SCREENFLEX PORTABLE ROOM DIVIDERS SOUND ABSORPTION INFORMATION

The Noise Reduction Coefficient assigned to Screenflex Portable Room Dividers is: NRC = 45 for a 6'-0" tall divider.

Laboratory sound tests have determined that 6'-0" high Screenflex partitions absorb the following percentage of sound decibel created within the area occupied by the partitions. As the number of 90° partition corners are increased the percentage rate of sound absorption rises as illustrated below.

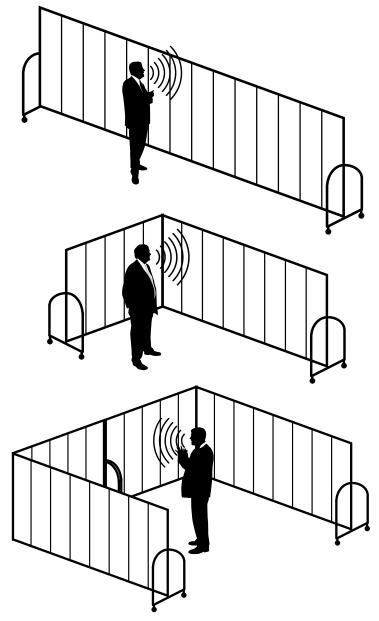
Sound Absorption

Straight Line
Sound Absorption = 45%

2. L Shape One 90° Corner Sound Absorption = 55%

3. U Shape Two 90° Corners Sound Absorption = 65%

Note: Sound absorption will obviously INCREASE with dividers taller than 6'-0" and DECREASE with shorter dividers.



Sound tests are conducted using Screenfex 6'-0" high dividers in a chamber with concrete floors, walls, and ceilings. Soft materials in a room like carpet, furniture and drapes will increase the percentage of sound absorbed from that shown. Taller dividers will logically absorb a greater value than the value shown and shorter dividers a lesser value. Also the tests reveal that the dividers absorb the lower frequencies (adult voices) at a greater rate than the high frequencies. Screenflex is not sold or presented as a sound proofing or sound control product. Screenflex products are portable dividers which provide 100% visual control and as an added benefit have some sound absorbing qualities.