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PAC INTERNATIONAL, LLC.

## 1. Product Name

- RSIC-1 TTC Resilient Sound Clip System

## **RSIC-1 TTC**

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## 3. Product Description

### **RSIC-1 Retro**

The RSIC-1 TTC is designed for use with any wood-framed, steel-framed, CMU, or concrete wall and ceiling system where noise control is needed. The RSIC-1 Retro assembly decouples and isolates the gypsum board or sheet goods from the structure increasing the acoustical performance of the system.

The RSIC-1 TTC stops the noise and vibrations that typically would be allowed to transfer through the structure. The RSIC-1 Retro systems have several UL fire resistive design assemblies ranging from one hour to four hours.

The UL assemblies can be viewed on the PAC International, LLC site ([www.pac-intl.com](http://www.pac-intl.com)) and on **UL.com**. (File #: R16638)

### Materials and Composition

The 18 gauge RSIC-1 TTC clips are composed of galvanized or aluminum-zinc coated steel and is manufactured in Canby, OR.

The RSIC rubber isolators are made of a proprietary rubber and/or manufactured rubber compounds.

### Sizes and Weight-bearing Information:

The RSIC-1 TTC has an acoustical design load rating of 36 pounds per isolator. The RSIC-1 TTC clip can support up to two layers of 5/8 inch gypsum board when spaced at 24 x 48 inches on center. For heavier systems increase the number of isolators and channel to support the additional weight of the system. The RSIC-1 TTC clip fastens directly to the framing or structure creating a 1-5/8 inch cavity between the face of the framing and the back of the gypsum board.

### Product Limitations:

For interior use only with operating temperatures of 40–100 degrees F (4.4–37.8 degrees C).

## 4. Technical Data

### Applicable Standards

ASTM International (ASTM)

**ASTM E90** Standard Test Method for Laboratory Measurement of Airborne Sound Transmission Loss of Building Partitions and Elements

**ASTM E413** Classification for Rating Sound Insulation

Underwriters Laboratories (UL)

**UL Fire Resistance Directory R16638**  
[www.ul.com](http://www.ul.com).

The RSIC-1 Retro may contribute to LEEDS points, see Leed information on [pac-intl.com](http://pac-intl.com)

## 5. Installation

General installation: follow manufacturer's specific installation instructions.

- Install resilient sound isolation clips and drywall furring channels in accordance with manufacturer's instructions
- Mechanically fasten resilient sound isolation clips to structure with screws, bolts or expansion anchors, dependent upon structure
- Fire-Resistive Design Assemblies: Install as specified in *UL Fire Resistance Directory*, where required
- Do not arbitrarily add resilient sound isolation clips to fire-rated assemblies
- Space resilient sound isolation clips at maximum of 24 x 48 inches (600 x 1200 mm) on center for walls and ceilings
- Do not exceed design load (pull and shear) of 36 pounds per isolation clip
- Stagger isolation clip installation, so dead load is supported by all support members
- Splicing Drywall Furring Channels: Splice drywall furring channels with minimum of six inch (150 mm) laps
- Secure laps with two framing screws or 18 gauge tie wire double wrapped
- Locate splices between resilient sound isolation clips
- Do not locate splices on resilient sound isolation clips
- Install resilient sound isolation clips on one side of wall assembly, unless otherwise indicated on the drawings

Flanking Noise:

- Review installation details to prevent structure-borne flanking noise
- Do not allow drywall furring channels or gypsum board to contact foreign materials, including floors, ceilings or wall framing members
- Ensure metal ferrule of resilient sound isolation clips is in firm contact with structural member
- Gypsum Board:
- Install gypsum board in vertical or horizontal position with a 1/4 inch (6 mm) gap around perimeter for acoustical sealant application
- Install gypsum board in accordance with ASTM C840 as specified in Section 09250

Acoustical Sealant:

- Seal potential air leaks with acoustical sealant to achieve best Field Sound Transmission Class (FSTC)
- Seal electrical outlets and penetrations with acoustical sealant
- Apply fire-rated acoustical sealant at locations where fire-rated assembly is required
- Putty Pad Sealant: acoustically seal with putty pads, electrical boxes in walls and ceilings in which resilient sound isolation clips are used

## 6. Availability and Cost

Please contact PAC International, LLC. for availability and pricing information.

## 7. Warranty

RSIC-1 Retro clips have no warranty.

## 8. Maintenance

No maintenance is necessary.

## 9. Technical Services



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PAC International Inc. offers online product pages, installation guides, and specification sheets. Technical information can be found on the website, **[www.pac-intl.com](http://www.pac-intl.com)** or by calling 866-774-2100, ext. 101 or 801. Fire ratings, sound test assemblies, CAD drawings, assembly drawings and clip specifications are also on the website.

## 10. Filing Systems

Additional product information is available from the manufacturer upon request