

# Exterior Building Wall Components and Details



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## Checklist



### 1. Wall Plane/Section

- ☐ Exterior Finish(es)/Cladding
- ☐ Drainage Plane
- ☐ Weather/Air Barrier(s)
- ☐ Attachment Fasteners
- ☐ Substrate
- ☐ Vapor Retarder
- ☐ Insulating Elements
- ☐ Interior Finish(es)

### 2. Joints/Transitions

- ☐ Similar Materials
- ☐ Dissimilar Materials
- ☐ Sealant (Caulk) Joints
- ☐ Control Joints  
(Horizontal and Vertical)
- ☐ Expansion Joints  
(Horizontal and Vertical)

### 3. Wall Base

- ☐ At Soil
- ☐ At Paving
- ☐ At Deck
- ☐ At Roof (see Roof To Wall)
- ☐ At Steps/Stoop
- ☐ At Wall to Below-Grade
- ☐ (Waterproofing)

### 4. Corners

- ☐ Inside
- ☐ Outside

### 5. Roof to Wall

- ☐ Head Wall
- ☐ Confined Rake
- ☐ Kick-Out
- ☐ Wall to Eaves
- ☐ Chimney (Back Side)
- ☐ Incline Wall  
(see Protrusions/Incline Walls)
- ☐ Low-Slope Roof to Wall

### 6. Windows

- ☐ Sill
- ☐ Jamb
- ☐ Head
- ☐ Trim
- ☐ Round/Arch Conditions

### 7. Doors

- ☐ Sill
- ☐ Jamb
- ☐ Head
- ☐ Trim
- ☐ Round/Arch Conditions

### 8. Penetrations

- ☐ Beams
- ☐ Electrical/Lighting/Square
- ☐ Plumbing/Electrical/Round
- ☐ Vent/Large
- ☐ Parapet/Wall Intersection
- ☐ Ledger/Shelf Angle
- ☐ Accessory/Decorative/  
Shades/Awnings/Signage

### 9. Soffits

- ☐ Intersection at Building  
(Three Plane)
- ☐ Outside Edge  
(Weather Exposed)
- ☐ Inside Edge  
(Not Weather Exposed)
- ☐ Headers/Arches

### 10. Parapet

- ☐ Cross-Section
- ☐ Outside End
- ☐ Wall Intersection  
(see Penetrations)

### 11. Recesses

- ☐ Outside Edge
- ☐ Outside Corner (Three Plane)
- ☐ Corner
- ☐ Inside Edge
- ☐ Inside Corner (Three Plane)

### 12. Protrusions/Incline Walls

- ☐ Outside Edge
- ☐ Outside Corner (Three Plane)
- ☐ Inside Wall to Slope (Section)
- ☐ Inside Wall to Slope  
(Three Plane)

### 13. Protrusions/Incline Walls

- ☐ Base
- ☐ Mid
- ☐ Top



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