

BUILDING CODE ENFORCEMENT

SIZING OF HEATING & COOLING EQUIPMENT & DUCTS FOR COMMERCIAL PROJECTS

INSTRUCTIONS

This form shall be completed and submitted to the field inspector for the following commercial projects:

- new construction
- additions
- complete remodels
- complete new ac systems

Please note the form must be presented before the final mechanical inspection can be approved.

CODE INFORMATION

Below are excerpts from the 2021 Uniform Mechanical Code (UMC) and the 2021 International Energy Conservation Code pertaining to this requirement:

601.2 (2021 UMC) Sizing Requirements. Duct systems shall be sized in accordance with applicable standards in Chapter 17 or by other approved methods.

C403.1.1 (2021 IECC) Calculation of heating and cooling loads. Design loads associated with heating, ventilating and air conditioning of the building shall be determined in accordance with ANSI/ASHRAE/ACCA Standard 183 or by an approved equivalent computational procedure using the design parameters specified in Chapter 3. Heating and cooling loads shall be adjusted to account for load reductions that are achieved where energy recovery systems are utilized in the HVAC system in accordance with the ASHRAE HVAC Systems and Equipment Handbook by an approved equivalent computational procedure.

C403.3.1 (2021 IECC) Equipment sizing. The output capacity of heating and cooling equipment shall be not greater than that of the smallest available equipment size that exceeds the loads calculated in accordance with Section C403.1.1. A single piece of equipment providing both heating and cooling shall satisfy this provision for one function with the capacity for the other function as small as possible, within available equipment options.

Address:	Company Name:
Project Number:	Contractor License:
Н	VAC EQUIPMENT SELECTION
Cooling Equipment:	Heating Equipment:
Type:	
Total Cooling Capacity:	Total Heating Output:
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calculated in accordance with Section C403.2	output capacity of heating and cooling equipment shall be not greater than the loads of the 2015 IECC <i>unless exceptions 1 & 2 apply</i> . I declare for the above mentioned ordance with Chapter 17 of the UMC, or by other approved methods.
Printed Name:	Date:

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