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**Product:** Acoustic Silence 1050 - 5

**Samples delivery:** 15/03/2024

**Testing period:** April 2024 – June 2024

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## 1 Objectives and material delivery

MFA Leipzig GmbH was commissioned by co. Scan Underlay to test the following properties of the sound insulation product “Acoustic Silence 1050 - 5”:

- length and width according to EN 822
- squareness according to EN 824
- apparent density and mass per unit area according to EN 1602
- compression behaviour according to EN 826
- thickness and compressibility according to EN 12431
- deformation under specified load and temperature conditions EN 1605

On 15 March 2024, four rolls of the material were delivered to MFA Leipzig GmbH. Further information on the material is not available.



Fig. 1: Acoustic Silence 1050 - 5

## 2 Testing procedure and results

### 2.1 Length (l) and width (w) according to EN 822

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|-----------------------|--|
| DIN EN 822<br>2013-05 | Thermal insulating products for building applications -<br>Determination of length and width; German version EN 822:2013 |
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Conditioning: Storing at  $(23 \pm 5)$  °C and  $(50 \pm 5)$  % relative humidity for at least 6 h

Specimen: Material in delivery condition (roll)

Testing device: Determination of the length with a measuring tape  
Determination of the width with a steel ruler

Procedure: The roll is placed on a flat surface and the length is measured directly with a measuring tape and the width with a steel ruler.

Table 1: Length and width

| Date of testing: 18/04/2024 |                  |        |        |                 |        |        |
|-----------------------------|------------------|--------|--------|-----------------|--------|--------|
| Specimen<br>[-]             | Length l<br>[mm] |        |        | Width w<br>[mm] |        |        |
|                             | Roll 1           | Roll 2 | Roll 3 | Roll 1          | Roll 2 | Roll 3 |
| 1                           | 11863            | 11875  | 11860  | 996             | 995    | 996    |
| 2                           |                  |        |        | 995             | 995    | 999    |
| 3                           |                  |        |        | 997             | 998    | 999    |
| 4                           |                  |        |        | 1000            | 1001   | 1001   |
| 5                           |                  |        |        | 1000            | 1000   | 1002   |
| <b>mean value</b>           | <b>11865</b>     |        |        | <b>998</b>      |        |        |

## 2.2 Squareness according to EN 824

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| DIN EN 824<br>2013-05 | Thermal insulating products for building applications - Determination of squareness; German version EN 824:2013 |
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|-----------------|---|
| Conditioning:   | Storing at $(23 \pm 5)$ °C and $(50 \pm 5)$ % relative humidity for at least 6 h  |
| Specimen:       | A section of approx. 0.6 m in length was cut from the beginning and end of each roll. The squareness was checked at the original edges.   |
| Testing device: | Steel angle 90°<br>feeler gauge set   |
| Procedure:      | A 90° steel angle is applied to the edges of the test specimen and the deviation between the leg of the metal angle and the edge of the test specimen is measured using a feeler gauge set. |

Table 2: Squareness

| Date of testing: 25/04/2024 |                      |          |  |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|----------|--|
| Roll                        | Measurement location | Specimen | Deviation from squareness<br>$S_{max}$<br>[mm/m] |
| [-]                         | [-]                  | [-]      |  |
| Roll 1                      | Start of the roll    | A1       | 9.1  |
|                             | End of the roll      | E1       | 13.3   |
| Roll 2                      | Start of the roll    | A2       | 13.3   |
|                             | End of the roll      | E2       | 9.3  |
| Roll 3                      | Start of the roll    | A3       | 8.9  |
|                             | End of the roll      | E3       | 2.9  |
| <b>Maximum value</b>        |                      |          | <b>13.3</b>                                      |

### 2.3 Apparent density and mass per unit area according to EN 1602

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|------------------------|--|
| DIN EN 1602<br>2013-05 | Thermal insulating products for building applications – Determination of the apparent density; German version EN 1602:2013 |
|------------------------|--|

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| Conditioning:   | Storing at $(23 \pm 5) ^\circ\text{C}$ and $(50 \pm 5) \%$ relative humidity for at least 6 h   |
| Specimen:       | ca. 600 mm x 1000 mm x 5 mm   |
| Testing device: | Measurement of length, width and thickness with a digital calliper gauge<br>Determination of mass with scale  |
| Procedure:      | The dimensions are determined according to DIN EN 822 and DIN EN 823. The mass is determined by weighing and mass per unit area respective the density is calculated from this. |

Table 3: Apparent density and mass per unit area

| Date of testing: 24/04/2024 |            |             |            |            |                      |                      |
|-----------------------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Specimen-No.                | Length     | Width       | Thickness  | Mass       | Mass per unit area   | Raw density          |
|                             | l          | b           | d          | m          | m/A                  | $\rho$               |
| [-]                         | [mm]       | [mm]        | [mm]       | [g]        | [kg/m <sup>2</sup> ] | [kg/m <sup>3</sup> ] |
| A1                          | 600        | 996         | 5.1        | 654        | 1.09                 | 215.4                |
| E1                          | 620        | 1005        | 4.9        | 717        | 1.15                 | 235.2                |
| A2                          | 606        | 999         | 5.1        | 663        | 1.09                 | 216.8                |
| E2                          | 624        | 1004        | 4.8        | 735        | 1.17                 | 243.6                |
| A3                          | 607        | 999         | 5.1        | 663        | 1.09                 | 214.9                |
| E3                          | 612        | 1003        | 5.4        | 688        | 1.12                 | 208.4                |
| <b>Mean value</b>           | <b>611</b> | <b>1001</b> | <b>5.0</b> | <b>686</b> | <b>1.12</b>          | <b>225.2</b>         |

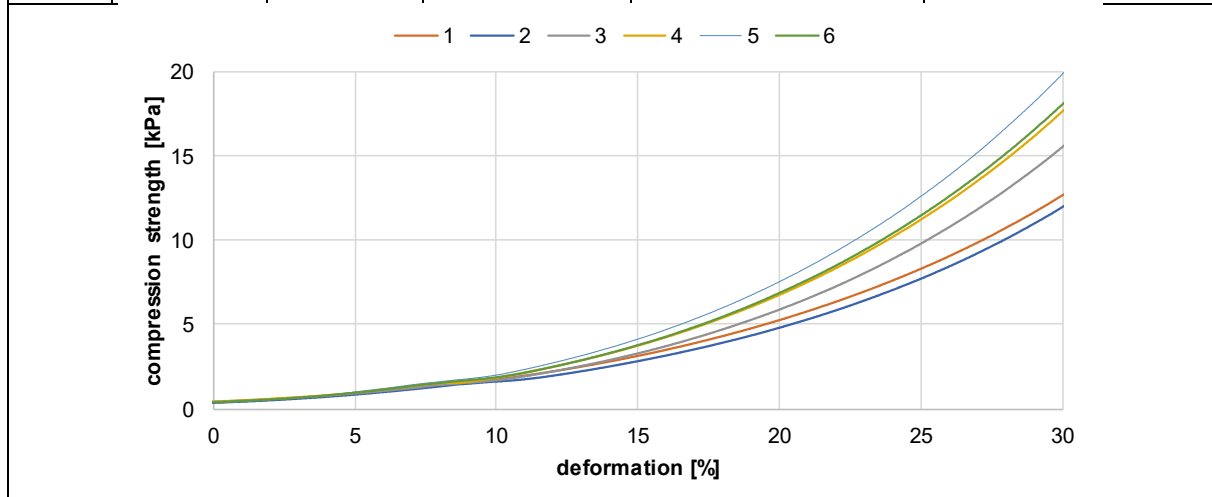
## 2.4 Compression behaviour (CS) according to EN 826

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|-----------------------|---|
| DIN EN 826<br>2013-05 | Thermal insulating products for building applications – Determination of compression behavior; German version EN 826:2013 |
|-----------------------|---|

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| Conditioning:   | Storing at $(23 \pm 5)$ °C and $(50 \pm 5)$ % relative humidity for at least 6 h                    |
| Specimen:       | 6 samples with dimensions of 200 x 200 mm <sup>2</sup>  |
| Testing device: | Universal testing machine TT2850 S, force sensor 5 kN   |
| Initial load:   | 250 Pa  |
| Parameter:      | Compressive force and compressive strength at 10 % deformation                                      |
| Procedure:      | The compressive force is increased with constant loading rate of 0.5 mm/min until 10 % deformation. |

Table 4: Compression behaviour

| Date of testing: 25/04/2024 |              |              |                               |  |  |
|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------------------|--|--|
| No.                         | Length       | Width        | Initial thickness<br>(250 Pa) | Compressive force at<br>10 % deformation | Compressive strength<br>at<br>10 % deformation |
| [-]                         | l [mm]       | w [mm]       | t [mm]                        | F <sub>10</sub> [N]                      | σ <sub>10</sub> [kPa]                          |
| A1                          | 200.6        | 199.9        | 5.28                          | 69.6                                     | 1.74   |
| A2                          | 200.7        | 200.0        | 5.23                          | 64.8                                     | 1.62   |
| M3                          | 200.4        | 200.2        | 5.13                          | 67.8                                     | 1.69   |
| M4                          | 200.7        | 200.0        | 5.27                          | 74.3                                     | 1.85   |
| E5                          | 200.8        | 200.0        | 4.79                          | 80.0                                     | 1.99   |
| E6                          | 200.5        | 199.8        | 4.71                          | 74.7                                     | 1.86   |
| <b>mean</b>                 | <b>200.6</b> | <b>200.0</b> | <b>5.07</b>                   | <b>71.9</b>                              | <b>1.79</b>                                    |

The graph plots compression strength in kPa against deformation in percent for six individual samples. The data points for each sample at 10% deformation are: Sample 1: 1.74 kPa, Sample 2: 1.62 kPa, Sample 3: 1.69 kPa, Sample 4: 1.85 kPa, Sample 5: 1.99 kPa, Sample 6: 1.86 kPa. The mean value is 1.79 kPa.

## 2.5 Thickness and compressibility according to EN 12431

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| DIN EN 12431<br>2013-05 | Thermal insulating products for building applications –<br>Determination of thickness for floating floor insulating products;<br>German version EN 12431:2013 |
|-------------------------|---|

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| Specimen:       | 5 samples with dimensions of 200 x 200 mm <sup>2</sup>   |
| Conditioning:   | 6 hours storing at 23 °C and 50 % r.h.   |
| Testing device: | Universal testing machine TT2850, force sensor 5 kN  |
| Parameter:      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>d<sub>L</sub>: Thickness after 2 minutes under a load of 250 Pa</li> <li>d<sub>F</sub>: Thickness after 2 minutes under a load of 2 kPa</li> <li>d<sub>B</sub>: Thickness after 5 minutes under a load of 2 kPa, after an additional load of 48 kPa was applied for a short time</li> <li>c: compressibility, difference between d<sub>L</sub> and d<sub>B</sub></li> </ul> |

Procedure: According to DIN EN 12431, the test specimens are exposed to a defined compressive load. The compressibility c [mm] is the difference between the thicknesses before and after the compressive load.

Table 5: Thickness and compressibility

| Date of testing: 14/05/2024 |                             |                             |                             |                      |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| No.                         | Thickness<br>d <sub>L</sub> | Thickness<br>d <sub>F</sub> | Thickness<br>d <sub>B</sub> | Compressibility<br>c |
| [-]                         | [mm]                        | [mm]                        | [mm]                        | [mm]                 |
| 1-CP-E                      | 4.74                        | 4.10                        | 3.82                        | 0.92                 |
| 2-CP-M                      | 5.01                        | 4.19                        | 3.85                        | 1.17                 |
| 3-CP-A                      | 5.43                        | 4.76                        | 4.37                        | 1.06                 |
| 4-CP-E                      | 4.73                        | 4.17                        | 3.92                        | 0.80                 |
| 5-CP-M                      | 5.03                        | 4.31                        | 4.00                        | 1.03                 |
| <b>Mean value</b>           | <b>4.99</b>                 | <b>4.31</b>                 | <b>3.99</b>                 | <b>1.00</b>          |



## 2.6 Deformation under specified load and temperature conditions EN 1605

|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| DIN EN 1605<br>2013-05 | Thermal insulating products for building applications - Determination of deformation under specified compressive load and temperature conditions; German version EN 1605:2013 |
|------------------------|---|

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| Conditioning:   | (23 ± 2) °C and (50 ± 5) % rel. hum. for > 24 hours   |
| Dimensions:     | ca. 50 mm x 50 mm x thickness   |
| Test condition: | Test condition 1 according to Table 1, DIN EN 1605<br>Level A: Compressive load 40 kPa for (48 ± 1) h at (23 ± 5) °C<br>Level B: Compressive load 40 kPa for (168 ± 1) h at (70 ± 1) °C   |
| Testing device: | Determination of length and width with digital calipers<br>Determination the thickness with dial gauge  |
| Procedure:      | First, the initial dimensions of the test specimens are determined. Then a compressive load of 40 kPa at 23 °C is applied for 48 h and then the thickness is measured again. This results in the compression $\varepsilon_1$ (test level A). Then the heating chamber is switched on and the test specimens are left under the compressive load of 40 kPa at 70 °C for 168 h (test level B). Then the thickness is measured again. The total compression $\varepsilon_2$ results from the initial thickness and the thickness after test stage B. The relative change in thickness, $\Delta\varepsilon_d$ , is the difference between $\varepsilon_1$ and $\varepsilon_2$ . |

Table 6: Deformation under specified compressive load and temperature conditions

| Testing period: 25/04/2024 – 04/05/2024 |                     |                    |                        |                                   |                                   |   |
|---|---------------------|--------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| No.                                     | Dimensions          |                    |                        | Compression                       |                                   | Relative change<br>$\Delta\varepsilon_d$<br>[%] |
|   | Length<br>l<br>[mm] | Width<br>b<br>[mm] | Thickness<br>d<br>[mm] | Level A<br>$\varepsilon_1$<br>[%] | Level B<br>$\varepsilon_2$<br>[%] |   |
| E1-DLT-1                                | 49.0                | 49.9               | 3.1                    | 36.1                              | 41.6                              | 5.5   |
| A2-DLT-2                                | 49.4                | 49.8               | 3.6                    | 40.0                              | 44.7                              | 4.8   |
| A3-DLT-3                                | 50.1                | 48.2               | 3.8                    | 36.4                              | 41.2                              | 4.8   |
| <b>Mean value</b>                       | <b>49.5</b>         | <b>49.3</b>        | <b>3.5</b>             | <b>37.5</b>                       | <b>42.5</b>                       | <b>5.0</b>                                      |

### 3 Summary

The results of the tests carried out at the product "Acoustic Silence 1050 - 5" are summarized in the table below.

Table 7: Summary

| Material property                                      | Test standard | Result                  |
|--|---------------|-------------------------|
| Length l (roll)  | EN 822        | 11865 mm                |
| Width w (roll)   | EN 822        | 998 mm                  |
| Thickness $d_L$  | EN 12431      | 4.99 mm                 |
| Compressibility c                                      | EN 12431      | 1.00 mm                 |
| Deviation from squareness $S_{max}$ (roll), max. value | EN 824        | 13.3 mm/m               |
| Mass per unit area m/A                                 | EN 1602       | 1.12 kg/m <sup>2</sup>  |
| Raw density $\rho$                                     | EN 1602       | 225.2 kg/m <sup>3</sup> |
| Compressive strength $\sigma_{10}$                     | EN 826        | 1.79 kPa                |
| Deformation at 40 kPa / 70 °C                          | EN 1605       | 5.0 %                   |

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