- 1. Category a-Means of egress lighting and exit signs not provided with emergency power in accordance with Chapter 27.
- 2. Category b-*Means of egress* lighting and *exit* signs provided with emergency power in accordance with Chapter 27.
- 3. Category c-Emergency power provided to *means of egress* lighting and *exit* signs which provides protection in the event of power failure to the site or building.

3412.6.16 Mixed occupancies. Where a building has two or more occupancies that are not in the same occupancy classification, the separation between the mixed occupancies shall be evaluated in accordance with this section. Where there is no separation between the mixed occupancies or the separation between mixed occupancies does not qualify for any of the categories indicated in Section 3412.6.16.1, the building shall be evaluated as indicated in Section 3412.6 and the value for mixed occupancies shall be zero. Under the categories and occupancies in Table 3412.6.16, determine the appropriate value and enter that value into Table 3412.7 under Safety Parameter 3412.6.16, Mixed Occupancies, for fire safety and general safety. For buildings without mixed occupancies, the value shall be zero.

TABLE 3412.6.16 MIXED OCCUPANCY VALUES^a

	CATEGORIES				
OCCUPANCY	a	b	c		
A-1, A-2, R	-10	0	10		
A-3, A-4, B, E, F, M, S	-5	0	5		

a. For fire-resistance ratings between categories, the value shall be obtained by linear interpolation.

3412.6.16.1 Categories. The categories for mixed occupancies are:

- 1. Category a-Occupancies separated by minimum 1-hour fire barriers or minimum 1-hour horizontal assemblies, or both.
- 2. Category b-Separations between occupancies in accordance with Section 508.4.
- 3. Category c-Separations between occupancies having a *fire-resistance rating* of not less than twice that required by Section 508.4.

3412.6.17 Automatic sprinklers. Evaluate the ability to suppress a fire based on the installation of an *automatic sprinkler system* in accordance with Section 903.3.1.1. "Required sprinklers" shall be based on the requirements of this code. Under the categories and occupancies in Table 3412.6.17, determine the appropriate value and enter that value into Table 3412.7 under Safety Parameter 3412.6.17, Automatic Sprinklers, for fire safety, *means of egress* divided by 2 and general safety.

TABLE 3412.6.17 SPRINKLER SYSTEM VALUES

	CATEGORIES						
OCCUPANCY	a	b	c	d	e	f	
A-1, A-3, F, M, R, S-1	-6	-3	0	2	4	6	
A-2	-4	-2	0	1	2	4	
A-4, B, E, S-2	-12	-6	0	3	6	12	

3412.6.17.1 Categories. The categories for automatic sprinkler system protection are: