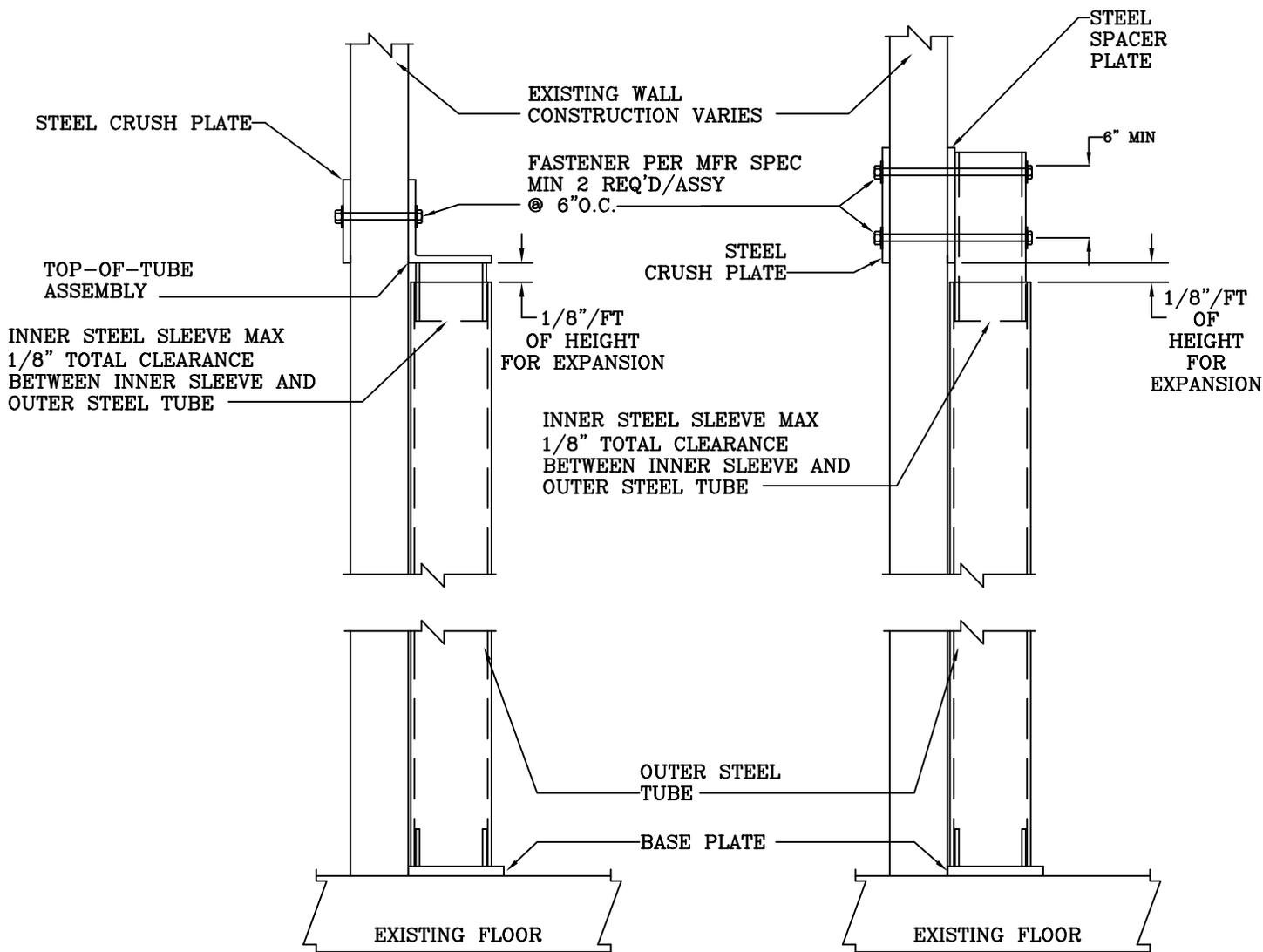


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**Figure 4**  
*Wall and floor*  
*mounting*

**Figure 5**  
*Wall and floor*  
*mounting*





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AUTO-FIRE

MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS

## LUBRICATION:

The most important single maintenance item on doors of this type is lubrication. This is required only at certain points because all rotating members are equipped with high quality sealed bearings that are lubricated for life.

The curtain guides and the teeth of the gears contained in the chain hoist or hand crank mechanism (if supplied) should be lubricated at least twice a year (more often if the door works very frequently) with one of the following greases:

- Dixon's Graphite Cup Grease (#1 for normal weather, # 2 for winter weather)
- Alemite MP Lithium Grease (#1 for winter weather, # 2 for normal weather)
- Texaco #904 Graphite Grease, or other equivalents

If door is electrically operated, check the oil level in the worm gear speed reducer every six months and replenish if necessary with S.A.E. 140 gear oil for normally heated buildings or thinner grades for outside installations exposed to low temperatures.

## PAINT:

All non-lubricated steel surfaces should be painted annually (more often if required in corrosive atmospheres) with a good grade of rust inhibiting metallic based paint. If the door is powder coated, touchup paint can be obtained by a local paint supplier.



**APPLYING SPRING TENSION IS DANGEROUS. only EXPERIENCED DOOR INSTALLERS SHOULD PERFORM ADJUSTMENTS.**

## SPRING ADJUSTMENT:

In time, the counter balancing springs may lose some of their initial tension. This condition imposes an extra load on the operator and should be corrected as follows:

- The door must be raised to the full open position and held open by "C" clamps or vise grips on each guide.

*Note: If Electric operator is present, shut off main power supply during adjustment.*

- With suitable tool (18" or 24" pipe wrench or larger spanner) turn the spring adjusting charge wheel one notch at a time. Test door between additional notches, until the door is balanced properly. Use caution not to over tension, otherwise it will shorten the life cycle of the spring.

*Note: To add tension, turn in the direction that the door rolls up (charge wheel on left - clockwise, charge wheel on right - counterclockwise) (see figure 4).*

- Make sure tension retainer bar is properly engaged in spring adjusting charge wheel at all times.
- May require reverse tension if the door does not close on gravity during testing.



## TROUBLESHOOTING MANUAL FOR ROLLING STEEL DOORS.

### **Purpose:**

The following troubleshooting guidelines have been specifically written to provide a reliable source of information to all customers and users of Alpine Overhead Doors, Inc. rolling steel doors. This information will provide solutions to the most common problems and establishes a systematic sequence required in repairing a rolling steel door.

If a problem is encountered and it is not covered in this manual, kindly call Alpine sales representatives, for they are ready to assist you if you require further technical assistance.

### **Barrel:**

**Problem:** As the door is in the downward travel, it binds.

Causes:

- Curtain binds in guides.
- Bolts used to connect the curtain to the barrel are too long.
- Insufficient initial stretch of the tension spring or incorrect hand of the spring.
- Incorrect spring assembly for the opening.

Corrections:

- Increase the guide opening. Curtain must be loose in the guides.
- Replace the bolts with a shorter bolt.
- Consult the factory.
- Check the door mark on the barrel. Locate the correct barrel.

**Problem:** Tension wheel turns freely.

Causes:

- Spring broken.
- Broken shaft pin.
- Broken barrel pin.

Corrections:

- Items a through c, consult the factory.

**Problem:** Difficult to apply tension in adjusting the charge wheel.

Causes:

- Incorrect spring connection to the spring holders.
- Incorrect distance between the spring castings.
- Screws connecting the curtain or collar are too long.

Corrections:

- Items a through c, consult the factory.

**Problem:** Drive shaft crooked.

Causes:

- Broken weld or shipping damage.

Corrections:

- Consult the factory. Possible End Plug replacement.

### **Curtain:**

**Problem:** Curtain rolls up unevenly.

Causes:

- Top slat not in line.
- Tapped holes in barrel not on centerline.
- Barrel not level.
- Collar assembly improperly aligned.
- Damaged slats in curtain.

Corrections:

- Loosen top screws and straighten the curtain.
- Drill and tap the barrel with holes on centerline.
- Use hydro level to level the barrel.
- Consult the factory.
- Replace damaged slats.

## **Curtain: (continued)**

**Problem:** Curtain slats separate.

Causes: a. Freight damages.

Corrections: a. Replace the curtain.

**Problem:** Curtain separates from the barrel.

Causes: a. Curtain does not have 1/2" wrap on the barrel when in the closed position.  
b. Bolts pulled through the top slat.  
c. Interlocks not installed on the motor operated door.

Corrections: a. Insert additional slats in the curtain of the door.  
b. Install washers under the head of the bolts.  
c. Install interlocks to prevent motor operation when the door is locked.

**Problem:** Curtain appears to sag at the center.

Causes: a. Center of the curtain is against the barrel, the edge of the curtain is pulled toward the lintel as it enters the guides.  
b. Barrel deflection on wide doors.  
c. Starter slats improperly aligned to the barrel.

Corrections: a. Curvature of the curtain makes it appear to be sagging while it is actually level.  
b. Consult the factory.  
c. Remove the starter slat and allow for camber, then tighten.

## **Bottom Bar:**

**Problem:** Bottom bar interferes with the vinyl flap weatherstripping.

Causes: a. Incorrect guide opening.  
b. Incorrect cope on bottom bar angle.

Corrections: a. Increase guide openings.  
b. Increase cope to clear the weatherstripping.

**Problem:** Safety edge not working.

Causes: a. Open circuit in the bottom bar. Confirm by disconnecting wiring at the bottom bar and insert a continuity tester.  
b. Open circuit in coil cord or cord reel. Confirm by inserting a voltmeter into the plug. Reading should be 24 VAC.  
c. Door located in extremely wet or flooded environment.

Corrections: a. Replace the Safety edge.  
b. Replace the coil cord or cord reel.  
c. Eliminate the water and replace the Safety edge.

**Problem:** Locks inoperative.

Causes: a. Key slot of cylinder must be in the horizontal position.  
b. Damaged internal components.

Corrections: a. Reposition the cylinder and firmly secure with small screws into the bottom bar.  
b. Remove the bottom bar from the guide. Replace the locking mechanism.

**Problem:** Electrical interlocks inoperative.

Causes: a. Magnet on lock bolt does not line up with proximity switch on the guide.

Corrections: a. Adjust the proximity switch location where it is mounted to the guides.

## **Hood:**

**Problem:** Hood bends do not align with the end brackets.

Causes: a. Incorrect hood size.

Corrections: a. Accurately check all dimensions of material supplied and consult the factory.

## **Bracket:**

**Problem:** Brackets not perpendicular to the barrel.

Causes: a. Wall mount angle not square.

Corrections: a. Brace bracket into position and square.



## WARRANTY

Alpine Overhead Doors, Inc. ("Alpine") warrants its rolling doors (other than the electrical components thereof, regarding which see below) and related hardware fittings, its rolling grille doors and its counter shutters to be free from defects in materials and workmanship for a period of **ONE YEAR** from the date of delivery to the original Buyer. Alpine warrants the electrical components of its rolling doors and counter shutters (including, without limitation, motors, motor components, wiring, heat tracers and electrical connectors) to be free from defects in materials and workmanship for a period of **NINETY DAYS**. If, within the applicable warranty period, any such product or part is found, upon inspection by authorized Alpine personnel, to be defective in material or workmanship, Alpine shall, at its option, repair or replace such defective product or part.

Claims for defects in material or workmanship covered by this warranty shall be made in writing within the warranty period to Alpine as its address set forth below. Alpine may either send a service representative to inspect the product or part or may have the product or part returned to Alpine at buyer's expense for inspection. If Alpine determines that the product or part is defective in material or workmanship, Alpine will, at its option, repair or replace the product or part free of charge except for the costs of shipping the product or part to and from Alpine and except for the replacement labor charges, all of which shall be the responsibility of buyer.

This warranty does not cover, and Alpine shall not be responsible for any, damages resulting to its products (or any parts thereof) from improper installation, improper storage, unauthorized service, product alteration, neglect or abuse, or from any use or attempted use of such products for other than their intended purposes. This warranty does not cover normal wear, nor does it cover any matter resulting from a cause beyond Alpine's control.

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*Note: Install to NFPA 80 guidelines !*

*Read all instructions carefully, checking shop drawings supplied for any special conditions. Open all crated materials and check for damaged or missing parts prior to installation. If any damaged occurred you must notify your carrier immediately.*

*Note: Left hand (LH) or right hand (RH) is taken as you face the door opening from the coil side of the unit. Also, you may have to disassemble the guide assembly and use the wall mounting angles to first mount them on the wall, you have the option to change from the E-mount guide, reverse it for the Z-mount guide.*

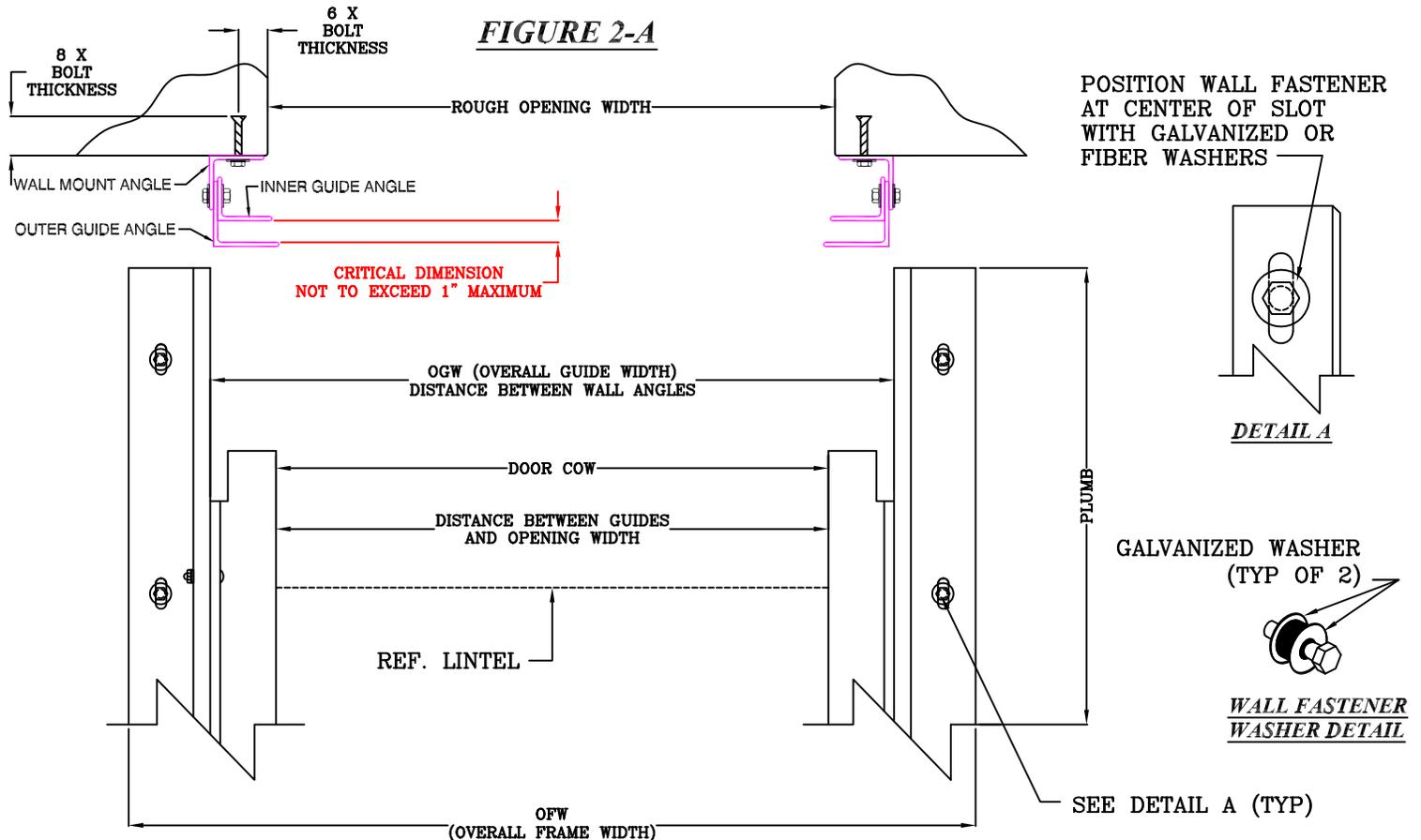
### **Inspection:**

Establish opening width and height and check against the opening size shown on the shop drawings. Level the sill surface that the door wall angle or tube will rest on.

### **Installing wall mounting angles:** (refer to figure 2-A , B, C & D)

- FIRST: Set Left hand wall mount angle in place according to figure 2-B (OGW) and plumb. Make sure that the OFW (Overall Frame Width) distance, plus drive sprocket and charge wheel have clearance.
- SECOND: Mark the hole location on the wall and remove the wall mounting angle. Note that the fasteners must be located at the center of the slots to allow for heat expansion of the wall mounting angles, also leave gap of .032 X Door Height (example: 12ft door x .032 = 3/8) off sill / floor (refer to NFPA 80 latest edition).
- THIRD: Drill and prepare holes for wall fasteners at 6 x bolt thickness for inbedment of wall fasteners. Drill 8 x bolt thickness for depth of wall fasteners.
- FOURTH: Return the wall mount angle into position and install with wall fasteners, securing angle into place. The galvanized or fiber washers must be installed (refer to the wall fastener washer detail).
- FIFTH: Measure from the LH wall angle the distance between the wall angle and make a reference mark for locating the RH wall angle.
- SIXTH: Place the RH guide assembly on the reference mark, plumb and level with respect to the LH guide assembly.
- SEVENTH: Repeat steps 2 through 4 for the RH guide assembly.

*Note: Fire doors are manufactured to close tolerances. It is important that the cow guides are positioned at the proper distance between guides, and that both angles are plumb and level.*



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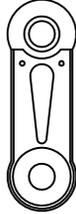
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## FUSIBLE LINK INSTALLATION

### PARTS:

Fusible Link

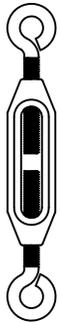


"S" Hook

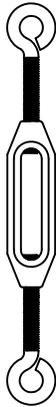
Place "S" Hooks on ends of chains (both sides)  
close (clamp down) "S" Hook end, so it will not fall  
off chain



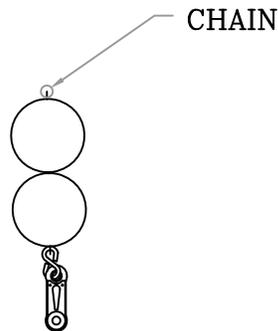
"S" Hook closed  
(clamped down)



Turnbuckle  
closed



Turnbuckle  
opened



IMPORTANT



DO NOT INSTALL ANY DETECTOR WITHIN FOUR INCHES OF THE INTERSECTION OF  
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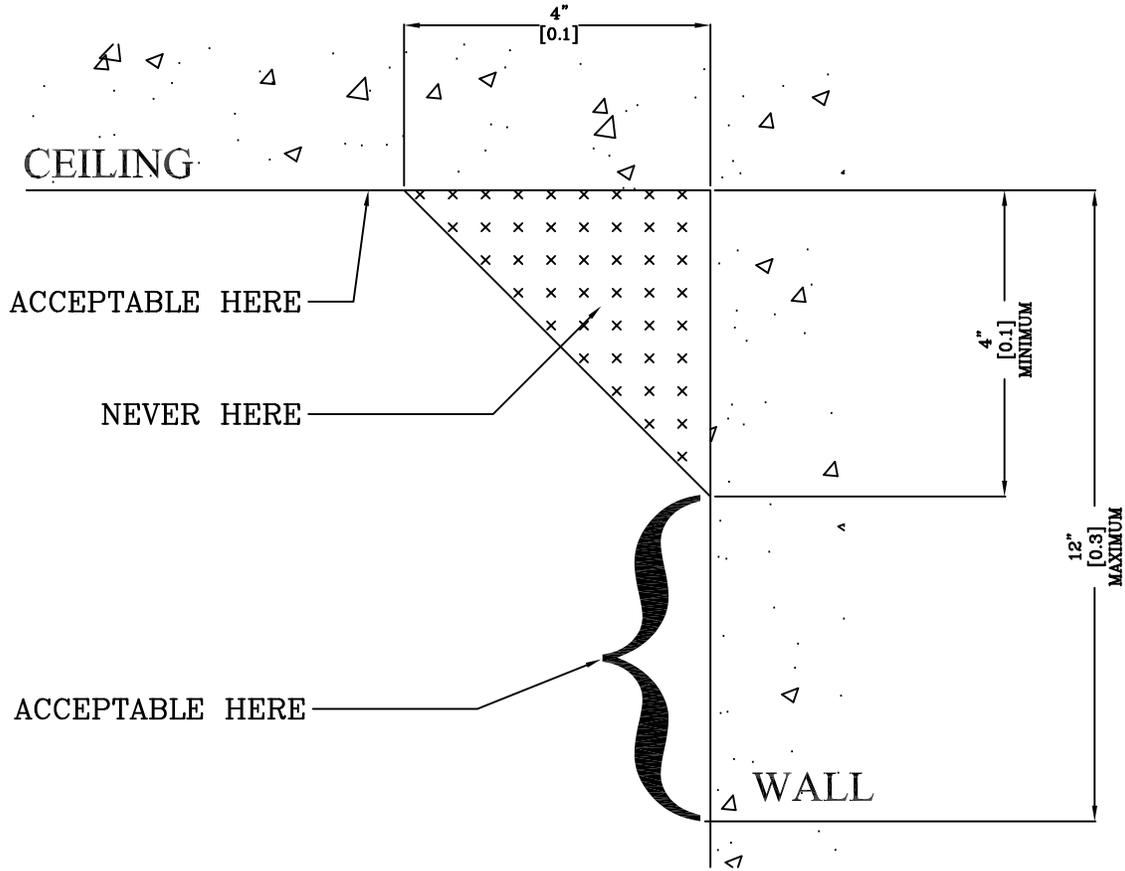
# FUSIBLE LINK INSTALLATION

## Placing links:

Fusible links will always be installed according to NFPA 80 Standards for Fire Doors.

Fusible links shall not be placed in the so-called dead air space developed at the intersection of the wall and ceiling directly above the fire door. See figures below:

Fusible links are acceptable to be part of an overall fire system, such as a fire alarm, water flow alarm, or carbon dioxide release system, that release the doors.



## Operational Test:

After installation of a fire door or shutter is completed, an operational test shall be conducted. These tests shall be adequate to determine that the system has been installed and functions as intended.

⚠ IMPORTANT ⚠ DO NOT INSTALL ANY DETECTOR WITHIN FOUR INCHES OF THE INTERSECTION OF THE WALL AND CEILING.

# INSTALLATION

## Release Assembly

Routing of the rolling fire door release assembly is a vital part of the door system. If the assembly is installed incorrectly, it may prevent the rolling fire door from closing automatically. The provisions for installation of fusible links are found in the National Fire Protection Association Standard 80 (NFPA 80).

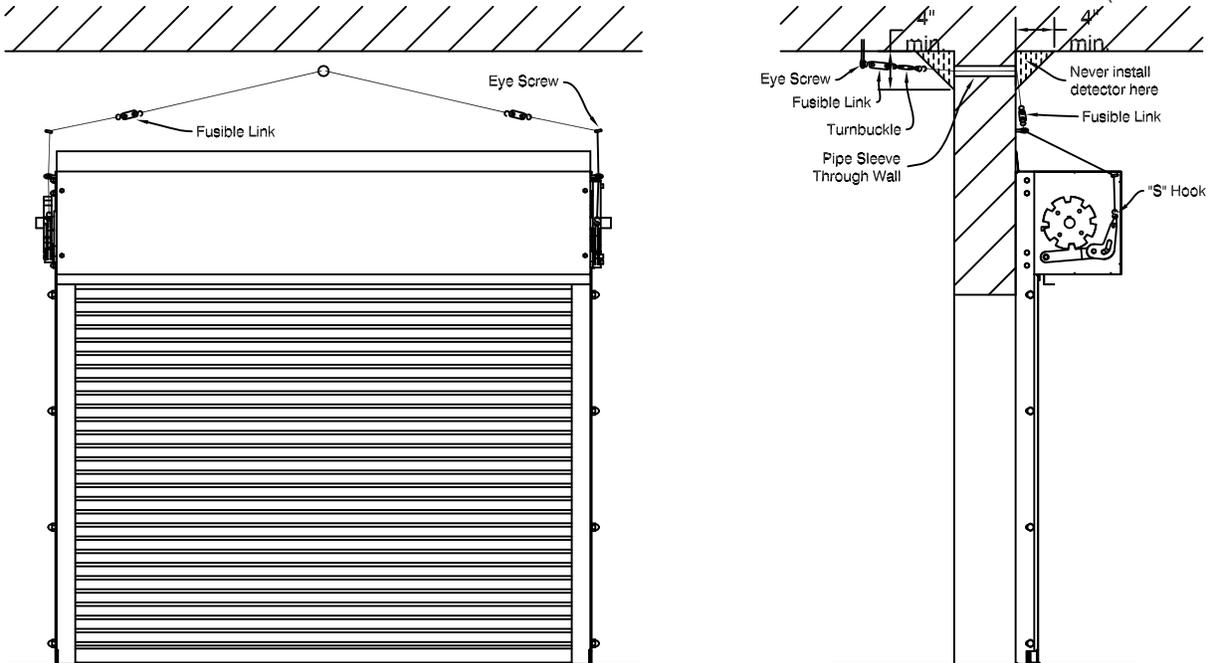


Fig. 20

**1) Locate the first fusible link near one of the bracket plates and allow for sufficient movement of the sash chain to release the drop mechanism.**

2) Locate the second fusible link or detector within 12 inches of the ceiling on the coil side of the wall. Do not install a link or detector within four inches of the intersection of the wall and ceiling as shown in Fig. 20.

3) Locate the third fusible link or detector on the opposite side of the wall at a distance from the wall that will allow sufficient travel of the chain to completely release the fire door. Attach the fusible link near the ceiling straight out from the through wall hole. The detector must be more than four inches from the intersection of the wall and ceiling as shown in Fig. 20.

4) Check with the local authority having jurisdiction regarding the through wall hole. Consider using 1/2 inch EMT.

5) Use S-hooks for attaching fusible links. This will allow ease of installation and adjustments.

6) When routing the sash chain, DO NOT make more than 90 degree bends.

7) Use the turnbuckle to take up the slack in the sash chain.

8) Attach eye screws to the wall to help route the sash chain to a given location.

9) The fusible links should be interconnected such that disconnection of any link will cause the door to close.

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# FIRE DOOR OPERATIONAL TEST

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## Operational Test

**After the installation is completed, an operational test must be conducted. This test is to determine that the system has been installed and functions as intended. Testing of each fusible link shall be conducted separately to ensure that a successful drop test will be achieved at each fusible link / detector device.**

### A. Test Drop Procedure

- 1) Release the fusible link by disengaging the "S" hook that is holding the chain to the link.
- 2) Insure that the drop arm mechanisms and sash chain is not obstructed for this will cause incomplete disengagement.
- 3) If the door unit drops too fast, relocate the blank point screw on the charge wheel to a position that relieves less tension. If the door unit drops too slow, with the door in the open position, relocate the blank point screw to a position that relieves more tension. NOTE: Rolling fire doors shall have an average closing speed of not less than 6 in. per second nor more than 24 in. per second. (NFPA 80 - Latest Edition)

**⚠ IMPORTANT ⚠ UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHOULD TENSION BE APPLIED WHEN THE DOOR IS IN THE CLOSED POSITION.**

**NOTE: Each rolling fire door installed must be test dropped and an Alpine fire door drop test report must be filled out (see below). A copy of the report must be forwarded to the Alpine office otherwise the door warranty is considered VOID.**

## FIRE DOOR DROP TEST REPORT

Job Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Door Marks: \_\_\_\_\_

Job Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Building: \_\_\_\_\_

U.L. Label #: \_\_\_\_\_ Alpine Serial #: \_\_\_\_\_

### CUSTOMER REPRESENTATIVE WITNESSING THE FIRE TEST

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### TEST PERFORMED BY:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE COMPLETE THIS FORM AND SEND A COPY TO THE FOLLOWING ADDRESS.**

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