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Determination of water vapour permeability acc. to EN 13469

Test report no.: R-13/20

Applicant:

K-Flex Polska Sp. z o.o. Wielenin Kolonia 50b, 99-210 Uniejów

Product name:

K-FLEX ST

Material designation:

07871014997 P

Material description:

Tube made of flexible elastomeric foam according to EN 14304:2009+A1:2013; Colour: black;

(acc. to indication) Nominal thickness: 13 mm; inner diameter: 28 mm;

Origin of the material:

Sampling by FIW München in the plant Uniejów on 17.12.2019. Samples were sent by applicant on 22.01.2020 to the FIW München.

Goods receipt no.: WE20-1014

Test procedure:

Determination of water vapour permeability in accordance with EN 13469:2013.

Test conditions according to clause 5: (23°C, 0/50% r. h.)

Specimen: tube Length: approx. 230 mm Comment: $\mu_{\text{tube}} = (2 \cdot \pi \cdot | \cdot \delta_L \cdot \Delta p) / (G \cdot \ln((D_i + 2 \cdot d)/D_i))$

Conditioning:

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Period of testing:

February - April 2020

Results:

The water vapour diffusion resistance index μ_{tube} has been tested at five specimens

with a mean density of 53 kg/m3.

specimen no.	inner diameter D _i mm	thickness d mm	density kg/m³	water vapour resistance index	water vapour permeability δ kg/(m·s·Pa)
1	27.0	14.1	53.1	8480	2.43 · 10 ⁻¹⁴
2	27.0	14.1	53.1	8040	2.57 · 10 ⁻¹⁴
3	27.0	14.2	52.9	7750	2.66 · 10 ⁻¹⁴
4	27.0	13.9	54.5	8200	2.52 · 10 ⁻¹⁴
5	27.0	14.1	53.4	8590	2.40 10 ⁻¹⁴
arithmetic mean	27	14	53	8200	2.5 · 10 ⁻¹⁴

Remarks:

The measured values are applicable only for the tested specimens with thickness d, inner

diameter D_i and chosen test conditions as specified above.

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