

Safety Short

Traditionally Framed Structure



Definition: Typically constructed on concrete walls. Side walls are vertical and framed using traditional framing techniques. Roof is framed using clear span trusses.

Typical Hazards:

- Vegetation Growth against the building
- Sand/Salt stored against metal walls
- Rust and Corrosion
- Holes and/or Penetrations
- Equipment strikes to structure

- Overfilling
- Snow Load
- Foundation Cracks/Exposed Rebar

Owner Considerations:

- Maintain clear access around the building
- Do not exceed fill line when loading
- Keep Sand/Salt away from metal components

- Inspect at least twice a year, before and after winter
- Ensure property is secured when not in use
- If feasible, remove accumulating snow piles from the sides of the building

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