

HURRICANE CONCRETE PAD FOR GENERAC GENERATORS (GENERAC UNITS)

LIMITS & REQUIREMENTS OF USE:

- 1) THE PAD AND THE SUPPORTED EQUIPMENT MUST BE LOCATED AT GROUND LEVEL. THIS TABLE DOES NOT APPLY TO ROOFTOP EQUIPMENT, EQUIPMENT LOCATED ON BALCONIES, OR ANY OTHER EQUIPMENT TO BE ELEVATED ABOVE GROUND LEVEL.
- 2) THE AREA UNDER CONCRETE SLAB ON GROUND SHALL HAVE ALL MATERIALS REMOVED PRIOR TO INSTALLATION ON COMPACTED SOIL AS VERIFIED BY OTHERS. MINIMUM SOIL COEFFICIENT OF FRICTION = 0.25
- 3) MAXIMUM DIMENSIONS AND WEIGHT OF GENERATORS UNIT SHALL CONFORM TO SPECIFICATIONS STATED HEREIN. PAD WEIGHT TO BE VERIFIED BY OTHERS.
- 4) ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT MANUFACTURER INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS SUPERSEDE HURRICANE PAD INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS IF MORE STRINGENT.
- 5) ELECTRICAL GROUND, WHEN REQUIRED, TO BE DESIGNED & INSTALLED BY OTHERS. ALL MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS (CLEAR SPACE, TONNAGE, ETC.) SHALL BE AS PER MANUFACTURER RECOMMENDATIONS AND ARE THE EXPRESS RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CONTRACTOR.
- 6) ENGINEER SEAL AFFIXED HERETO VALIDATES STRUCTURAL DESIGN AS SHOWN ONLY. USE OF THIS SPECIFICATION BY CONTRACTOR, et. al. INDEMNIFIES & SAVES HARMLESS THIS ENGINEER FOR ALL COST & DAMAGES INCLUDING LEGAL FEES & APPELLATE FEES RESULTING FROM MATERIAL FABRICATION, SYSTEM ERECTION, CONSTRUCTION PRACTICES BEYOND THAT WHICH IS CALLED FOR BY LOCAL, STATE, & FEDERAL CODES & FROM DEVIATIONS OF THIS PLAN.
- 7) THE ROLE OF THIS ENGINEER FOR THIS PROJECT IS THAT OF SPECIALTY ENGINEER AND NOT THE ENGINEER OF RECORD. CONSEQUENTLY, THE ARCHITECT/ENGINEER OF RECORD SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE INTEGRITY OF ALL SUPPORTING SURFACES TO THIS DESIGN WHICH SHALL BE COORDINATED BY THE PERMITTING CONTRACTOR.
- 8) THIS DOCUMENT IS GENERIC AND DOES NOT PERTAIN TO ANY SPECIFIC PROJECT SITE.
- 9) THIS ENGINEER SHALL NOT BE HELD RESPONSIBLE OR LIABLE IN ANY WAY FOR ERRONEOUS OR INACCURATE DATA OR MEASUREMENTS. DIMENSIONS ARE SHOWN TO ILLUSTRATE DESIGN FORCES AND OTHER DESIGN CRITERIA. THEY MAY VARY SLIGHTLY, BUT MUST REMAIN WITHIN THE LIMITATIONS SPECIFIED HEREIN.
- 10) THIS ENGINEER SHALL BE NOTIFIED AND GIVEN AN OPPORTUNITY TO RE-EVALUATE THIS WORK UPON DISCOVERY OF ANY INACCURATE INFORMATION PRIOR TO MODIFICATION OF EXISTING FIELD CONDITIONS AND FABRICATION AND INSTALLATION OF MATERIALS.
- 11) ALTERATIONS OR ADDITIONS TO THIS DOCUMENT ARE NOT PERMITTED AND INVALIDATE THIS CERTIFICATION.
- 12) EXCEPT AS EXPRESSLY PROVIDED HEREIN, NO ADDITIONAL CERTIFICATIONS OR AFFIRMATIONS ARE INTENDED.
- 13) PADS SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED WITH PRECAST CONCRETE, MINIMUM COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH, $f_c=7,000$ PSI AT 28 DAYS.
- 14) ALL OTHER UNITS NOT SHOWN SHALL BE DESIGNED ON A CASE BY CASE BASIS.
- 15) CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE 5/8" DIA. (0.675" O.D.) GALV. TUBE ASTM A53B SCH 40 MIN. OR 1/2" DIA. SOLID COPPER BAR SPIKE 4' MIN. EMBED. (SEE MIN. EMBED. AS PER CURRENT ELECTRICAL CODE, BY OTHERS) INTO GROUND THROUGH CONCRETE PAD FOR SLIDING RESISTANCE PURPOSE, 12 DIAMETERS EDGE DISTANCE FROM ANY CONCRETE FACE (NOT SHOWN).
- 16) PADS / UNITS INSTALLED DIRECTLY ON ANY COASTLINE REQUIRE A HEAVIER AND LARGER PAD TO ACCOUNT FOR EXPOSURE D ; Table 28.3-1; $K_z = 1.03$

ENGINEERING DATA:

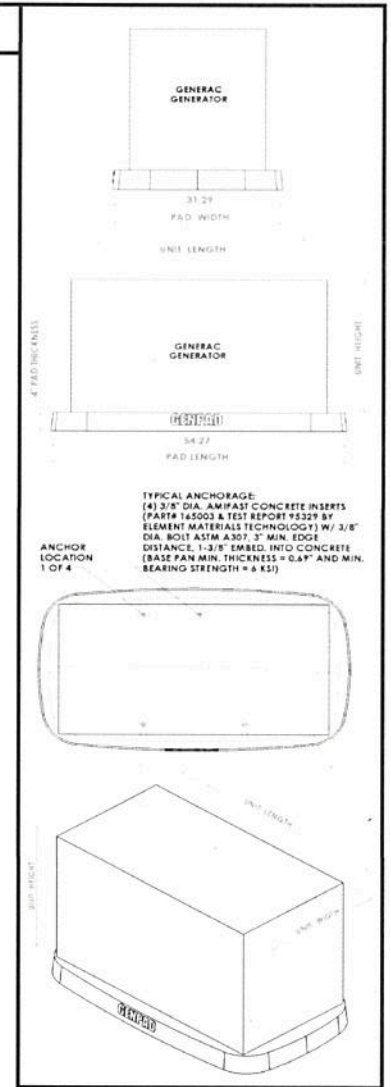
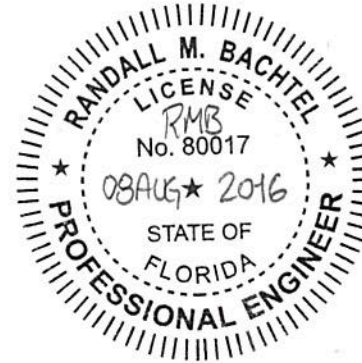
- 1) ANALYSES PER 5th EDITION (2014) FLORIDA BUILDING CODE - SECTION 1620 HIGH VELOCITY HURRICANE ZONES.
- 2) WIND LOADS & LOAD COMBINATIONS PER ASCE 7-10 SECTION 2.4.1 (LOAD COMBINATIONS), SECTION 29.5 & FIGURE 29.5.1 FOR: WIND LOADS ON OTHER STRUCTURES
- 3) RISK CATEGORY = II TABLE 1604.5 - RISK CATEGORY OF BUILDINGS AND OTHER STRUCTURES, SECTION 301.15 OF THE MECHANICAL CODE, WIND RESISTANCE, AND 553.844 OF THE FLORIDA STATUTES WIND STORM LOSS MITIGATION.
- 4) WIND LOAD:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Wind Speed } V &= 180 \text{ MPH (RISK CATEGORY II)} \\ F &= qz \cdot G \cdot C_p \cdot A_f \text{ (Eq. 29.5-2)} = 70.65 \text{ * } A_f \text{ (lbs)} \\ qz &= 0.00256 \cdot K_z \cdot K_{zt} \cdot K_d \cdot V^2 = 63.45 \text{ PSF} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Exposure C ; Table 28.3-1 } K_z = 0.85$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Figure 26.8-1 } K_{zt} &= 1.00 \\ \text{Table 26.6-1 } K_d &= 0.90 \\ \text{Figure 29.5-1 } C_f &= 1.31 \\ G &= 0.85 \end{aligned}$$

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	UNIT / EQUIPMENT			FG3154-4G PAD USED FOR ALL						180 MPH		0.6(UNIT+ PAD) WEIGHT LBS.	RESISTING MOMENT FT-LBS.	DESIGN CHECK		
	MAXIMUM DIMENSIONS INCHES			MINIMUM WEIGHT LBS.	MODEL NUMBER	WEIGHT LBS.	PAD WIDTH IN.	PAD LENGTH IN.	PAD THICK IN.	WIND LOAD LBS.	0.6(WIND MOMENT) FT-LBS.					
	WIDTH	LENGTH	HEIGHT													
GENERAC 8KW	25	48	29	360	FG3154-4G	275	31.3	54.3	4	683	632	381.0	497	OK FOR	160	MPH
GENERAC 10KW	25	48	29	407	FG3154-4G	275	31.3	54.3	4	683	632	409.2	533	OK FOR	165	MPH
GENERAC 14KW	25	48	29	435	FG3154-4G	275	31.3	54.3	4	683	632	426.0	555	OK FOR	169	MPH
GENERAC 17KW	25	48	29	431	FG3154-4G	275	31.3	54.3	4	683	632	423.6	552	OK FOR	168	MPH
GENERAC 17KW	25	48	29	471	FG3154-4G	275	31.3	54.3	4	683	632	447.6	584	OK FOR	173	MPH
GENERAC 20KW	25	48	29	516	FG3154-4G	275	31.3	54.3	4	683	632	474.6	619	OK FOR	178	MPH
GENERAC 22KW	25	48	29	526	FG3154-4G	275	31.3	54.3	4	683	632	480.6	627	OK FOR	179	MPH