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TABLE 2. CONDUCTIVITIES (k) AND CONDUCTANCES (C) OF BUILDING AND INSULATING MATERIALS—Continued

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Material	Description	DENSITY (LB PER Sq Ft)	MEAN TEMP (DEG FAHR)	CONDUCTIVITY OR CONDUCTANCE		RESISTANCE ($\frac{1}{k}$) or ($\frac{1}{C}$)	AUTHORITY
				(k)	(C)		
WOODS—(Continued)							
	Hard maple, 0 per cent moisture	46.0	75	1.05		0.95	(4)
	Maple	44.3	86	1.10		0.91	(1)
	Maple, across grain	40.0	75	1.20		0.83	(3)
	Norway pine, 0 per cent moisture	32.0	75	0.74		1.35	(4)
	Red cypress, 0 per cent moisture	32.0	75	0.79		1.27	(4)
	Red oak, 0 per cent moisture	48.0	75	1.18		0.85	(4)
	Short leaf yellow pine, 0 per cent moisture	38.0	75	0.91		1.10	(4)
	Soft elm, 0 per cent moisture	34.0	75	0.88		1.14	(4)
	Soft maple, 0 per cent moisture	42.0	75	0.95		1.05	(4)
	Sugar pine, 0 per cent moisture	28.0	75	0.64		1.56	(4)
	Virginia pine	34.3	86	0.96		1.04	(1)
	West coast hemlock, 0 per cent moisture	30.0	75	0.79		1.27	(4)
	White pine	31.2	86	0.78		1.28	(1)
	Yellow pine			1.00		1.00	(3)
	Sawdust, various	12.0	90	0.41		2.44	(1)
	Shavings, various from planer	8.8	90	0.41		2.44	(1)
	Shavings, from maple beech and birch (coarse)	13.2	90	0.36		2.78	(1)
INSULATING MATERIALS							
BLANKET AND BAT INSULATIONS							
	Chemically treated wood fibers held between layers of strong paper	3.62	70	0.25		4.00	(3)
	Eel grass between strong paper	4.60	90	0.26		3.85	(1)
	Eel grass between strong paper	3.40	90	0.25		4.00	(1)
	Flax fibers between strong paper	4.90	90	0.28		3.57	(1)
	Chemically treated hog hair between kraft paper	5.76	71	0.26		3.85	(3)
	Chemically treated hog hair between kraft paper and asbestos paper	7.70	71	0.28		3.57	(3)
	Hair felt between layers of paper	11.00	75	0.25		4.00	(3)
	Kapok between burlap or paper	1.00	90	0.24		4.17	(1)
	Stitched and creped expanding fibrous blanket	1.50	70	0.27		3.70	(3)
	Paper and asbestos fiber with emulsified asphalt binder	4.2	94	0.28		3.57	(1)
	Cotton insulating bat	0.875	72	0.24		4.17	(3)
	Felted cattle hair	13.00	90	0.26		3.84	(1)
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	Ground paper between two layers, each $\frac{1}{2}$ in. thick made up of two layers of kraft paper (sample $\frac{1}{2}$ in. thick)	7.80	90	0.28		3.57	(1)
	3 in. mineral wool bats, barrier lapped on warm side; horizontal position	12.1	75		0.40	2.50	(4)
	3 in. mineral wool bats, barrier laid on warm side; horizontal position	3.67		0.30		3.33	(4)
	3 in. mineral wool bats, barrier laid on warm side; horizontal position	2.24		0.26		3.84	(4)
	3 in. mineral wool bats, barrier laid on warm side; vertical position	2.24		0.25		4.00	(4)
	4 in. mineral wool bats, barrier lapped on warm side; horizontal position	3.0		0.31		3.22	(4)
	4 in. mineral wool bats, barrier lapped on warm side; vertical position	3.0		0.33		3.03	(4)
	4 in. mineral wool bats, no barriers; horizontal position	1.77		0.30		3.33	(4)
REFLECTIVE							
	See Table 1, Section C						
INSULATING BOARD							
	Made from sugar cane fiber	13.5	70	0.33		3.03	(3)
	Made from corn stalks	15.00	71	0.33		3.03	(3)
	Made from exploded wood fibers	17.90	78	0.32		3.12	(4)
	Made from hard wood fibers	15.20	70	0.32		3.12	(3)
	Made from wood fiber	15.90	72	0.33		3.03	(3)
	Made from wood fiber	15.00	70	0.33		3.03	(3)

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CHAPTER 4. HEAT TRANSMISSION COEFFICIENTS

TABLE 2. CONDUCTIVITIES (k) AND CONDUCTANCES (C) OF BUILDING AND INSULATING MATERIALS—Concluded

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INSULATING MATERIALS							
—Continued	Made from wood fiber.....	52	0.33		3.03	(6)	
INSULATING BOARD	Made from wood fiber.....	8.50	72	0.29		3.45	(3)
—Continued	Made from wood fiber.....	15.20	....	0.33	....	3.03	(3)
	Made from wood fiber.....	16.90	90	0.34	....	2.94	(1)
	Made from licorice root.....	16.1	81	0.34	....	2.94	(3)
	½ in. insulating boards without special finish (eleven samples).....	16.5	90	0.33	....	3.03	(1)
	to	21.8	....	0.40	....	2.50	to
	1 in. insulating board.....	13.2	....	0.34	....	2.94	(4)
LOOSE FILL TYPE.....							
	Made from ceiba fibers.....	1.90	75	0.23	....	4.35	(3)
	Made from ceiba fibers.....	1.60	75	0.24	....	4.17	(3)
	Fibrous material made from dolomite and silica.....	1.50	75	0.27	....	3.70	(3)
	Fibrous material made from slag.....	9.40	103	0.27	....	3.70	(1)
	Redwood bark.....	3.00	90	0.31	....	3.22	(1)
	Redwood bark.....	5.00	75	0.26	....	3.84	(3)
	Glass wool fibers 0.0003 in. to 0.006 in. in diameter.....	1.50	75	0.27	....	3.70	(3)
	Granular insulation made from combined silicate of lime and alumina.....	4.20	72	0.24	....	4.17	(3)
	Expanded vermiculite.....	....	....	0.48	....	2.08	(1)
	Expanded vermiculite, particle size— 3 + 14.....	6.2	....	0.32	....	3.12	(3)
	Regranulated cork about ¾ in. particles.....	18.10	90	0.31	....	3.22	(1)
	Hand applied granular mineral wool 2 in. to 6 in. thick; horizontal position ^a	6.05	....	0.30	....	3.33	(4)
	No covering.....	7.13	....	0.33	....	3.03	to
	4 in. machine blown granular mineral wool, horizontal position ^a . No covering.....	5.74	....	0.30	....	3.33	(4)
	Rock wool.....	10.0	90	0.27	....	3.70	(1)
SLAB INSULATIONS.....							
	Corkboard, no added binder.....	14.0	90	0.34	....	2.94	(1)
	Corkboard, no added binder.....	10.6	90	0.30	....	3.33	(1)
	Corkboard, no added binder.....	7.0	90	0.27	....	3.70	(1)
	Corkboard, no added binder.....	8.4	90	0.25	....	4.00	(1)
	Corkboard.....	8.7	....	0.29	....	3.45	(4)
	Corkboard, asphaltic binder.....	14.5	90	0.32	....	3.12	(1)
	Chemically treated hog hair with film of asphalt.....	10.0	75	0.28	....	3.57	(3)
	Sugar cane fiber insulation blocks en- cased in asphalt membrane.....	13.8	70	0.30	....	3.33	(3)
	Made from 85 per cent magnesia and 15 per cent asbestos.....	19.3	86	0.51	....	1.96	(1)
	Made from shredded wood and cement.....	24.2	72	0.46		2.17	(3)
	Made from shredded wood and cement ^a	29.8		0.77		1.30	(4)

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spaces, the position (vertical, horizontal or inclined) of the material in the structure must be taken into consideration. For example, the resistance to heat flow upward is about one-third that of downward flow in a horizontal position in the same construction, as will be apparent from Table 1, Section C. However, the difference between upward heat flow through single horizontal or sloping air spaces and through single vertical air spaces is comparatively small for the same temperature difference. Consequently the same conductance value (0.46) may be used for computing