

REACTION TO FIRE CLASSIFICATION REPORT N° 2018/176-2

According to EN 13501-1 (2007) + A1 (2013)

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Sponsor:

GERFLOR

50 Cours de la République

69627 VILLEURBANNE CEDEX

FRANCE

Product name:

GERFLOR FIBER TECHNOLOGY (GFT)

Description:

Polyvinyl chloride floor coverings (EN ISO 26986 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 3rd 1994.

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1. Introduction

This classification report defines the classification assigned to the above-mentioned product (s) in accordance with the procedures given in the NF EN 13501-1 standard: September 2007 & A1 (2013).

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

Expanded (cushioned) polyvinyl chloride floorcovering (EN ISO 26986 family).

Tested loose laid over a wood panel particle board without flame retarded classified C_{fl} -s1 with a density (680 ± 50) kg/m³ and thickness (20 ± 2) mm.

Use surface: 100 % PVC plastic

Nature of backing: PVC + synthetic needled fleece Nominal mass per unit area: 1345 to 3050 g/m² Nominal total thickness: 2,00 to 3,80 mm Nominal total wear layer: 0,15 to 0,50 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
C.R.E.T.	GERFLOR 50 Cours de la République 69627 VILLEURBANNE CEDEX	RL 2018/717 RL 2018/718	NF EN ISO 9239-1

3.2. Tests results

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

Test method	The floorings "PRIMETEX" - "TRANSIT TEX" meet the requirements of table 3
NF EN ISO 11925-2	of the standard NF EN 14041 (2005) and are classified En without further testing
	(CWFT)

				Results
Test method	Product	Number of tests	Parameters	Continuous parameters: mean value
NF EN ISO 9239-1	PRIMETEX	3	Critical heat flux (kW/m²)	7,3
			Smoke (% X min)	102,9

	×			Results
Test method	Product	Number of tests	Parameters	Continuous parameters: mean value
NE EN ISO 0220 1	TRANSIT TEX	2	Critical heat flux (kW/m²)	7,1
NF EN ISO 9239-1 TRA	IRANSII IEX	3	Smoke (% X min)	285,5

4. Classification and field of application

4.1. Reference of classification

This classification has been carried out in accordance with EN 13501-1:2007 & A1 (2013).

4.2. Classification

Fire behaviour		Smoke production
C _{fl}	_	s1

Classification: C_{fl}-s1

4.3. Field of application

This classification is valid for the following end use applications:

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

This classification is valid for the following product parameters:

A nominal mass per unit area of: 1345 to 3050 g/m²

• A nominal thickness of: 2,00 to 3,80 mm

• A nominal thickness wear layer: 0,15 to 0,50 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 attestation of conformity and CE marking under the Construction Products Directive.

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."

Head of Test David VANDIERDONCK For the SARL C.R.E.T. The Technical Director Marc WELCOMME

End of the classification report