

How to Identify Valid AMCA Certified Performance Data

The only AMCA seal that assures that a product or product line has been tested and rated in conformance with AMCA's test standards and rating requirements is the AMCA CRP - AIR PERFORMANCE Seal.

Frequently Asked Questions:

Is AMCA Certification the same as AMCA Membership?

No. AMCA Certification is product specific. Membership is company specific. Membership does not imply Certification.

How can I tell if a product is AMCA Certified?

Look for the AMCA CRP (Certified Ratings Program) - AIR PERFORMANCE Seal.



Does the AMCA Member logo imply AMCA Certification?

No. The data sheet must have the AMCA CRP Seal verifying that the numbers published on the data sheet have been certified by AMCA.

The data sheet for the air curtain product references "AMCA 220." Does that mean the product is AMCA certified?

No. The product is only certified when the AMCA CRP Seal is present on the data sheet. This verifies that the actual AMCA 220 test was performed and that the performance numbers published on the data sheet have been certified by AMCA to accurately reflect the results of this test.

What is AMCA 220?

AMCA International's 220 is the test standard for air performance testing for air curtain units.

Where can I find out more about AMCA?

www.AMCA.org

Certified AMCA Performance Data:

Demonstrated by the AMCA CRP (Certified Ratings Program) Seal

- Under the Certified Ratings Program, AMCA tests products and product lines for performance data.
- The program has test standards and rating requirements for testing product consistently and accurately. Performance data is confirmed by this testing.



Look for the AMCA CRP - AIR PERFORMANCE Seal
[Performance can be tested and certified at the AMCA laboratory or at an accredited laboratory using an ANSI and/or ISO approved test standard.]

Uncertified AMCA Performance Data:

There are many ways manufacturers try to skirt answering AMCA certification questions.

Here are some common diversion techniques:

- The use of the AMCA member logo, rather than the AMCA CRP Seal
 - A company can be a member of AMCA and never submit a product for testing.
- Stating "Tested in Accordance with" without the presence of the AMCA CRP Seal
 - Any company can state they have used AMCA standards to test their products, implying their products are certified.
- Stating "Tested at AMCA" without the presence of the AMCA CRP Seal
 - This does not guarantee that the performance data provided is the AMCA certified data.
- Reference to "AMCA 220" without the presence of the AMCA CRP Seal
 - This is the standard AMCA uses to test the product and is not proof that the product has actually been certified.



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