



# TEST REPORT

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**24-1153-01**

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**Original**

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Reference  
**Alto 20**

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## Notes

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## MATERIAL and INFORMATION

Name <sup>(e1)</sup>	Date of receipt
Artificial turf: <b>Alto 20</b> Backing: Woven Pile fibre composition: PE&PP Nominal mass: 1358 g/m <sup>2</sup>	22/11/2024
No infill	

## OBJECTIVE

Determination of the fire behaviour

## METHODS and CONDITIONS

### Ignitability - Single flame

Standard: **ISO 11925-2 (2010)\***

Specimen: The specimen is not cleaned before the test.  
The strictest test condition is chosen as default: the specimen is put loose laid on a fibre cement board (according to EN 13238). Together they are mounted vertically into the test frame.

Method: A surface flame attack is applied during 15 s. Time of burning and/or glowing are observed, as well as whether the flame tip reaches the 150 mm boundary line above the flame application point within 20 s after the start of the test.  
In order to meet the requirements for the class Efl, the boundary line should not be reached for any of the specimens tested.

Number of tests: 6

Conditioning samples: 23 ± 2 and 50 ± 5 % R.H.

Disclaimer: The test results relate to the behaviour of the test specimens of a product under the particular conditions of the test. They are not intended to be the sole criterion for assessing the potential fire hazard of the product in use.

### Fire behaviour - radiant panel

Standard: **EN ISO 9239-1 (2010)\***

Specimen: The specimen is loose laid on fibre cement board (according to EN 13238).  
The specimen is not cleaned before the test.

Method: During the test, the specimen is irradiated by a gas radiator at an angle of 30°. A small flame is used to ignite the specimen. The specimen is ignited during 10 minutes. In case of inflammable specimens, the test lasts until the flame is extinguished, but 30 minutes at the most. The criterion is the burned length, from which the critical radiant flux is deduced using a calibration curve.  
The average flux values are rounded to the nearest 0.2 (kW/m<sup>2</sup>) as specified in ISO 9239-1

Number of tests: 4

Conditioning samples: 23 ± 2 and 50 ± 5 % R.H.

Disclaimer: The test results relate to the behaviour of the test specimens of a product under the particular conditions of the test. They are not intended to be the sole criterion for assessing the potential fire hazard of the product in use.

The tests were finished in week 48/2024.

## RESULTS

### Ignitability - Single flame

Test Date: 20/11/2024

#### Lengthwise

Test piece	Burning time (min:s)	After glowing time (min:s)	150 mm reached within 20 s
1	00:15	-	No
2	00:17	-	No
3	00:15	-	No

#### Crosswise

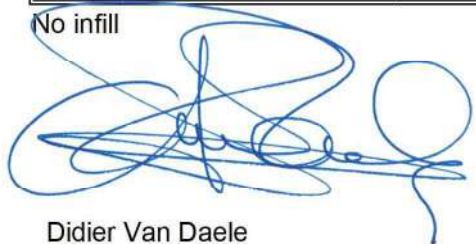
Test piece	Burning time (min:s)	After glowing time (min:s)	150 mm reached within 20 s
1	00:15	-	No
2	00:15	-	No
3	00:16	-	No

### Fire behaviour - radiant panel

Test Date: 26/11/2024

Direction of test piece:	Lengthwise	Crosswise	Crosswise	Crosswise	Average of the test pieces <b>Crosswise</b>
Flame spread after 10 min (mm)	190	250	190	170	
Flame spread after 20 min (mm)	200	250	230	180	
Flame spread after 30 min (mm)	200	250	230	180	
Flame spread after extinction (mm)	200	250	230	180	
Flame time	12min 50s	13min 54s	15min 50s	12min 00s	
Critical heat flux CHF at extinction (kW/m <sup>2</sup> )	7.2	7.4	6.8	7.6	7.25
Total smoke production at end of test (%.min)	87	102	92	78	91

No infill



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## Enclosure to Test report 24-1153-01

### Classification EN 13501-1

**Warning: As such, this statement cannot be used for CE labelling purposes, because an additional classification report according to EN 13501-1 is required.**

Classification	EN 11925-2 (Ignition time 15 s)	ISO 9239-1 (test time = 30 min)	Result
	<b>F<sub>s</sub> after 20 s</b>	<b>Critical flux</b>	
B <sub>fl</sub>	F <sub>s</sub> ≤ 150 mm	≥ 8.0 kW/m <sup>2</sup>	
C <sub>fl</sub>	F <sub>s</sub> ≤ 150 mm	≥ 4.5 kW/m <sup>2</sup>	<b>X</b>
D <sub>fl</sub>	F <sub>s</sub> ≤ 150 mm	≥ 3.0 kW/m <sup>2</sup>	
E <sub>fl</sub>	F <sub>s</sub> ≤ 150 mm	No demand	
F <sub>fl</sub>	No demand	No demand	

### *Additional classification in relation to smoke production*

Smoke development	Class	Result
< 750%.min	s1	<b>X</b>
> 750%.min	s2	