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### STANDARD FOR AIR BARRIER MATERIALS – SPECIFICATION

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ULC is pleased to announce the publication of CAN/ULC-S741-08, the First Edition of Standard for Air Barrier Materials - Specification. This Standard has been approved by the ULC Committee on Air Barrier Materials and Systems (S700B), and has been published with the date of December 2008.

This Standard sets forth minimum requirements for air barrier materials used in building applications to restrict airflow through insulations and assemblies. The Standard covers air barrier material types generally and hence includes membranes, sprayed and/or foamed plastics and panels.

The Standard describes air permeance testing and reporting requirements, as well as water vapour transmission testing and water vapour permeability reporting requirements for materials that are not otherwise tested for this characteristic within the scope of an existing standard.

This Standard provides detailed requirements for the air leakage characteristics of air barrier materials before and after conditioning, together with the conditioning methods.

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This standard can be ordered for \$228.00 CAN (Hardcopy) from the ULC website ([www.ulc.ca](http://www.ulc.ca)) ULC online store.

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