

# Type AHS & AHD AASHTO H20-44 ALUMINUM FLOOR ACCESS DOORS

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# **VENDOR DATA**

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# MATERIAL DATA SHEET

- 1. Door leaf shall be ¼-in. thick mill finish aluminum diamond pattern plate, reinforced with aluminum channels to achieve an AASHTO H20-44 wheel load rating.
- 2. Frame members shall be minimum  $\frac{1}{4}$ -in. thick 6063-T5 mill finish aluminum extrusion.
- 3. The following items shall be Type 316 Stainless Steel: hinges, hold-open arm, slamlock and all attaching hardware.
- 4. Units shall carry a Ten (10) year Guarantee against defects in material and/or workmanship.

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### **STANDARD FEATURES:**

316 stainless steel hold-open arms with secondary latch mechanism/release handle

316 stainless steel hinges and tamper resistant attaching hardware

Cast aluminum lift handle

316 stainless steel open horizontal springs

316 stainless steel watertight slam lock with threaded plug

Single or double leaf construction

AASHTO H20-44 wheel load rating

10 Year warranty against defects in material and workmanship

Adhesive backed vinyl covering to protect the cover during shipping and installation.

## Type AHS & AHD

#### AASHTO H20-44 ALUMINUM FLOOR ACCESS DOORS

#### **SPECIFICATION**

The floor access door shall be Model AHS (single leaf) or AHD (double leaf) as manufactured by U.S.F. Fabrication, Inc. with the size being specified on the plans.

Door leaf(s) shall 1/4-inch thick aluminum diamond plate reinforced to an AASHTO H20-44 live wheel load (The floor access door is designed for off-street locations that may occasionally receive AASHTO H20-44 wheel loads).

The frame shall be minimum ¼" thick extruded aluminum with an integral anchor flange and door seat on all four sides.

The floor access door shall be equipped with a flush lifting handle that does not protrude above the cover, and a 316 stainless steel hold open arm with a secondary latching mechanism/release handle that secures the cover in its full upright, open position.

The door shall have 316 stainless steel hinges with 316 stainless steel tamper resistant bolts/locknuts.

The door shall have stainless steel open horizontal springs to assist in opening the cover and reducing the force during closing.

The door shall be equipped with a 316 stainless steel watertight slam lock with threaded plug, removable outside key and fixed inside handle. The slam lock latches onto a 316 stainless steel striker plate that is bolted to the frame.

All parts of the frame in contact with the concrete shall have a coating of bituminous paint.

An adhesive backed vinyl material that protects the product during shipping and installation shall cover the entire top of the frame and cover.

Installation shall be in accordance with the manufacturer's attached instructions. The door shall be manufactured and assembled in the United States.

Manufacturer shall guarantee the door against defects in materials and workmanship for a period of ten (10) years.

# Type AHS & AHD

#### AASHTO H20-44 ALUMINUM FLOOR ACCESS DOORS

#### STORAGE, HANDLING, INSTALLATION and MAINTENANCE

#### STORAGE:

Prior to installation floor access doors should be stored in a dry area that is free of dirt and debris. Floor access doors should be stored on the original shipping pallets.

#### HANDLING:

Standard practice precautions should be taken whenever handling or moving palletized floor access doors by forklift.

### **INSTALLATION:**

For proper installation, U.S.F. Fabrication, Inc. recommends the following:

- 1. Form work must be flush to the inside of frame.
- 2. Secure unit to formwork using standard construction practices.
- 3. When pouring concrete, cover should be in the closed position.
- 4. Concrete to finish flush with top of unit framework.
- 5. Unit shall be left in framework for not less than 24 hours.
- 6. Clean all excess concrete from frame, cover seat; and in the case of a trough type frame, the drainage coupling.

## MAINTENANCE:

Since all components of the floor access doors manufactured by U.S.F. Fabrication, Inc. are manufactured of aluminum or stainless steel, they require minimal maintenance. For optimum product life the manufacturer recommends the following procedures be performed annually:

- 1. Apply graphite to the interior of all locking devices.
- 2. Apply a light coating of machine oil to all hinges and hardware.
- 3. Remove all debris from the cover seat and around hinges.
- 4. Check and tighten any loose hardware.
- 5. In the case of a trough frame model, remove loose debris from the trough.

**QP1090-1 LIMITED WARRANTY** 

**USF Fabrication Inc.** warrants the following products against defects in material or

workmanship from the time of delivery:

• Steel Hatches and Access Doors- 5 years

• Aluminum Hatches and Access Doors- 10 years

• Miscellaneous Fabrication- 1 year

USF Fabrication Inc. will pay labor and standard freight costs for warranty service for

the product warranty period from the time of delivery.

USF Fabrication Inc. sole obligation under said warranty is to repair, or at its option,

replace the defective part. The buyer shall have no other remedy. All special,

incidental and consequential damages are excluded.

The warranty shall be voided by alterations of equipment except by USF Fabrication

Inc., or tampering with, improper installation or maintenance, accident or misuse. This

warranty expressly excludes all damage to these products resulting from careless or

neglectful transportation.

USF Fabrication Inc. will not be responsible for any warranty work done without first

obtaining USF Fabrication's written consent.

Except as provided herein, USF Fabrication Inc. shall have no LIABILITY OR

RESPONSIBILITY to customer or any other person or entity with respect of liability, loss

or damage, or alleged to be caused directly or indirectly by our products.

For Warranty service, customers must contact USF Fabrication Inc. - Customer Service

Department Toll free at 1-800-258-6873.

This warranty gives you - the Consumer specific legal rights, and you may also have

other rights which vary from state to state.

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