



MOLD & FUNGI RESISTANCE OF INSULATING MATERIALS (FIBERGLASS)

Fiberglass does not breed or promote fungal growth. All fiberglass typically utilized by member companies is resistant to fungal growth and complies with ASTM C 1338, "Standard Test Method for Determining Fungi Resistance of Insulating Materials and Facings."

Since mold spores exist in almost every environment, according to the Environmental Protection Agency, the key to mold control is moisture control.

Proper care should be taken prior to installation. Insulation should be kept dry, off the ground, and protected from water in accordance with ASTM C1320 recommendations.

Please review the North American Insulation Manufacturer's Association's (NAIMA) Insulation Facts #70, "**Fiber Glass Building Insulation Products: The Facts About Mold Growth**". For additional information on this subject, contact George Phelps of NAIMA at 703-684-0084 or visit their website at www.naima.org.

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