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Standard Practice for Dimensions of a Modular Series of Refractory Brick and Shapes¹

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1. Scope

- 1.1 This practice covers the dimensions for rectangular and tapered brick in common usage in the United States.
- 1.2 The dimensions are modular based on 38 mm as the basic module as described in Practice C 861.

2. Referenced Documents

2.1 ASTM Standards: ²

C 861 Practice for Determining Metric Dimensions of Stan-

dard Series Refractory Brick and Shapes IEEE/ASTM SI 10 American National Standard for Use of the International System of Units (SI): The Modern Metric System

3. Significance and Use

- 3.1 The dimensions listed in this practice represent the dimensions of rectangular and tapered refractory shapes manufactured and used in the United States.
- 3.2 The modular concept of dimensions permits a versatile arrangement of bonding during the construction of masonry units.

4. Standard Dimensions

- 4.1 Table 1 lists the standard nominal dimensions for straight, split, soap, arch, wedge, and key brick.
- 4.2 Table 2 lists the standard nominal dimensions for key brick for oxygen steelmaking furnaces.

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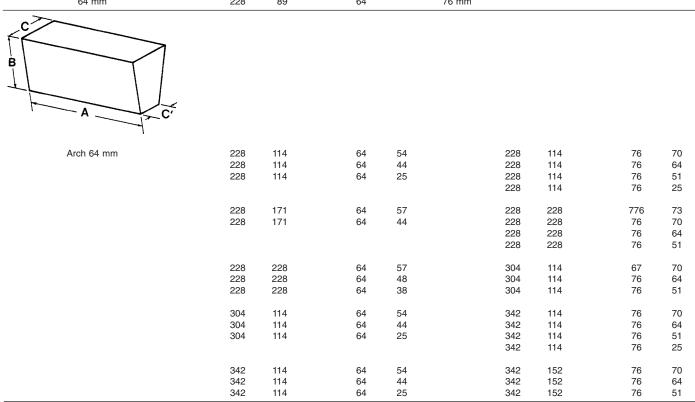
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TABLE 1 Standard Dimensions, mm

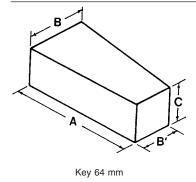
Note—It is recognized there are brick sizes, designated by the International Standards Organization, whose dimensions closely approximate some of the shapes shown in Table 1.

Name	Α	В	B'	С	C′	Name	Α	В	B′	С	C′
B											
Straight 64mm	228 228 228 228	114 152 171 228		64 64 64 64			228 228 228 228	114 152 171 228		76 76 76 76	
	304 342	114		64		Straight 76 mm	304 304	114 152		76 76	
	342	114 152		64 64			342 342	114 152		76 76	
Split						Split	228 228 228 228	114 114 114 114		51 38 32 25	
Soap 64 mm	228 228	57 89		64 64		Soap 76 mm	228	57		76	



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Name	Α	В	B'	С	C′	Name	Α	В	B'	С	C'
B C'											
Wedge 64 mm	228 228 228	114 114 114		64 64 64	57 48 38		228 228 228 228	114 114 114 114		76 76 76 76	73 70 64 51
	228 228 228	171 171 171		64 64 64	57 48 38	Wedge 76 mm	228 228 228 228	171 171 171 171		76 76 76 76	73 70 64 51
							304 304 304 304	114 114 114 114		76 76 76 76	73 70 64 51
							342 342 342 342	114 114 114 114		76 76 76 76	73 70 64 51
	342 342	114 114		64 64	48 38		342 342 342 342	152 152 152 152		76 76 76 76	73 70 64 51



228	114	102	64		228	114	102	76	
228	114	89	64		228	114	89	76	
228	114	76	64		228	114	76	76	
228	114	57	64		228	114	57	76	
					228 ^A	145	130	76	
					228 ^A	150	144	76	
228	152	137	64	Key	228	152	137	76	
228	152	122	64	76 mm	228	152	122	76	
228	152	76	64		228	152	76	76	
					304	152	143	76	
					304	152	140	76	
					304	152	127	76	
					304	152	114	76	
					342 ^A	152	144	76	
					342 ^A	152	130	76	
342	152	127	64		342	152	127	76	
342	152	111	64		342	152	111	76	
342	152	76	64		342	152	76	76	

^AAll-key blast furnace lining shapes.

TABLE 2 Standard Brick for Oxygen Steelmaking Furnaces, mm

	Α	В	B'	С
, B				
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A				
B				
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	380	152	152	76
	380	152	140	76
	380	152	127	76 76
	380	152	102	76
	456	152	152	76
	456	152	140	76 76
	456	152	127	76
	456	152	102	76 76
	532	152	152	76
	532	152	140	76
	532 532	152 152	127	76 76
	532	152	102	70
	608	152	152	76
	608	152	140	76 76
	608	152	127	76 76
	608	152	102	76
	0.40	450	450	70
	648 648	152 152	152 140	76 76
	684	152	127	76 76
	684	152	102	76 76 76
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	760	152	152	76
	760 760	152 152	140	76
	760	152	127	76 76 76 76
	760	152	102	76

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