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December Newsletter & Trivia Contest

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Temperature Rise Doors

Q: I am bidding a project and they call for Temperature Rise Doors. What is a Temperature Rise Door and what makes it special?

A: There are applications where fire doors need to minimize the transmission of heat from one side of the door to the other side. This arises most often in stairwells in taller buildings. If the transmission of heat can be limited for even a brief period of time, it may make it possible for people on floors above a fire to safely escape the building. These Temperature Rise Doors are fabricated with special cores that minimize this transfer of extreme temperatures.

In addition to the stated hourly rating, these doors also state their temperature rise rating. Temperature Rise ratings are 250 degrees F, 450 degrees F, 650 degrees F,

BRAND NEW! Stock & Standard Program

New Program to save you time & money!

Standard Doors and Frames

In addition to custom doors and frames, Hollow Metal Xpress also offers a full line of standard doors and frames at competitive prices. Standard material is manufactured per order on very short lead times!

Pricing Matrix	Order Form
Standard Doors	Standard Doors
Standard Frames	Standard Frames

Stock Doors and Frames

Our stock program includes an inventory of welded frames and H Series doors. Stock orders are available for same day shipping. Please check with your Territory Manager for availability.

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Where's Delbert?



Delbert is, of course, visiting his good friend, Santa Claus at the North Pole. Santa relies heavily on Delbert since he's a production and delivery expert.

So this month's trivia contest is to unravel some common Christmas carol names. The winners must give correct answers for all five carols.

Example: As the guardians of the wooly animals protected their charges in the dark

Answer: Shepherds Watched Their Flocks By Night

Contest:

- #1 Wanted in December: two forward incisors
- #2 The lad is a diminutive percussionist
- #3 Cup-shaped fashioned of whitish metallic element
- #4 Oh small Israeli urban center
- #5 Our fervent hope is that you thoroughly enjoy your

and these indicate the maximum rise in temperature above ambient (surrounding) temperatures on the unexposed surface of the door opposite the fire, during the first 30 minutes of a standard fire. The 250 degrees F designation is the most rigid rating of the three, since it requires the most limiting rise in temperature. The lower the degrees, the better the rating.

As with all code compliance issues, please consult with your local authorities of jurisdiction as well as other available resources such as NFPA 80.

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Send your 5 correct answers to Marketing@HMXpress.com The first three winners will receive a gift!

The winners and answers will be posted on our web site on Dec. 13th.

[Click here for more carol riddles!](#)

This month's winners will be included in our end of year drawing for the 2007 Grand Prize. Watch for the winner on the Newsletter page.

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