



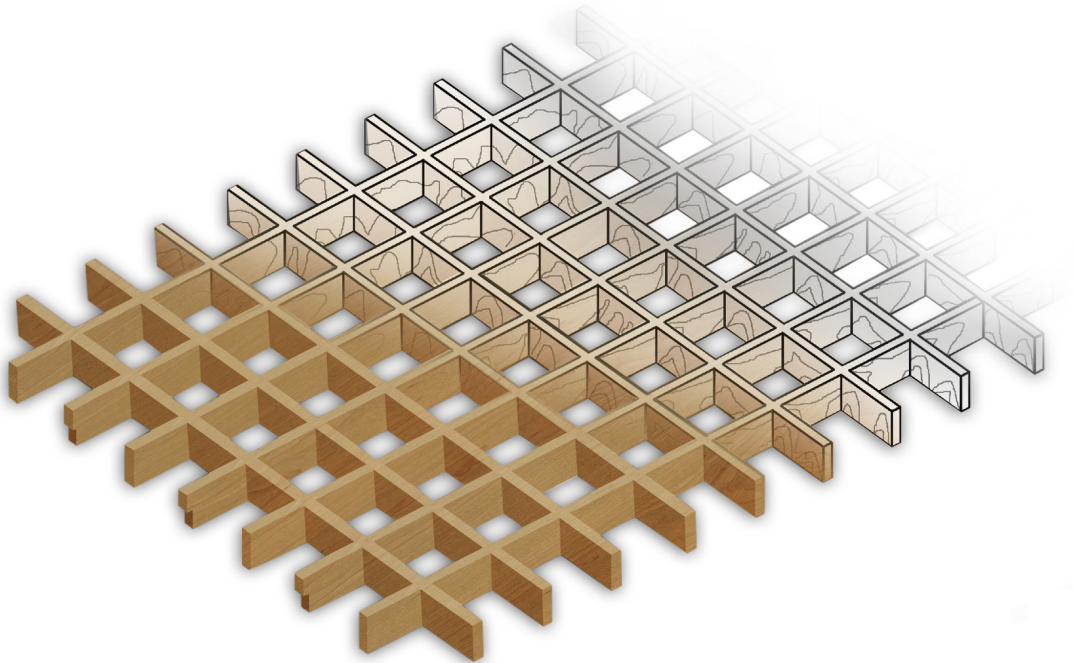
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## CUBES DATA SHEET

System: Cubes | Style: Continuous



### OVERVIEW



### SYSTEM

Continuous Cubes are cell-like assembled panels that fit into a wood grid system. Wood segments are suspended perpendicular to each other, interlocking vertically to create the cell-like structure. Continuous Cube panels are supported by a wood grid manufactured and supplied by Rulon from wood main runners and cross tees that match the cube panels in color and profile. The 2' x 4' panels drop into the wood grid assembly, creating a monolithic ceiling appearance. Standard cell sizes are available in 3", 4", 6" and 8" modules. Standard cell depths are 2", 3" and 4". Wood segments are 3/4" thick. Continuous Cubes are available in solid wood or veneer..



## TECHICAL DATA



### ENGINEERING CONSIDERATIONS

Continuous Cubes are manufactured at Rulon's plant in St. Augustine, FL. All shop drawings and coordination details are produced by Rulon's engineering staff.



### ACCESSIBILITY

Continuous Cubes are a fully-accessible Rulon ceiling system. Wood mains and cross-ees are suspended using screw eyes and #12 Gauge hanger wire. Continuous Cube panels are drop-in.



### ACOUSTICS

Continuous Cubes are manufactured with or without fabric backing, allowing sound to pass through the space between wood slats to the plenum space beyond. Continuous Cubes are acoustically transparent.



### SUSTAINABILITY

Continuous Cubes may contribute as required to the following LEED v4 credits: **MR BPD&O - Sourcing of Raw Materials**, **MR BPD&O - Material Ingredients**, **EQ Low-Emitting Materials**, **EQ Minimum Acoustic Performance**.



### FIRE PERFORMANCE

Continuous Cubes can be treated to meet **Class A** requirements as per ASTM E-84. Solid wood is treated with a finish additive; veneers are applied to an FR (Fire Rated) core (typically MDF or Particleboard).



### SEISMIC

Continuous Cubes meets seismic code compliance via direct screw attachment to heavy duty grid. Local code requirements should be consulted in order to determine additional requirements.



### INTEGRATIONS

Continuous Cubes can be easily trimmed in-field to accommodate MEP integrations. Touch-up finish and edgebanding is supplied to veneer and seal cut edges. In-factory cutouts can be achieved with dedicated coordination and in conjunction with the [Integrated Lighting<sup>D</sup>](#) program at Rulon.



### GENERAL COSTING

Continuous Cubes are typically a moderately priced system depending on the material and manufacturing requirements. Continuous Cubes qualifies as \$\$\$\$ on the general costing scale. Local reps should be contacted in order to obtain a project-specific budget.



## SPECIFICATION

### COMPONENTS

#### HANGERS

#12- gauge wire hangers, braided wire, or aircraft cable (contractor-supplied).

#### SUSPENSION SYSTEM

Continuous Cubes are supported by wooden main and cross rails provided by Rulon as part of the system. The wooden rails are formed into a grid, into which the drop-in panels are inserted. The rails match the species, finish and size of the main and cross rails.

#### ATTACHMENT

Continuous Cubes are attached to #12- gauge wire hangers, braided wire, or aircraft cable via contractor-installed eyelets.

#### PROFILES

Continuous Cubes are manufactured in 2'x 4' sections and come in standard cell sizes of 3" [76 mm], 4" [102 mm], 6" [152 mm], and 8" [203 mm]. Standard wood members are 3/4" [19 mm] thick by 2" [51 mm], 3" [76 mm], or 4" [102 mm] high. Custom sizes are available.

#### CONDITIONS

Ceiling termination at a wall or soffit is accomplished by using an unnotched blade and blocking/furring by the contractor.

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## WOOD SELECTIONS

#### WOOD SPECIES

Rulon Panel Grilles may be specified in a variety of wood species. Panel Grilles may be specified in a variety of wood types. Current standard wood species are: Ash, Maple, Red Oak, White Oak, Beech, Poplar, and Cherry. [Thermally Modified](#)<sup>1</sup> wood species are also available. Standard veneer wood species are: Ash, Maple, Walnut, Red Oak, White Oak, Anigre, Beech, Bamboo, and Cherry. Premium veneers and non-wood laminates are available.

#### TEXTURES

Standard surface texture is smooth-sawn. Faces are sanded.

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## FINISHES

#### WOOD FINISHES

Standard finish is satin clear. Custom stains, opaque or semi-transparent colors are also available. All finishes are water based, low VOC-emitting, and do not contain solvents.



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### **SPECIFICATION**

#### **SHIPPING & STORAGE**

##### **SHIPPING**

Continuous Cubes are shipped in shrink wrap packaging, with no more than two (2) panels per bundle. Continuous Cube backs are placed together to prevent marring of faces.

##### **STORAGE**

Continuous Cubes shall be stored flat and level, in a fully enclosed space away from sunlight or moisture. For a minimum of seventy-two (72) hours immediately prior to ceiling installation, the packaging shall be opened and the panels shall be stored in the room in which they will be installed. The temperature and humidity of the room shall closely approximate those conditions that will exist when the building is occupied. Panels must be stored off the floor.

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#### **COORDINATION**

##### **TEMPERATURE & HUMIDITY**

System shall be installed only when the temperature and humidity closely approximate the interior conditions that will exist when the building is occupied. Heating and cooling systems shall be operating before, during, and after installation, with the humidity of the interior spaces maintained between 25 and 55 percent, and a temperature between 60 to 90 degrees F.



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### **NOTES**

- ▯ The Integrated Lighting program at Rulon is in partnership with GE Lighting and is an effort to coordinate MEPs more effectively and provide for a more streamlined process of integration. In practice, this effort begins with factory cutouts to accommodate light fixtures.
- ▯ Thermally modified wood has been altered by a controlled process called pyrolysis which induces chemical changes to the cellular structure of the cell wall components of the wood material through heat to increase durability, shrink/swell factor, and biological resistance.