





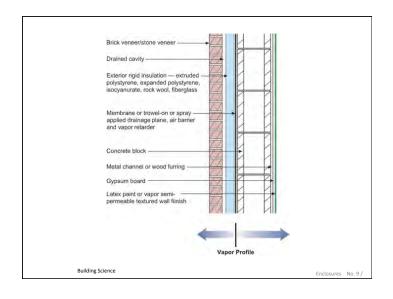
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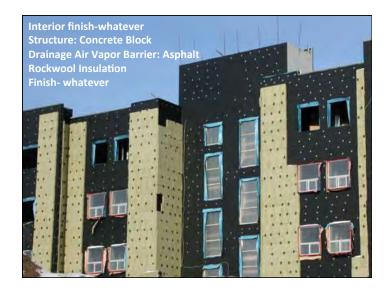










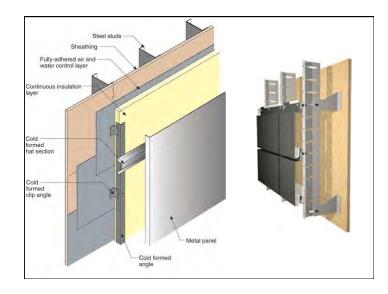


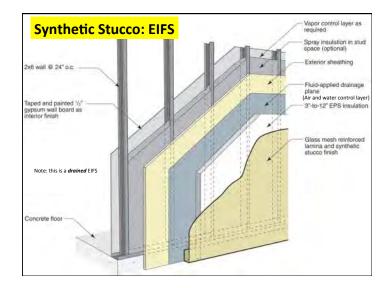






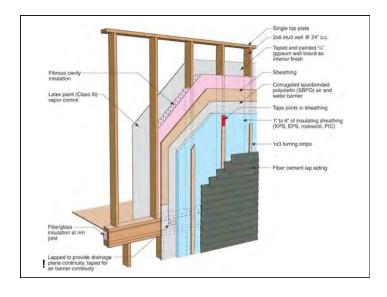


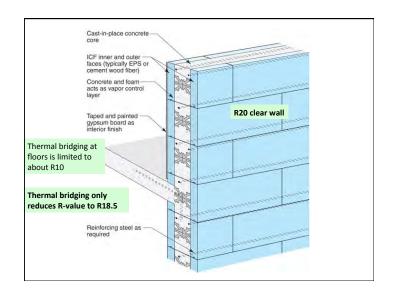




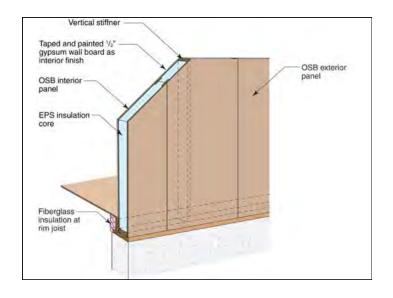
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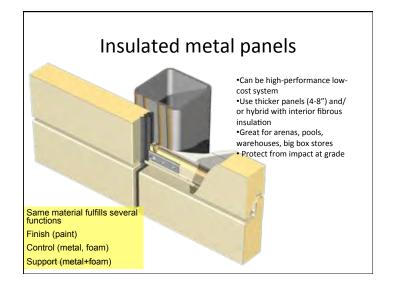


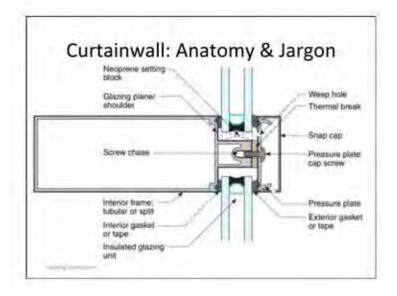


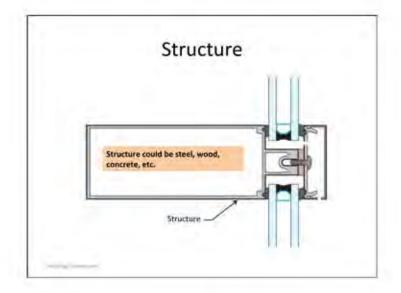
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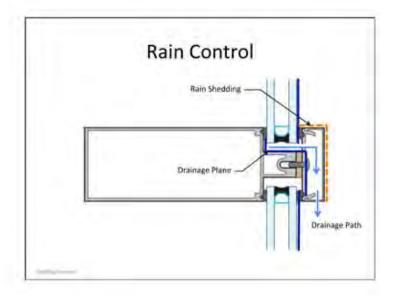
- Advantages
 - Superior blanket of insulation
 - if no voids then no convection or windwashing
 - May seal OSB joints for excellent air barrier system
- Therefore, done right = excellent
- Small air leaks at joints in roofs can cause problems
- Don't get them too wet from rain
 - Low perm layers means limited drying
 - Always use drained / ventilated cladding! Stucco!

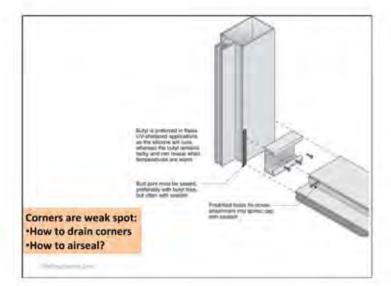
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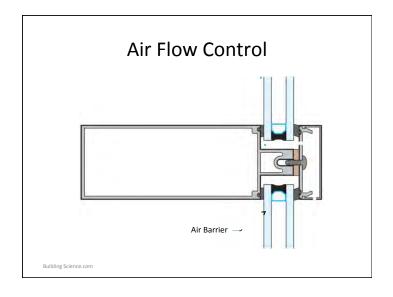


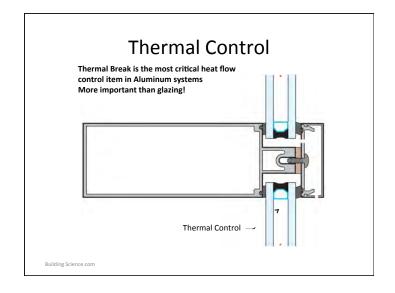


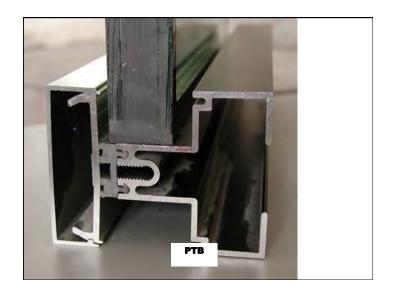


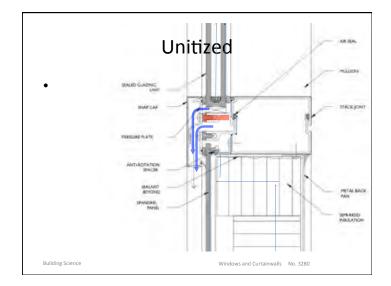


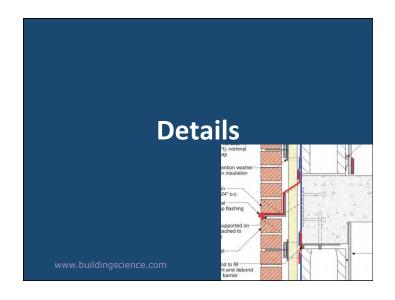
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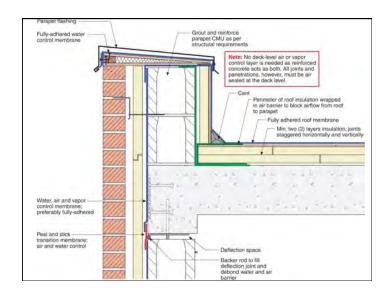


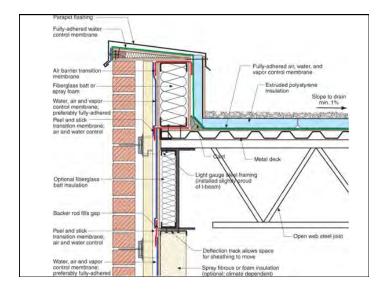


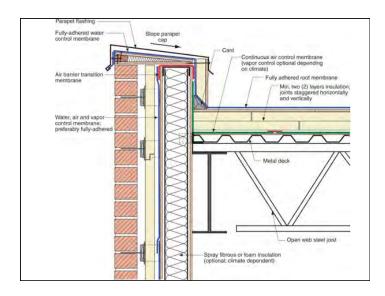
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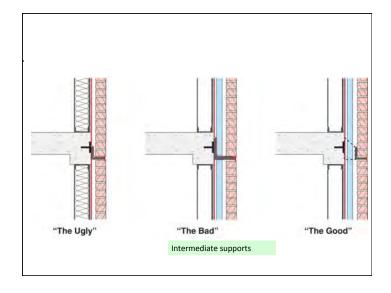
- Integration of penetrations and transitions is critical
 - Must maintain continuity of rain, air, thermal and vapor control through the transition!
 - Exposure and performance expectations guide designers level of compromise

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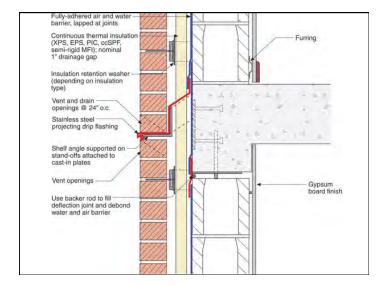




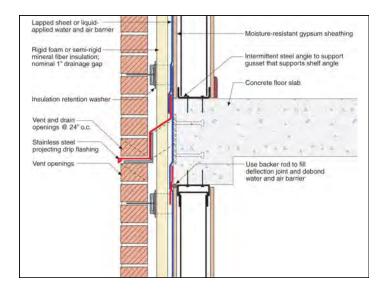


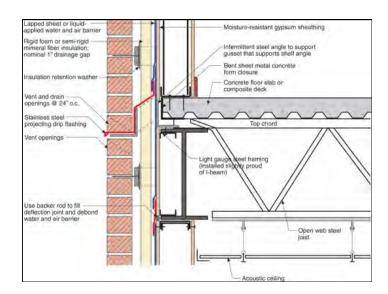


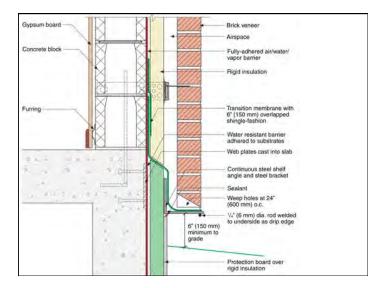


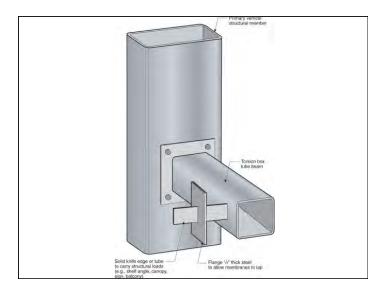


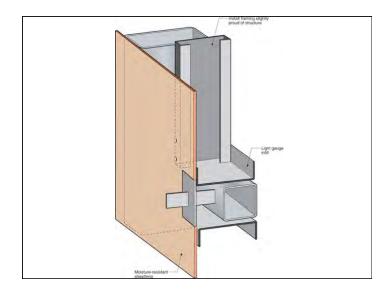


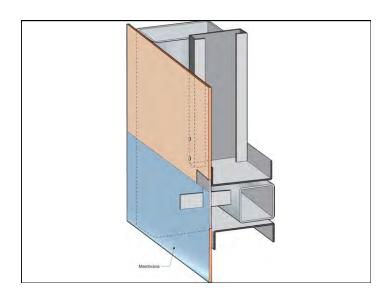


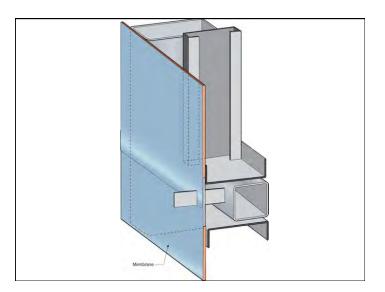






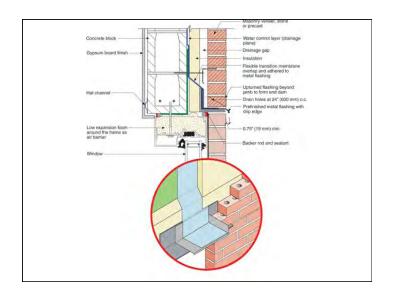


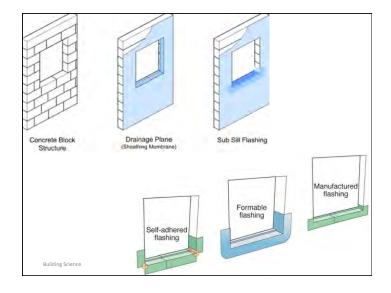




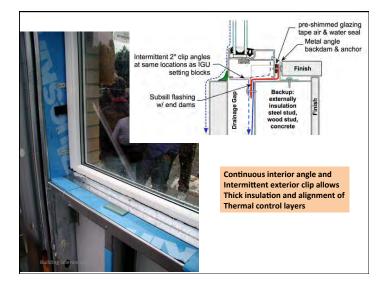
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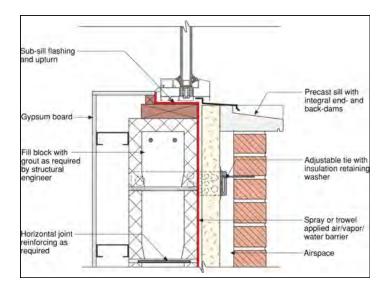
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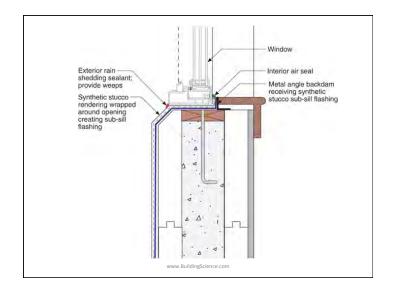


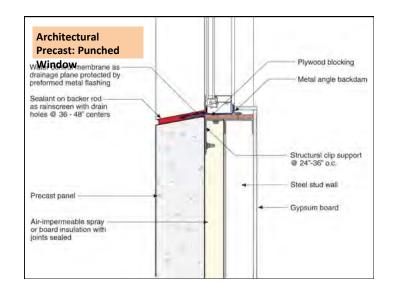


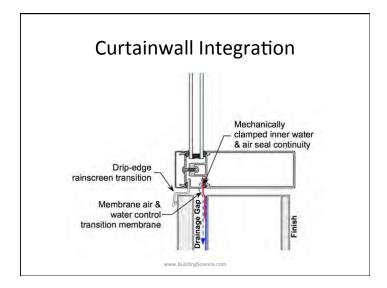


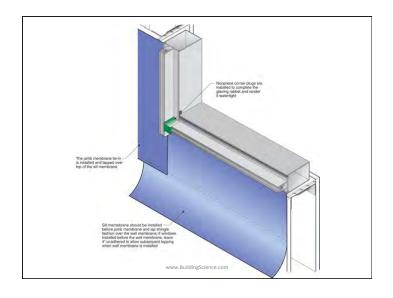


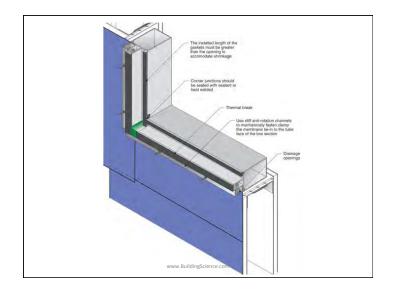


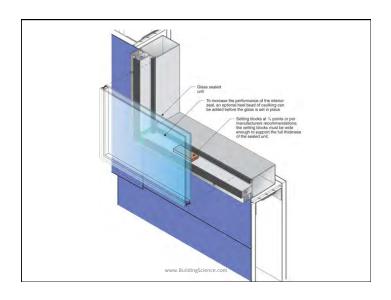


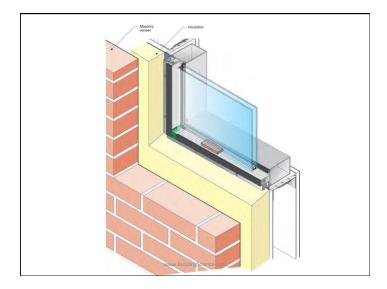




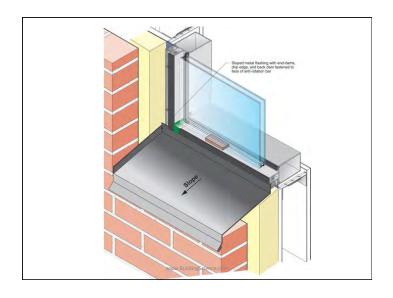


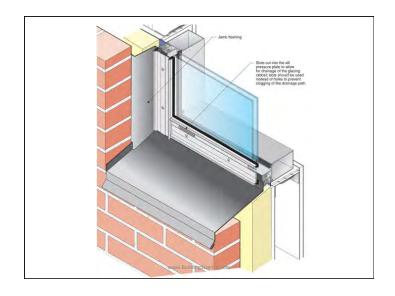


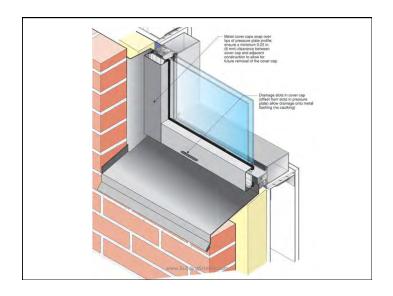


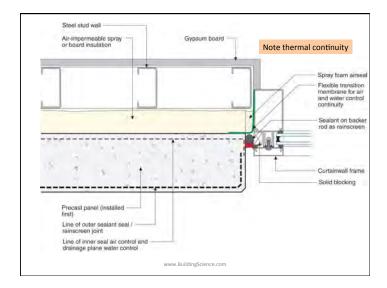


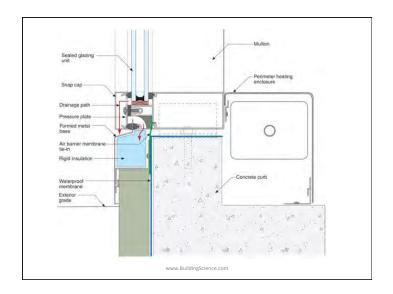
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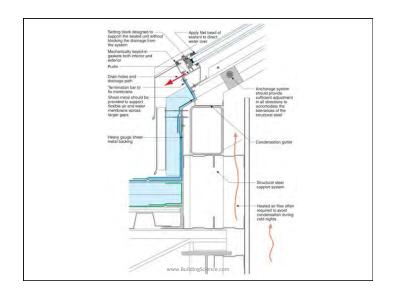


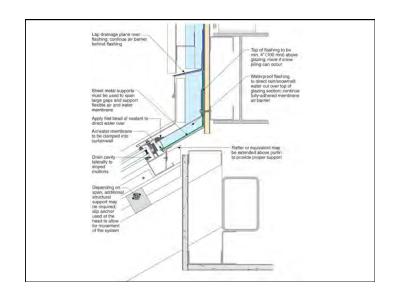


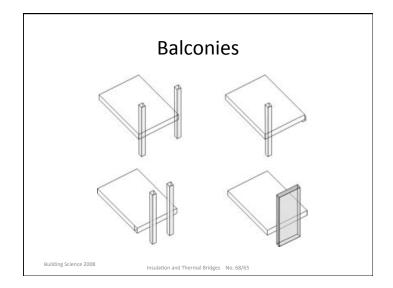












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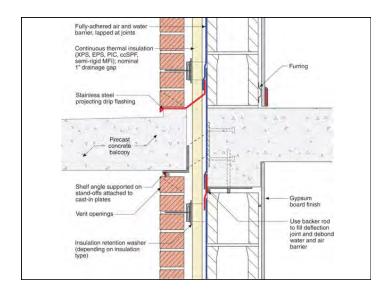


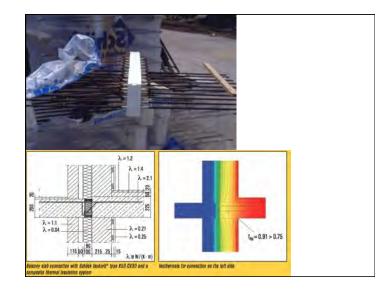


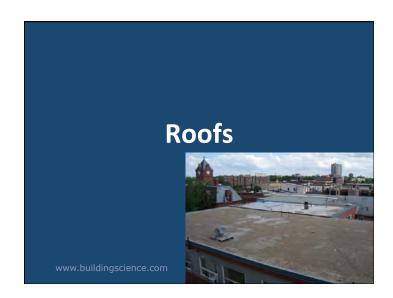


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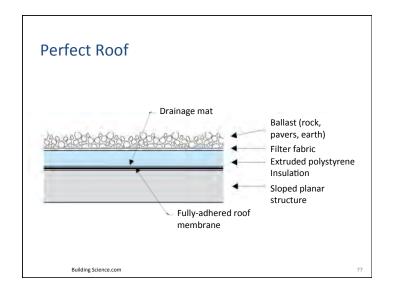


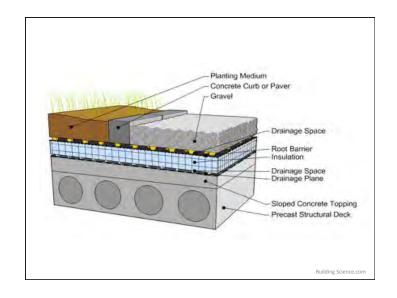


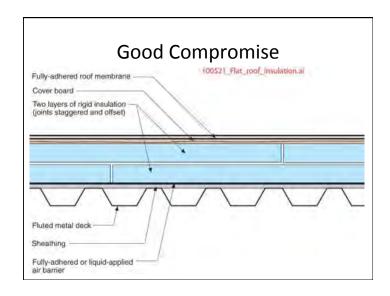
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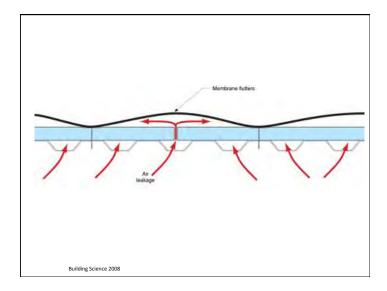
- Not flat. Ponding is not acceptable.
- Get water right, then worry about energy!
- Components
 - Rain barrier is roof membrane
 - Drainage gap is the outdoors
 - Air barrier can be roof membrane
 - Better to install interior
 - Insulation is rigid, polyiso, XPS, EPS, rockwool

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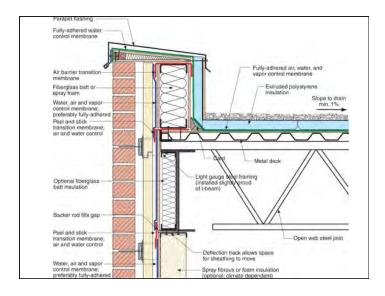


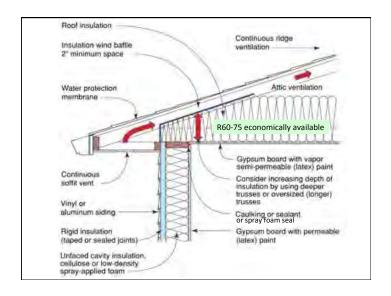


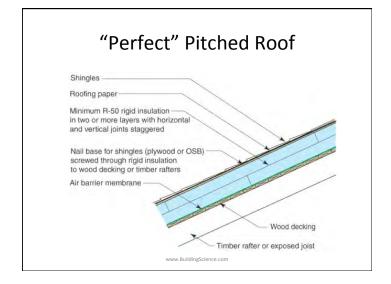




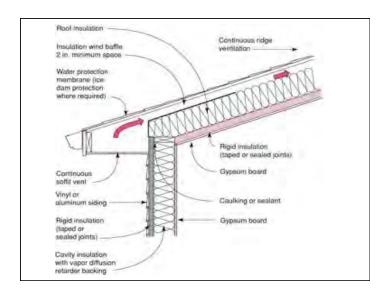








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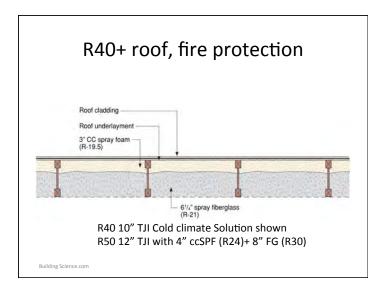


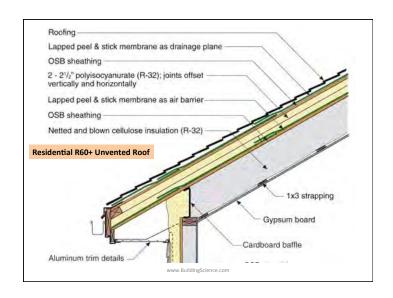


Unvented Cathedralized Attics

- Move air and insulation control from ceiling plane to roof plane
- Moves HVAC into conditioned space
 - Saves lots of energy, reduce problems with comfort, extends life of equipment
- Avoids wind blown rain, snow, and burning wildfire embers

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Summary

- · High-performance enclosures
- Continuous & high levels
 - Rain
 - Air
 - Thermal
 - Vapor
- Now add high performance HVAC

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Top Ten List

Commercial and institutional mid-size buildings, Canadian climates

- Limit window-to-wall ratio (WWR) to the range of 20-40%, 50% with ultra-performance windows
- Increase window performance (lowest U-value affordable in cold climates, including frame effects)
- Increase wall/roof insulation (esp. by controlling thermal bridging) and airtighten
- · Separate ventilation air supply from heating and cooling.
- Use occupancy and daylighting controls for lights and equipment
- · Reduce equipment/plug & lighting power densities
- Don't over ventilate, use heat recovery & demand controlled ventilation
- Improve boiler and chiller efficiency & recover waste heat (eg IT rooms!)
- Use variable speed controls for all large pumps and fans and implement low temperature hydronic heating and cooling where appropriate.
- Use a simple and compact building form, oriented to the sun, with a depth that allows daylight harvesting.

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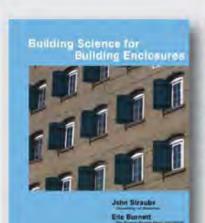
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