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Cool Roof Rating Council

Keeping Cool for 20 Years

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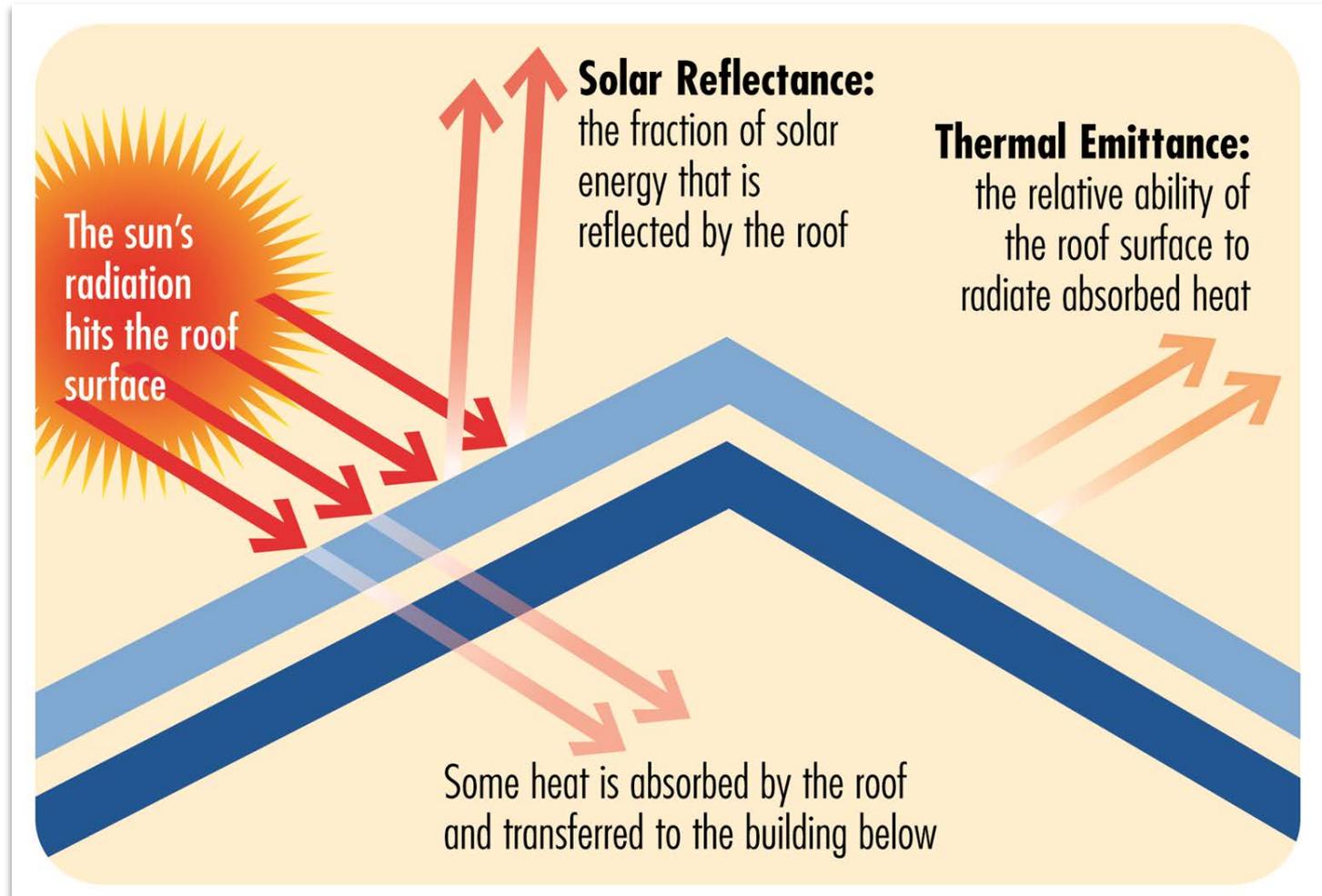


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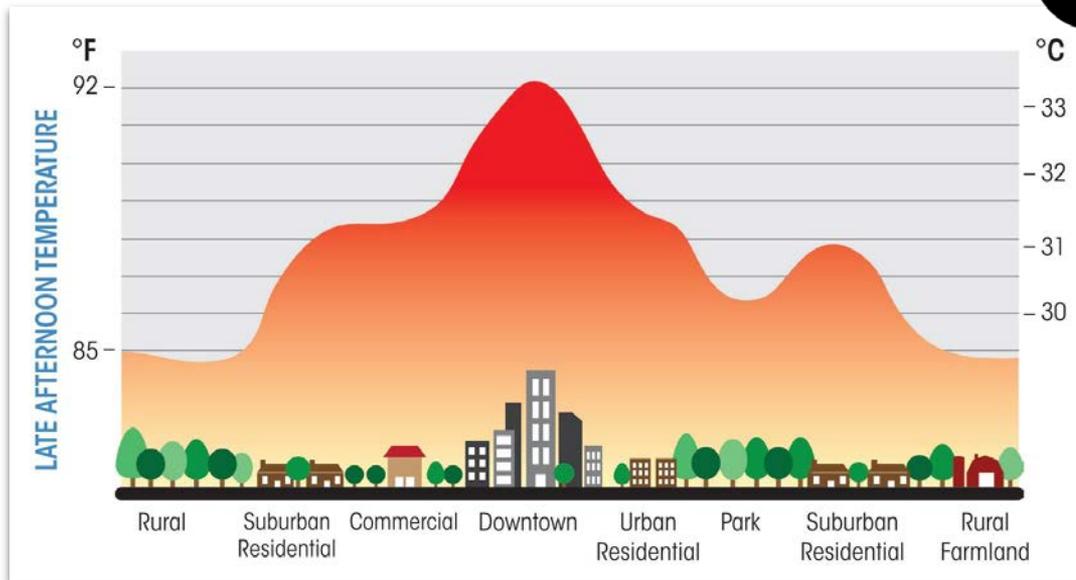
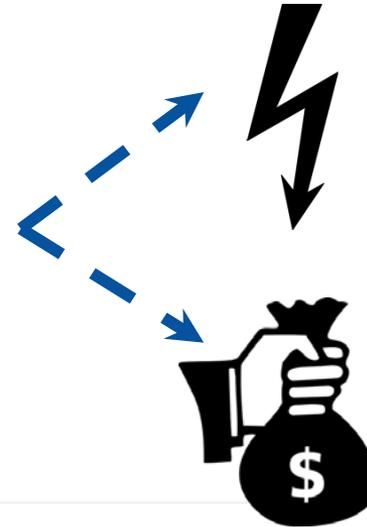
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Cool Roof Benefits



CRRC Background

- Established in 1998 as 501(c)(3) nonprofit
- Third-party product rating organization for the roofing industry
- ENERGY STAR® Certification Body
- ANSI Accredited Standards Developer
 - Currently maintaining ANSI/CRRC S100 (2016 edition)
- ISO 17065 Accredited Organization
- ASTM Organizational Member



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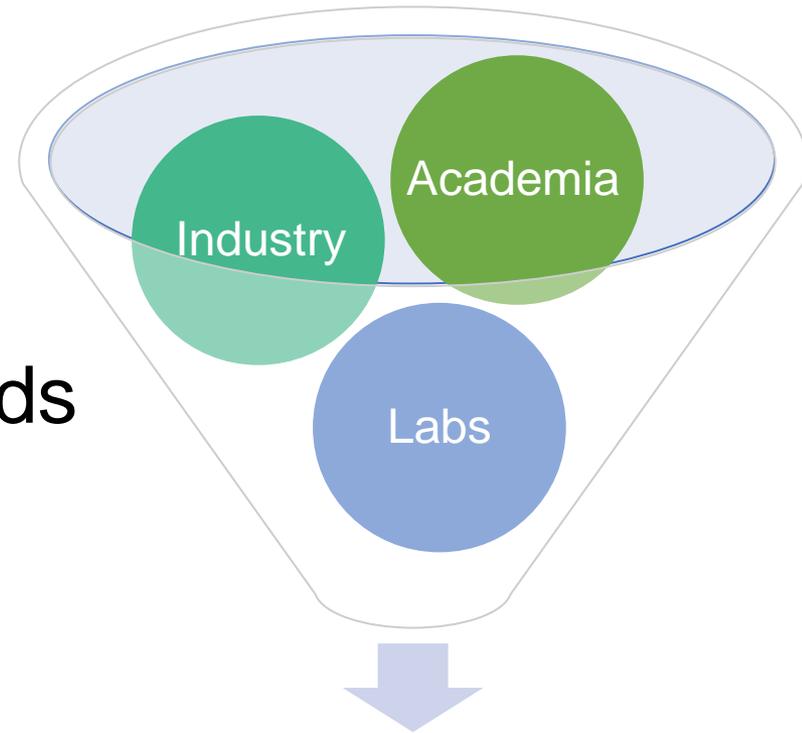
CRRC Founding Partners



& Roofing
Industry

CRRC Structure

- Diverse Membership
- Board of Directors
- Technical Committee
- Ratings, Codes & Standards Committee
- International Committee
- ANSI Consensus Body



CRRC Membership*

* Members also include architects, designers, builders, contractors, etc.

CRRC Mission



Ratings

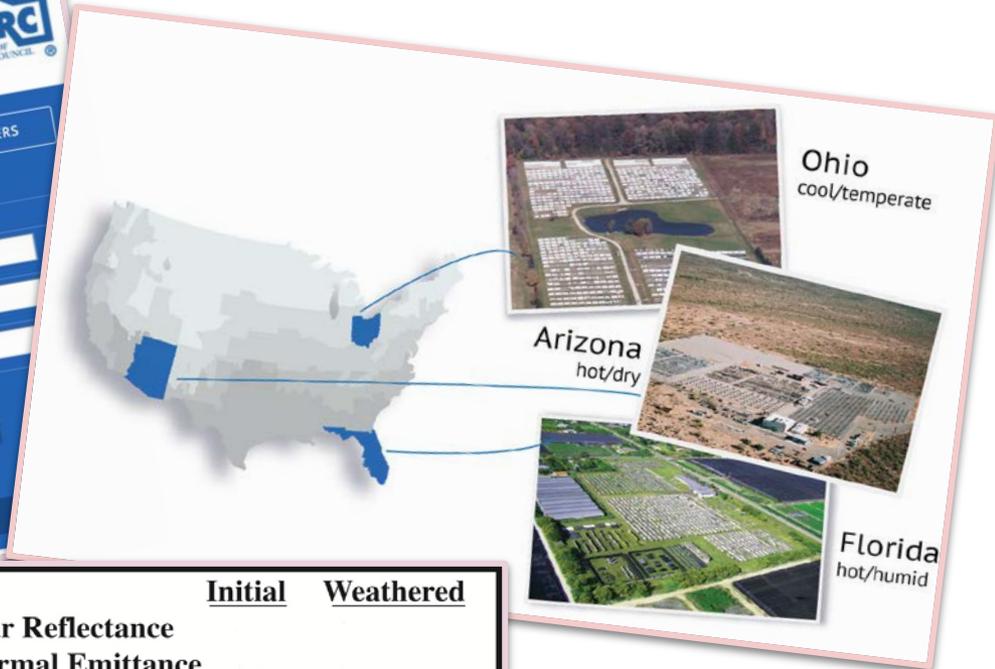
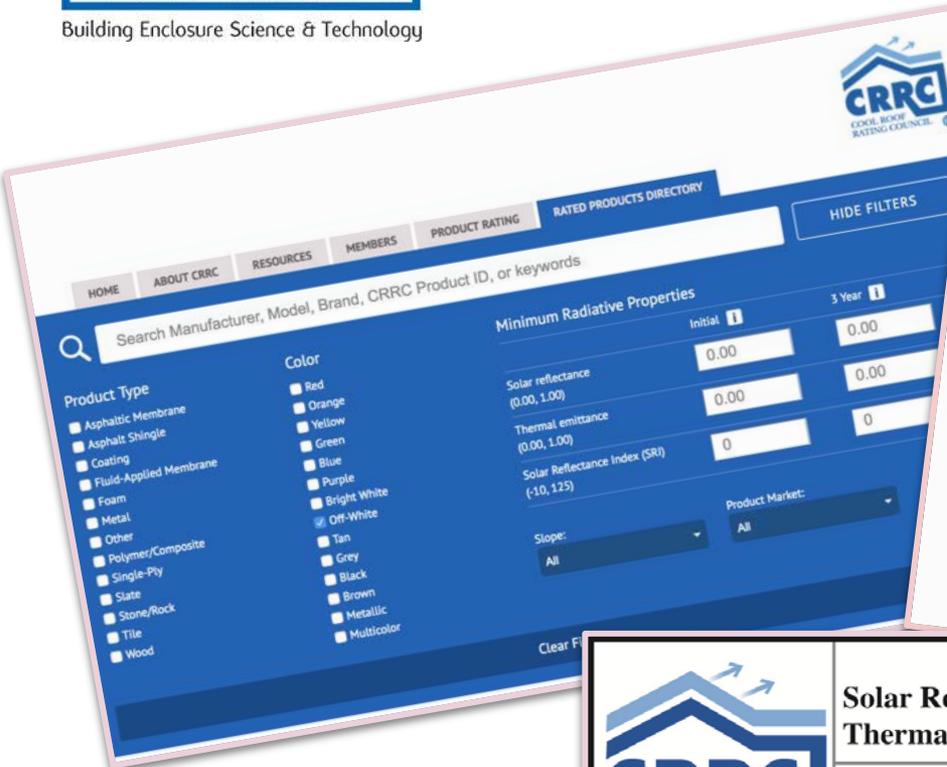


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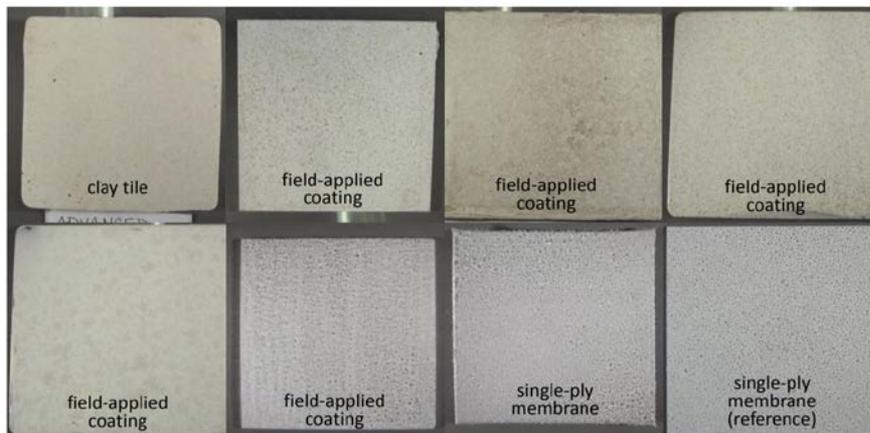
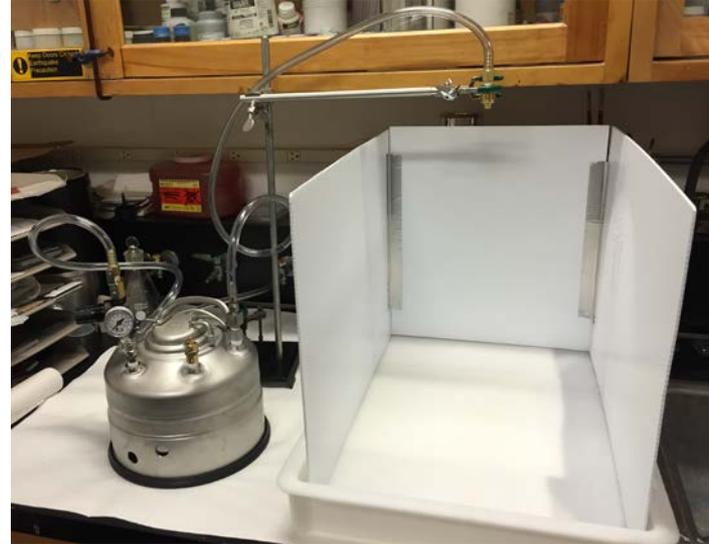
Education

Product Rating Program



	<u>Initial</u>	<u>Weathered</u>
	Solar Reflectance	
	Thermal Emittance	
	Rated Product ID Number	----
Licensed Seller ID Number	----	
Classification	Production Line	
<p>Cool Roof Rating Council ratings are determined for a fixed set of conditions, and may not be appropriate for determining seasonal energy performance. The actual effect of solar reflectance and thermal emittance on building performance may vary.</p> <p>Manufacturer of product stipulates that these ratings were determined in accordance with the applicable Cool Roof Rating Council procedures.</p>		

Rapid Ratings Program





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CRRC in Building Codes & Product Standards



ANSI/CRRC S100 (2016)
Standard Test Methods for Determining
Radiative Properties of Materials

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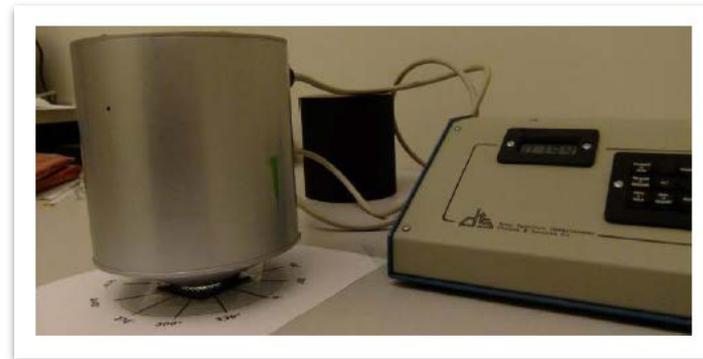
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Development of method to measure reflectance of Directionally Reflective Materials (DRM)



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Modeling and labeling heterogeneous directional reflective roofing materials
Hashem Akbari^{*}, Ali Gholizadeh Touchaei

 **ASTM**
INTERNATIONAL

Designation: C1864 – 17

**Standard Test Method for
Determination of Solar Reflectance of Directionally
Reflective Material Using Portable Solar Reflectometer¹**



Comparison of Solar Reflectance Test Methods



Designation: E1918 - 16

Standard Test Method for
Measuring Solar Reflectance of Horizontal and Low-Sloped
Surfaces in the Field¹



Designation: C1549 - 16

Standard Test Method for
Determination of Solar Reflectance Near Ambient
Temperature Using a Portable Solar Reflectometer¹



Designation: E903 - 12

Standard Test Method for
Solar Absorptance, Reflectance, and Transmittance of
Materials Using Integrating Spheres¹



Working Groups



Method
Evaluation

Methods
&
Instruments

Rough
Substrates

Colorimetry

Random
Testing

Educational Resources



Home and Building Owners, Architects, and Contractors

Learn About *Cool Roofs* and the *Cool Roof Rating Council*

The Cool Roof Rating Council Membership and Product Ratings



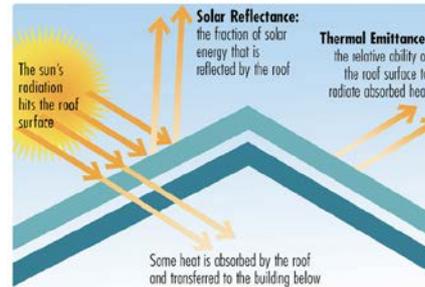
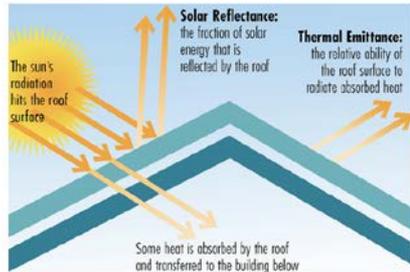
POLICY MAKERS AND CODE OFFICIALS

Learn About *Cool Roofs*



What is a Cool Roof?

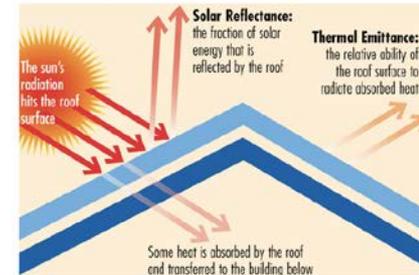
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www.coolroofs.org

Free, online resource

Find and compare roofing products

Determine compliance with building or energy codes

Receive credits for voluntary programs (e.g., LEED)

2 SEARCH RESULTS

Please note that the CRRC does not set a minimum definition for "cool", the CRRC simply lists the measured radiative property values on our Directory. A product's placement on the Directory does not mean that the product is "cool" as defined by any particular code body or program.

*CRRC Rapid Ratings: These are interim laboratory-aged values that simulate weathered values. These values will be replaced with the measured three-year aged values upon completion of the weathering process. SRI values calculated using Rapid Ratings may change once the aged rating replaces the interim rating.

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CRRC PROD. ID	MANUFACTURER	BRAND AND MODEL	PRODUCT TYPE	COLOR	SOLAR RELECTANCE		THERMAL EMITTANCE		SRI		MORE INFO
					INITIAL	3 YEAR	INITIAL	3 YEAR	INITIAL	3 YEAR	
1116-0002	Renolit Belgium NV	Alkorplan F 35276 Alkorbright 2001 - 1.5mm	Single-Ply	Bright White	0.91	0.76	0.85	0.78	115	92	+
1116-0004	Renolit Belgium NV	Alkotec F 35196 - 1.5mm	Single-Ply	Bright White	0.90	0.81	0.85	0.79	114	100	+

Lab Training Workshops



How to Get Involved

- Become a CRRC Member

Membership Information

<http://coolroofs.org/members/become-a-member>

- Participate in Technical Committee and/or working groups
- Serve on our ANSI/CRRC S100 Consensus Body





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