Dimensional Lumber Secured by Wood Floor Blocking

Unitized dimensional lumber loaded longitudinal, two wide, alternately stowed along the container sidewalls for intermodal service. Lading is loaded from the front endwall, product-to-product contact without any longitudinal voids.

Stacks 8’ in length or less must have minimum 2 – 5/8” packaging bands approximately two feet from each end, lengths longer than 8’ must have minimum of 3 – 5/8” packaging bands of sufficient strength equally spaced (bands should be approximately four feet apart).

For units 8’ in length or shorter, apply 2”x 6” x 36” side blocking to center of unit on side with lateral void. For units 10’ or longer, apply 2” x 6” x 24” side blocking on each end of unit on side with lateral void.

Floor blocking in doorway consists of 2 - 2” x 6” laminated boards (equal to width of lading) with 3 - 2” x 6” x 18” laminated back-up cleats.

Floor blocking should be securely nailed to the trailer floor and must penetrate the trailer floor to a depth of 1” or more. The nails should be applied in a staggered pattern, 4-6” apart.
UNITIZED STACKS OF LUMBER STOWED LONGITUDINAL

2 - 1¼" X .031 STEEL UNITIZING BANDS PER STACK

2" x 6" x 24" SIDE BLOCKING APPLIED TO EACH END OF 10+ FOOT LENGTH BUNDLE IN LATERAL VOID

LAMINATED 2” x 6” x 96” CROSS BLOCKING WITH 2” x 6” X 18” LAMINATED BACK-UP CLEATS

ALTERNATIVE
2” x 6” x 36” SIDE BLOCKING APPLIED TO CENTER OF 8 FOOT LENGTH OR LESS BUNDLE IN LATERAL VOID

SHIPPER RESPONSIBLE FOR PROPER WEIGHT DISTRIBUTION