March 2023

Two Way FRR

<u>4</u> Layers: 2 Layers of Plasterboard to each side of frame

Single **T**imber Frame

System Number	Lining Suffix	Fire Rating	Load Bearing Ability	Noise Control		Lining Requirement	
				STC	Rw		
E4T105	-M52	105/105/105	LB	44	43	2 x 13mm Elephant MultiSmart on One side 2 x 13mm Elephant MultiSmart to Other side	

Framing

E4T105

Framing to comply with relevant sections and clauses of NZBC B1: Structure and NZBC B2: Durability.

Studs at 600mm centres maximum.

Nogs at 1200mm centre maximum.

Wall Height, Load and Framing Dimensions

These are determined by NZS3604 stud tables for load bearing or nonload bearing partitions.

Plasterboard Lining

Two layers of 13mm Elephant MultiSmart lining on each side of the timber framing. Vertical or Horizontal fixing permitted. Use full height or full length sheets where possible.

For Vertical Fixing- the vertical sheet joints must be offset on the opposite side of the frame and staggered between layers.

For Horizontal Fixing- the horizontal sheet joints on the opposite side of the frame can be formed over the same row of nogs and must be staggered between layers.

Optionally, inner layers can be fixed vertically and outer layers fixed horizontally.

Sheet end butt joints- must be formed over framing, offset from opposite side of the frame and staggered between layers.

All sheet joints must be fixed over solid timber framing. Sheets shall be touch fitted.

Fixing of Linings

Fasteners

	Side	One	Side Two					
System Number	1 st Layer	2 nd Layer	1 st Layer	2 nd Layer				
	High Thread Drywall Screws							
E4TL105-M52	13mm	13mm	13mm	13mm				
E41L103-W3Z	41 x 6g	51 x 7g	41 x 6g	51 x 7g				

Non Load Bearing

Fastener Centres

Inner Layer: Fix 600mm centres at sheet perimeters and on top and bottom plates. Fix at 600mm up each stud.

Outer Layer: Fix at 300mm centres at sheet perimeters and on top and bottom plates and 300mm centres up each stud.

Place fasteners 50mm from sheet corners along the top and bottom plates. On end studs place additional fasteners 50-60mm vertically and no close than 10mm from plate to stud connections.

Place fasteners no closer than 12mm from the sheet edges and 18mm from sheet ends.

Place fasteners at 200mm centres where sheet end butt joints occur.

Avoid outer layer screws from hitting inner layer screws.

Jointing

Inner Layer: Unstopped

Outer Layer: All fastener heads stopped and all sheet joints reinforced with paper jointing tape and stopped. All in accordance with Elephant Plasterboard Installation Guide.

