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### General Part

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Trade name of the construction product

Regupol comfort

Product family  
to which the construction product belongs

"polyurethane foam mat to be used for impact sound  
insulation under floating screeds"

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## Specific part

### 1 Technical description of the product

This European Technical Assessment applies to the polyurethane foam mats "Regupol comfort 5", "Regupol comfort 8" and "Regupol comfort 12" for impact sound insulation under floating screeds, hereinafter referred to as impact sound insulation mats.

The impact sound insulation mats "Regupol comfort 8" and "Regupol comfort 12" have a single-sided profiled surface.

The impact sound insulation mats are made with the following dimensions:

Nominal length:	2250 mm	("Regupol comfort 5")
	13000 mm	("Regupol comfort 8")
	9300 mm	("Regupol comfort 12")
Nominal width:	1150 mm	
Nominal thickness $d_L$ :	5.0 mm	("Regupol comfort 5")
	8.0 mm	("Regupol comfort 8")
	12.0 mm	("Regupol comfort 12")

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### 2 Specification of the intended use in accordance with the applicable European assessment Document

The impact sound insulation mats are used as insulation material on solid floor slabs for the improvement of impact sound insulation inside buildings. In this connection the impact sound insulation mats are placed in one layer under floating unheated screeds.

The performance according to section 3 only applies if the impact sound insulation mats are installed according to the manufacture's installation instructions and according to annex A and if they are protected from precipitation, wetting or weathering in built-in state and during transport, storage and installation.

The verifications and assessment methods on which this European Technical Assessment is based lead to the assumption of a working life of the polyurethane foam mats of at least 25 years. The indications given on the working life cannot be interpreted as a guarantee given by the producer, but are to be regarded only as a means for choosing the right products in relation to the expected economically reasonable working life of the works.

### 3 Performance of the product and references to the methods used for its assessment

For sampling, conditioning and testing the provisions of the EAD No 040049-00-0502 "polyurethane (PU) foam mat to be used for impact sound insulation" apply.

#### 3.1 Mechanical resistance and stability (BWR 1)

Not applicable.



### 3.2 Safety in case of fire (BWR 2)

Essential characteristic	Performance
Reaction to fire test acc. to EN ISO 11925-2:2010	
"Regupol comfort 5" and "Regupol comfort 12"	Class E-d2 acc. to EN 13501-1:2007 + A1:2009
"Regupol comfort 8"	Class E acc. to EN 13501-1:2007 + A1:2009

### 3.3 Hygiene, health and the environment (BWR 3)

No performance assessed.

### 3.4 Safety and accessibility (BWR 4)

Not applicable.

### 3.5 Protection against noise (BWR 5)

Essential characteristic	Performance
Dynamic stiffness <sup>a)</sup> test acc. to EN 29052-1:1992	
"Regupol comfort 5"	$s'_t \leq 110 \text{ MN/m}^3$
"Regupol comfort 8"	$s'_t \leq 16 \text{ MN/m}^3$
"Regupol comfort 12"	$s'_t \leq 10 \text{ MN/m}^3$
Impact sound reduction with a structural assembly in accordance with annex A <sup>b), c)</sup> Rating acc. to EN ISO 10140:2010 (category II acc. to EN ISO 10140-1, annex H) assessment acc. to EN ISO 717-2:2013	
"Regupol comfort 5"	$\Delta L_w \geq 18 \text{ dB}^{\text{d)}$ $\Delta L_w \geq 18 \text{ dB}^{\text{e)}$
"Regupol comfort 8"	$\Delta L_w \geq 21 \text{ dB}^{\text{f)}$ $\Delta L_w \geq 24 \text{ dB}^{\text{g)}$
"Regupol comfort 12"	$\Delta L_w \geq 26 \text{ dB}^{\text{h)}$ $\Delta L_w \geq 27 \text{ dB}^{\text{i)}$
Nominal length test acc. to EN 822:2013	1100 mm
dimensional deviation	L1 acc. to EN 16069:2012 + A1:2015
Nominal widths test acc. to EN 822:2013	1500 mm
dimensional deviation	W1 acc. to EN 16069:2012+ A1:2015

Essential characteristic	Performance
Squareness test acc. to EN 824:2013 dimensional deviation	$S_b \leq 5 \text{ mm/m}$
Thickness test acc. to EN 12431:2013 "Regupol comfort 5" "Regupol comfort 8" "Regupol comfort 12"	$d_L \geq 5.0 \text{ mm}$ $d_L \geq 8.0 \text{ mm}$ $d_L \geq 12.0 \text{ mm}$
Compressibility test acc. to EN 12431:2013 "Regupol comfort 5" "Regupol comfort 8" "Regupol comfort 12"	(with $c = d_L - d_B$ )  $c \leq 1.0 \text{ mm}$ $c \leq 1.0 \text{ mm}$ $c \leq 2.0 \text{ mm}$
Mass per unit area test in line with EN 1602:2013 "Regupol comfort 5" "Regupol comfort 8" "Regupol comfort 12"	1.8 kg/m <sup>2</sup> to 2.2 kg/m <sup>2</sup> 2.3 kg/m <sup>2</sup> to 2.9 kg/m <sup>2</sup> 2.7 kg/m <sup>2</sup> to 3.3 kg/m <sup>2</sup>
Compressive creep	No performance assessed.
Compressive stress at 10 % deformation test acc. to EN 826:2013 "Regupol comfort 5" "Regupol comfort 8" "Regupol comfort 12"	$\sigma_{10\%} \geq 25.0 \text{ kPa}$ $\sigma_{10\%} \geq 4.0 \text{ kPa}$ $\sigma_{10\%} \geq 3.0 \text{ kPa}$
Deformation under specified load and temperature test acc. to EN 1605:2013 with test condition 2 step A: (23 ± 5)°C / (48 ± 1) h / 40 kPa step B: (70 ± 1)°C / (168 ± 1) h / 40 kPa "Regupol comfort 5" "Regupol comfort 8" "Regupol comfort 12"	(difference between the relative deformation $\varepsilon_1$ after step A and $\varepsilon_2$ after step B)  $\Delta \varepsilon \leq 5.0 \%$ $\Delta \varepsilon \leq 5.0 \%$ $\Delta \varepsilon \leq 5.0 \%$
<p>a) Note: The dynamic stiffness is not used for calculation of impact sound reduction of a floor build-up. Only the declared impact sound reduction is to be used for the design of protection against noise.</p> <p>b) The given value includes a reduction of 2 dB to take influence of possible ageing into account.</p> <p>c) The design of the sound protection is to be performed according to the national provisions taking account of the structural assembly according to annex A.</p> <p>d) with cement screed with quick cement and synthetic resin dispersion, mixed with steel fibers (75 kg/m<sup>2</sup>, 37 mm)</p> <p>e) with cement screed (105 kg/m<sup>2</sup>, 53 mm)</p> <p>f) with cement screed with quick cement and synthetic resin dispersion, mixed with steel fibers (90 kg/m<sup>2</sup>, 42 mm)</p> <p>g) with cement screed (188 kg/m<sup>2</sup>, 92 mm)</p> <p>h) with cement screed with quick cement and synthetic resin dispersion, mixed with steel fibers (89 kg/m<sup>2</sup>, 43 mm)</p> <p>i) with cement screed (118 kg/m<sup>2</sup>, 59 mm)</p>	

**3.6 Energy economy and heat retention (BWR 6)**

Not applicable.

**3.7 Sustainable use of natural resources (BWR 7)**

For the sustainable use of natural resources no performance was investigated for this product.

**4 Assessment and verification of constancy of performance (AVCP) system applied, with reference to its legal base**

In accordance with the European Assessment Document EAD No 040049-00-0502 "polyurethane (PU) foam mat to be used for impact sound insulation" the legal basis is: Commission Decision 2000/273/EC (including change)

The system to be applied is: system 3

**5 Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system, as provided for in the applicable EAD**

Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system are laid down in the control plan deposited at Deutsches Institut für Bautechnik.

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## ANNEX A

The given values for the impact sound reduction in clause 3.5 apply, if the following is taken into account regarding the structural assembly:

- The impact sound insulation mats are loosely laid with the profiled side down on the even solid floor slab to be insulated. If necessary unevenness is leveled off.
- The impact sound insulation mats are laid with edges tightly abutted and fixed with a suitable adhesive tape against displacement in such a way that no gaps will occur in the joint area.
- Appropriate insulating edge strips are used at the boundary area on rising walls in order to avoid sonic bridges.
- The impact sound insulation mats are protected by a suitable foil before the screed will be built in.
- The floating screed, to be executed according to the national provisions, has a mass per unit area of at least according to clause 3.5, footnote d) to i).