

# REACTION TO FIRE CLASSIFICATION REPORT $N^{\circ}$ 2021/155-2

According to EN 13501-1 (2018)

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Sponsor:

**GERFLOR** 

50 Cours de la République

69627 VILLEURBANNE CEDEX

**FRANCE** 

Product name:

**CREATION 40** 

Description:

Polyvinyl chloride floor coverings (EN ISO 10582 family)

(see detailed description in paragraph 2)

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The indicated classification does not prejudge the conformity of marketed materials with the samples submitted to the tests and under no circumstances, this document should not be considered as type approval or certification of the product in the sense of the L 115-27 article of the consumption's code of the law dated June 3<sup>rd</sup> 1994.

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## 1. Introduction

This classification report defines the classification assigned to the above-mentioned products in accordance with the procedures given in the NF EN 13501-1 standard (2018).

#### 2. Details of classified product

#### 2.1. Product standard

NF EN 14041 (2005): "Resilient, textile and laminate floor coverings - Essential characteristics".

#### 2.2. Product description

Heterogeneous polyvinyl chloride floorcovering (EN ISO 10582 family) in size LVT of  $184 \text{ mm} \times 1219 \text{ mm} - 230 \text{ mm} \times 1500 \text{ mm}$  and tile of  $457 \text{ mm} \times 914 \text{ mm} - 610 \text{ mm} \times 610 \text{ mm}$ .

Tested loose laid over a wood panel particle board without flame retarded classified  $C_{fl}$ -s1 with a density (680 ± 50) kg/m<sup>3</sup> and thickness (20 ± 2) mm.

Use surface: Plasticized PVC

Nominal mass per unit area: 3180 g/m<sup>2</sup> Nominal total thickness: 2,00 mm Nominal total wear layer: 0,40 mm

#### 3. Test reports and tests results in support of this classification

# 3.1. Tests reports

| Name of laboratory | Name of sponsor   | Test report N° | Test method      |
|--------------------|---|----------------|------------------|
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#### 3.2. Tests results

Classes of reaction to fire for resilient floor coverings, classified without further testing.

| Test method       | The flooring « CREATION 40 » meets the requirements of table 3 of the standard      |
|-------------------|---|
| NF EN ISO 11925-2 | NF EN 14041 (2005) and is classified E <sub>fl</sub> without further testing (CWFT) |

|                  |             |                 |                            | Results                           |
|------------------|-------------|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Test method      | Product     | Number of tests | Parameters                 | Continuous parameters: mean value |
| NF EN ISO 9239-1 | CREATION 40 | 3               | Critical heat flux (kW/m²) | 10,6                              |
|                  |             |                 | Smoke (% X min)            | 181,8                             |

## 4. Classification and field of application

#### 4.1. Reference of classification

This classification has been carried out in accordance with EN 13501-1 (2018).

## 4.2. Classification

| Fire behaviour             |   | Smoke production |
|----------------------------|---|------------------|
| $\mathrm{B}_{\mathrm{fl}}$ | - | s1               |

Classification:  $B_{fl} - s1$ 

## 4.3. Field of application

This classification is valid for the following end use applications:

Loose laid and glued over a wood panel particle board without flame retarded classified  $C_{\rm fl}$ -s1 with a density  $\geq 510 \, {\rm kg/m^3}$  and over a fibre-cement  $A1_{\rm fl}$  or  $A2_{\rm fl}$  class with a density  $\geq 1350 \, {\rm kg/m^3}$ .

This classification is valid for the following product parameters:

• A nominal mass per unit area of: 3180 g/m<sup>2</sup>

A nominal thickness of: 2,00 mm

A nominal thickness wear layer: 0,40 mm

## 5. Limitations

This classification document does not represent type approval or certification of the product.

"The classification assigned to the product in this report is appropriate to a declaration of conformity by the manufacturer within the context of system 3 of AVCP and CE marking under the Regulation 305/2011/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 2011 laying down harmonised conditions for the marketing of constructions products.

The manufacturer has made a declaration, which is held on file. This confirms that the products design requires no specific processes, procedures or stages (no addition of flame-retardants, limitation of organic content, or addition of fillers) that are aimed at enhancing the fire performance in order to obtain the classification achieved. As a consequence the manufacturer has concluded that system 3 attestation is appropriate.

The test laboratory has, therefore, played no part in sampling the product for the test, although it holds appropriate references, supplied by the manufacturer, to provide for traceability of the samples tested."

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