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Customer: Le Tissage d'Arcade (2TEC2)

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Tests: Laboratory measurement of the reduction of impact noise by a floating floor system

on a heavyweight standard floor.

Product name: 2tec2 comfort backing

Normative references:

NBN EN ISO 10140-3 Acoustics - Laboratory measurement of sound insulation of building elements

- Part 3: Measurements of impact sound insulation

Various other related norms:

NBN EN ISO 10140-1 Acoustics - Laboratory measurement of sound insulation of building elements

- Part 1: Application rules for specific products

NBN EN ISO 10140-4 Acoustics - Laboratory measurement of sound insulation of building elements

- Part 4: Measurement procedures and requirements

NBN EN ISO 10140-5 Acoustics - Laboratory measurement of sound insulation of building elements

- Part 5: Requirements for test facilities and equipment

NBN EN ISO 12999-1 Acoustics - Determination and application of measurement uncertainties in building acoustics

- Part 1: Sound insulation

NBN EN ISO 717-2 Acoustics - Rating of sound insulation in buildings and of building elements

- Part 2: Impact sound insulation

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MEASURING EQUIPMENT

Source signal

Brüel & Kjaer - 4292 : Omni Power Sound Source

Brüel & Kjear - 2716 : Power amplifier

Norsonic Nor277: Tapping machine conform ISO 10140-5 Annex E

Microphone and data acquisition system:

Brüel & Kjaer - 4189 : 1/2" free field microphone, 6Hz to 20kHz, prepolarized

Brüel & Kjaer - ZC-0032 : 1/2" microphone preamplifier

Brüel & Kjaer - 4231: Sound calibrator 94&114dB SPL-1000Hz, Fulfils IEC 60942(2003)Class1

Brüel & Kjaer - JP 1041 : dual 10-pole adaptor JP-1041

Brüel & Kjaer - 2270 : Sound level meter - dual channel instrument (measuring both channels simultaneously)

Conforms with IEC 61672-1 (2002-05) Class 1

Brüel & Kjear - 3923 : rotating microphone boom

One rotating microphone system in the receiving room

Number of tapping machine positions:

Minimum 0,7m between the different source positions
Distances to the board of the floor at least 0.5 m
Random positions and orientation of the tapping machine.

Number of microphone positions for each tapping machine position: 2

Microphone position with a rotating microphone

Number of rotations: 3

Rotation speed: 16 sec/tr

Minimum rotation time: 30 sec

Just not a rotation angle <10 ° to the chamber surfaces

Data processing

Brüel & Kjaer - BZ-5503 : utility software for hand-held analyzers Brüel & Kjaer - BZ-7229 : dual-channel building acoustics software Brüel & Kjaer - 7830 :Qualifier Software for reporting results

A computer with proprietary software

Averaging Time per measurement: 48 sec Number of reverberation time measurements (with graphic control): 27

Test chambers

Volume receiving room: 51.4 m³
Reference floor area: 12.00 m²
Surface test floor: 0.67 m²
There are diffusers and absorption material applied in the receiving room.

Standard floor

The base floor used is a 140 mm thick solid reinforced concrete slab. According to ISO 10140-5 Annex C this is the "heavyweight standard floor".



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STANDARD METHOD

The normalised impact sound pressure level Ln and the reduction of sound pressure level (improvement of impact sound insulation) ΔL were measured according to the standard NBN EN ISO 10140-3:2010. A detailed description of the test set up has been given in the figures of annex 1 of this report.

The tests were measured as follows:

- The test sample is mounted onto a heavyweight standard floor, in accordance with the descriptions in the standard NBN EN ISO 10140-1 and 10140-3.
- The standardized (see NBN EN ISO 10140-5:2010 Annex E) tapping machine is positioned in 3 or 4 positions on the test floor (depending on the sample). The impact sound pressure levels are measured in the receiving room below the test floor using a moving microphone.

 A one-third octave band analyser measured the averaged sound levels in the third octave bands from 100 to 5000 Hz. If required, the levels are corrected to account for the background noise. The individual measurements are then averaged energetically for each one-third octave band and converted with the reverberation time measurements to the normalized impact sound pressure level Ln for a receiving room having 10m² of equivalent sound absorption area.
- The normalized impact sound pressure level of the heavyweight standard floor Ln,0 is measured using the identical procedure.
- The normalized impact sound pressure level is calculated according to the following equation:

- The temperature, relative humidity and static pressure is also measured in the test rooms.
- The improvement ΔL of the impact sound insulation is calculated from the difference between the weighted impact sound levels of the bare floor without and with the floor covering:

$$\Delta L = L_{n,0} - L_n$$
 [dB]

met $\Delta \mathbf{L} = \mathbf{T}$ The improvement of the impact sound insulation

 $L_{n,0}$ = normalized impact sound pressure level of the bare floor

 L_n = normalized impact sound pressure level of the bare floor with floor covering



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Single rating numbers

Evaluation according to EN ISO 717-2 defines single-number quantities, $L_{n,w}$ (C_i) for the impact sound insulation of floors and ΔL_w ($C_{i,\Delta}$) for the impact sound reduction of floor coverings and floating floors from the results of measurements carried out in accordance with NBN EN ISO 10140-3.

The values obtained in accordance with ISO 10140-3 are compared with reference values at the frequencies of measurement within the range 100Hz to 3150 Hz for measurements in one-third octave bands. The calculation of the single-value indicator can not be summarised in a few lines. See standard NBN EN ISO 717-2 for details.

 $L_{n,w}$ = weighted normalized impact sound pressure level

 $L_{n,w}+C_i$ = weighted normalized impact sound pressure level corrected with the adaptation term Ci

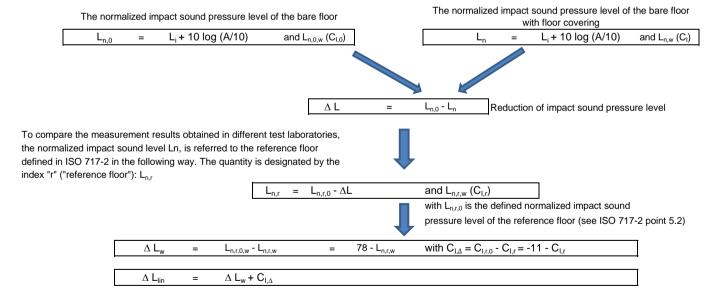
 C_i = $L_{n,sum}$ - 15 - $L_{n,w}$ With $L_{n,sum}$ the summation on an energetic basis for the one-third octave bands in the frequency range 100Hz to 2,5kHz

$$L_{n,sum} = 10 log \sum_{i=1}^{k} 10^{\frac{L_i}{10}}$$

Calculations of the spectrum adaptation term may additionally be carried out for an enlarged frequency range.

The single-number quantities of impact sound insulation properties of floors, presented as L_{n,w} (C_i)

The single-number quantities of the weighted reduction in impact sound pressure level for floorcoverings, is presented as ΔL_w ($C_{i,\Delta}$) and ΔL_{lin}





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SPECIAL MEASUREMENT CONDITIONS		
n/a		

ACCURACY

The accuracy of the impact sound insulation as calculated can be expressed in terms of repeatability (tests within one laboratory) and reproducibility (between various laboratories)

Repeatability [r

When: - two tests are performed on identical test material - within a short period of time - by the same person or team - using the same instrumentation - under unchanged environmental conditions - the probability will be 95% that the difference between the two test results will be less than or equal to r

Reproducibility [R]

When: - two tests are performed on identical test material - in different laboratories - by different person(s) - under different environmental conditions - the probability will be 95% that the difference between the two test results will be less than or equal to R

In NBN EN ISO 12999-1 there is a statement on the reproducibility R to be expected, based on the results of various inter-laboratory tests. The reproducibility of the single figure rating Lw, Δ Lw is about 3 dB.

The specific value of uncertainty is available on request

ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS during the tests

Temperature: $T = 22.7 \, ^{\circ}\text{C} \qquad 21.2 \, ^{\circ}\text{C}$ Atmospheric pressure: $p = 1017 \, \text{hPa} \qquad 1017 \, \text{hPa}$ Relative humidity: $h_r = 54.0 \, ^{\circ}\text{M} \qquad 76.0 \, ^{\circ}\text{M}$





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MEASUREMENT AND CALCULATION DETAILS

The results as presented here relate only to the tested items and laboratory conditions as described in this report.

The results of the measurements are presented on the next pages (6 till 9)

- on page 7: the measurement results for the normalized impact sound level for the bare floor (the naked laboratory floor)
- on page 8: the measurement results for the normalized impact sound level for the bare floor with floor covering, composition of the test element in annex 2
- on page 9: the calculation of the reduction of impact sound pressure

The results are given at all frequencies of measurement, both in tabular form and in the form of a graph.

The next table present an overview of the measurements and calculations

	Ln,0	Ln	ΔL	$L_{n,r,0}$	$L_{n,r}$	
f	bare floor	bare floor	L _{n,0} - L _n	reference floor	reference floor	
		+ floor covering		according ISO 717-2 / 5.2	+ floor covering	
					L _{n,r,0} - ∆L	
(Hz)	(dB)	(dB)	(dB)	(dB)	(dB)	
50	54.3	52.1	2.2			
63	55.3	54.0	1.3			
80	63.2	61.6	1.6			
100	58.1	56.7	1.4	67.0	65.6	
125	59.5	57.9	1.6	67.5	65.9	
160	62.0	59.3	2.7	68.0	65.3	
200	64.7	62.3	2.4	68.5	66.1	
250	69.9	65.3	4.6	69.0	64.4	
315	70.9	64.1	6.8	69.5	62.7	
400	70.2	61.3	8.9	70.0	61.1	
500	71.1	60.0	11.1	70.5	59.4	
630	71.9	56.9	15.0	71.0	56.0	
800	72.6	53.0	19.6	71.5	51.9	
1000	73.0	48.5	24.5	72.0	47.5	
1250	72.6	40.2	32.4	72.0	39.6	
1600	73.4	31.9	41.5	72.0	30.5	
2000	72.4	22.1	50.3	72.0	21.7	
2500	71.7	18.1	53.6	72.0	18.4	
3150	70.8	15.8	55.0	72.0	17.0	
4000	68.8	12.7	56.1	/	1	
5000	66.3	17.0	49.3	1	1	
ISO	$L_{n,0,w}$	$L_{n,w}$		$L_{n,r,0,w}$	$L_{n,r,w}$	ΔL _w = 78 - Ln,r,w
717-2	78	56		78	59	19 dB
	C _{1,0}	Cı		C _{I,r,0}	C _{I,r}	$C_{l,\Delta} = Cl,r,0 - Cl,r$
	-10	0		-11	-1	-10 dB

$\Delta L_{lin} = \Delta L_w + C_{l,\Delta}$
9 dB



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$L_{n,0}$

NORMALIZED IMPACT SOUND PRESSURE LEVEL (of standard floor) in accordance with ISO 10140-3:2010

Le Tissage d'Arcade (2TEC2) Date of test: 7/07/2017 Client: Description of the test setup: The base floor used is a 140 mm thick solid reinforced concrete slab. According to ISO 10140-5 Annex C this is the "heavyweight standard floor". Receiving room volume V: 51.4 m³ Reference floor area: 12.0 m² reference values (according ISO 717-2) 0.7 m^2 Tested floor area: shifted reference values (according ISO 717-2) Signal: Standard tapping machine with steel-headed hammers. 90 f $L_{n,0}$ (*) 80 (dB) (Hz) 1/3 octave bands 50 54.3 70 63 55.3 80 63.2 100 58.1 125 59.5 60 160 62.0 Ln [dB] 200 64.7 250 69.9 50 315 70.9 400 70.2 500 71.1 40 630 71.9 800 72.6 1000 73.0 30 1250 72.6 1600 73.4 2000 72.4 20 2500 71.7 3150 70.8 68.8 5000 66.3 10 octave bands : 125 59.6 160 250 250 250 315 500 630 630 1250 1250 250 67.6 500 71.0 f [Hz] 1000 72.7 2000 72.4 68.2 B: Ln=< value shown (*) b : background noise correction used B: Maximum background noise correction used Rating according to ISO 717-2 Ln,0,w (Ci,0) = 78 (-10) dB Evaluation based on laboratory measurement results obtained in one-third-octave bands by an engineering method No.of test report: SONH535 Name of test institute: eco-scan bvba 7/07/2017 Date: Signature: Volker Spessart

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reference values (according ISO 717-2)

f [Hz]

shifted reference values (according ISO 717-2)

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NORMALIZED IMPACT SOUND PRESSURE LEVEL in accordance with ISO 10140-3:2010

Le Tissage d'Arcade (2TEC2) 7/07/2017 Client: Date of test:

Description of the test setup:

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140 mm heavyweight standard floor = solid reinforced concrete slab

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60

50

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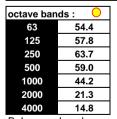
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Ln [dB]

Receiving room volume V: 51.4 m³ Reference floor area: 12.0 m² 0.7 m² Tested floor area:

Signal: Standard tapping machine with steel-headed hammers.

L _n	(*)
(dB)	
e bands :	
52.1	
54.0	
61.6	
56.7	
57.9	
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60.0	
56.9	
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22.1	
18.1	
15.8	b
12.7	b
17.0	b
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B: Ln=< value shown

(*) b : background noise correction used

B: Maximum background noise correction used

Rating according to ISO 717-2

Ln,w (Ci) 56 (0) dΒ

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$\Delta \mathsf{L}$

REDUCTION OF IMPACT SOUND PRESSURE LEVEL BY FLOOR COVERINGS in accordance with ISO 10140-3

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Description of the test setup:

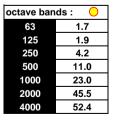
2tec2 comfort backing

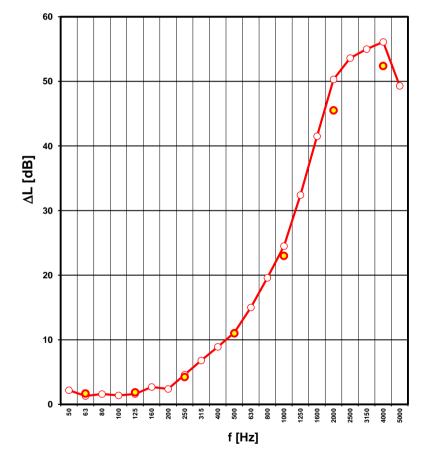
140 mm heavyweight standard floor = solid reinforced concrete slab

Receiving room volume V: 51.4 m³
Reference floor area: 12.0 m²
Tested floor area: 0.7 m²

Signal: Standard tapping machine with steel-headed hammers.

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f	ΔL	
	$=L_{n,0}-L_n$	
(Hz)	(dB)	
1/3 octave	bands : 💻	
50	2.2	
63	1.3	
80	1.6	
100	1.4	
125	1.6	
160	2.7	
200	2.4	
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315	6.8	
400	8.9	
500	11.1	
630	15.0	
800	19.6	
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1250	32.4	
1600	41.5	
2000	1 50.3 I	
2500	53.6	
3150	55.0	
4000	56.1	
5000	49.3	





Rating according to ISO 717-2

 $\Delta L_{w} (C_{i,\Delta}) = 19 (-10) dB$ $\Delta L_{lin} = 9 dB$

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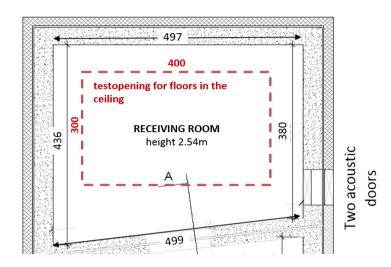


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ANNEX 1: Sound insulation test facilities

The test rooms meet the requirements of ISO 10140-5 Both rooms are isolated for vibrations by using a so called room-in-room construction.







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ANNEX 2: Description test items by manufacturer

Total thickness =

The test sample description given by manufacturer is checked visually as good as possible by the laboratory.

The correspondence between the test element and the commercialized product is the sole responsibility of the manufacturer

140

mm

Description of the test element as a layered structure

	Thickness			
	(mm)	ρ (kg/m³)	m" (kg/m²)	Description of the layer
1				2tec2 comfort backing
2	140	2300	322	heavyweight standard floor = solid reinforced concrete slab
3				
4				
5				
6				
7				
8				
9				
10				

ec2 comfort backing	
is a woven vinyl floorcovering with integrated acoustic backing layer.	

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ANNEX 3: Technical sheet

The test sample description given by manufacturer is checked visually as good as possible by the laboratory.

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On request at supplier.





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ANNEX 4: photographs of the test element or the test arrangement

Description of the assembly or drawing or photo

The floorcovering was put onto the reference base floor using two different small sized samples (0,5m x 1m) on three different positions.





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