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SECTION - 1

• Company Profile

Company Profile The Company



A regional leader.

Established in 2005 as a Lebanese-Saudi joint venture, ASK is a limited liability company registered in Saudi Arabia as per the laws in force. Specializing in the manufacture and trade of gypsum products for the Region, it has brought to the Kingdom more than 50 years of experience in the industry, and a new era of technological innovations and precision products.

ASK Gypsum Factory is the largest supplier of gypsum products in the Gulf. Its 75,000 sqm facility produces over 20 million sqm of gypsum boards per year, and is expected to reach 50 million sqm by 2012.



Gypsum: The next construction essential.

Gypsum has become an essential element for building interiors and lightweight construction solutions. Produced by ASK under the commercial names of Gboard (for boards) and Gulf Gypsum (for powder), gypsum is increasingly used to add strength to the interior walls of buildings, and has insulation qualities that enhance living and working conditions.

Gboard offers the full spectrum of gypsum boards, from standard to fire resistant and water resistant boards. To further improve these types, gboard inovated impact-resistant boards, used in schools, hospitals and public facilities to reinforce walls that are subject to impact.

International quality standards.

Gboard's leadership in the gypsum industry is a result of one thing:



quality. Strict quality control applies from beginning to end, with a close monitoring of the raw material received from the factory's own quarries, to ensure manufacturing embarks with the required high-level components. Precision measurement equipment is then used to maintain optimal tolerance levels for the production line.

THE PRODUCT

UL certification

The UL Mark is the most recognized, accepted and trusted symbols in the world. It is a registered certification mark of Underwriters Laboratories Inc. (UL), an independent product safety testing and certification organization.

For the sake of understanding of the UL certification, it is worth highlighting the difference between a 'Certificate' and a 'test report' – UL certificates are issued when a product



qualifies and meets all the requirements and safety norms set forth by the Underwriters laboratories with regards to safety. Whereas test reports are a temporary phenomenon that declares a particular lot or a batch of the product produced at a given time to be test approved, thus test reports are valid only for that particular batch. That is what sets Gboard apart from rest of its compatriots, being a genuine UL tested and Certified product carrying UL mark.

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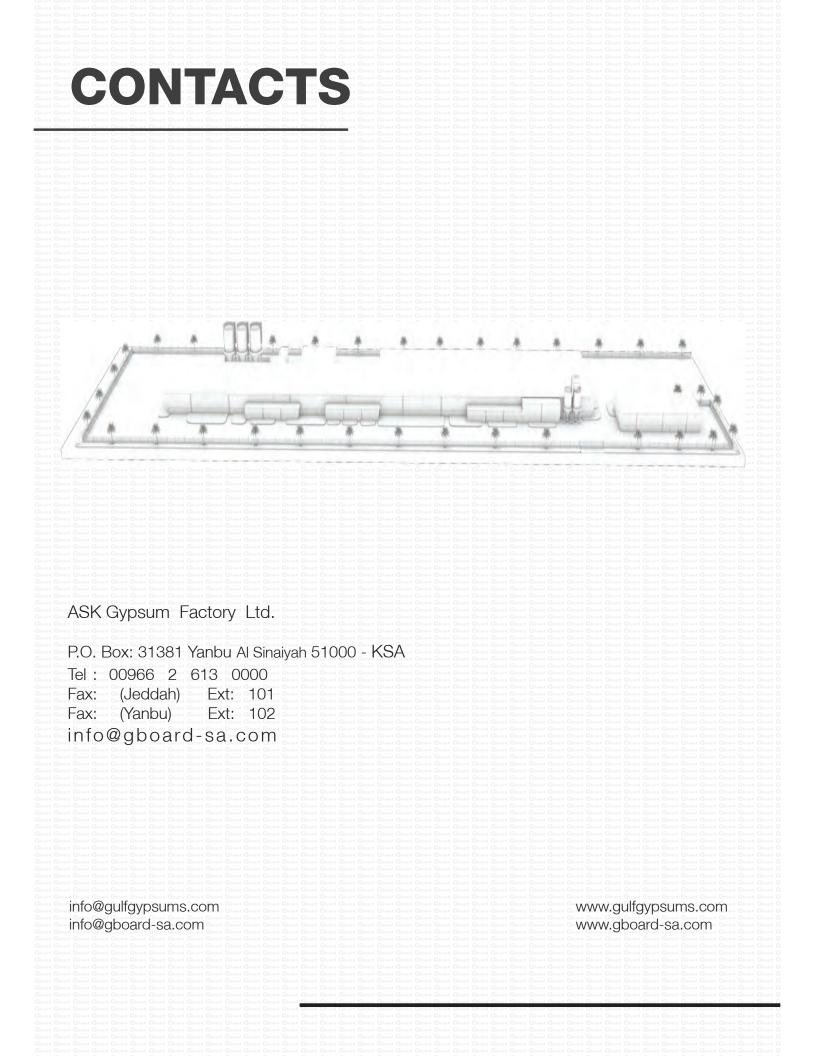
White gypsum. Green Company.

In a company that believes in natural construction products, Gboard is produced in the "greenest" ways possible. Raw gypsum is extracted directly from the factory's quarries, making the starting material as pure as possible, and the final product 99.9% natural.

With "build natural" as its motto, Gboard applies the most eco-friendly methods, such as dust minimization, waste diminution, and conservation of energy and water. This optimized utilization of natural resources, combined with cutting-edge technologies, has helped Gboard remain ahead of competition as a Company that continuously develops its products and provides benchmark quality at effective value.

Beyond excellence.

Meeting clients' expectations is easy. Exceeding them is what Gboard prides with. By offering exceptional service, innovative solutions, and quality products at the best value, it has become a reference in reliability and economy, and an industry player with a well-earned market share.





SECTION - 2

Legal Documents

- Commercial Registration
- Chamber of Commerce
- Zakat Certificate
- Industrial Investment License-(SAGIA)
- VAT- Value Added Tax.

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SECTION - 3

• Products Catalogues.



ASK Factory Building Products

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Walls, Ceilings and Floors Applications

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INTRODUCTION

The Company Behind the Product

expertise, ASK has been With its success driven by its people and their customers worldwide. services into the light, ASK continues to please a vast number of beneficial product range, bringing high quality and fast captured and executed into a concrete, productive, and incursion of new business opportunities that are international recognition, which has led to an By employing innovative technology all throughout our manufacturing process, ASK has achieved rtise, ASK has been implementing excellence in ucing versatile building products for many year

materials and solutions branded as C BoardTM. Today, ASK introduces its new Facility, manufacturing Fiber cement board

Regional Leader

architectural flexibility and as a result, providing the customers with exceptional costs. concepts to the market that are synonymous with high performance, durability and technology through the years has allowed ASK to continually introduce innovative building manufacture and marketing of durable fiber cement building products. The investment in ASK is committed to achieving and sustaining a regional leadership position in the



Manufacturing Capabilities

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systems to guarantee the highest quality of manufactured products. sophisticated computerized process control board manufacturing plants with two of the most advanced fiber cement In both KSA and Egypt, ASK has built

cement building sheets annually. capacity of production over 10 Million m2 of fiber The plants were completed in early 2016 with the

Basic Composition

does not contain asbestos. Fiber Cement is manufactured from Portland cement, high purity silica sand, treated cellulose fiber and water. It

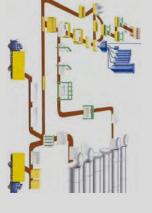




Manufacturing Process

thickness is achieved, the "green" sheet is cut away and deposited on a conveyor, where it is trimmed to size, then sacked and left for a short period of pre-curing. slurried mix of the core ingredients on a large steel cylinder, known as the size roller. When the desired sheet Fiber Cement is manufactured using the Hatschek process, which involves building up a number of laminations of a

boards The final curing, which is made in a high pressure steam strong fiber cement products such as C BoardTM building cement/silica sand matrix to produce highly durable and autoclave, changes the chemical structure of the









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Handling and Storage







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Edges

 Recessed Edge / 2 or 4 Sides
 Square Edge is applicable for all thicknesses. Square Edge **C Board**TM manufacture three types of edges:











and any kind of asbestos.

Product Range

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Physical Properties

Physical Properties

TECHNICAL DATA

Density

ASTM C1 186 -2012

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>7.0

Unit

Test Results 1.3 +/ - 0.05

Standard

ASTM C1186 - 2012

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%

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Watt/mK

0.15

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Water Absorption Flexural Strenght

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However, when it comes to recessed edge it is only applicable for boards with thickness of 6mm and

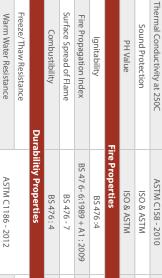
Perfect and Even Joints between Boards
 Faster and easier work when jointing boards

Benefits: above.









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*** Given Test Results are based on 9mm Non Pressed Thick Specimen

ISO 8336 - 2009 (E)





0.55mm - 1.2mm Thickness For Galvanized Steel Frame C BoardTM Screw Fix – A

C BoardTM Screw Fix – B

For Steel Frame 3.2 –1.0mm thickness





























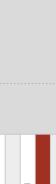










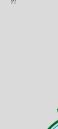






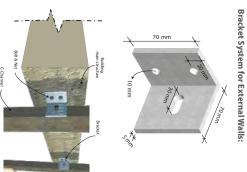


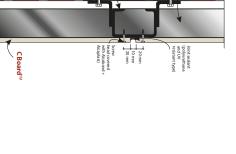


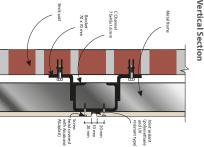


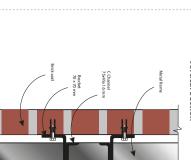


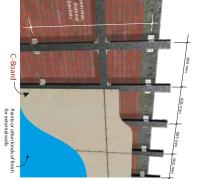


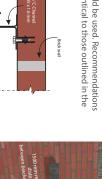


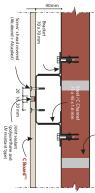












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Best Installation Practices

thickness of 6mm should be used. Recommendations for sheet layout are identical to those outlined in the In external applications, a minimum C BoardTM sheet

previous section.

Horizontal Section

Access Floor

External Walls

For Lining Wall application (ideal for building renovation)

Drywall Partition made with **C Board**TM wall Framin Systems Half Height partition made with **C Board**TM Solid Wall Panels Wall Lining made with C BoardTM Designer wall Boards Pre-engineered _ Building Mezzanine Floor - -A LA LA LA

1. For Ceiling System. 3. For Interior Wall System.

Where to use?

Metal Roofing Sheets

Rooflight

False Ceilings

2. For Exterior Wall System. 4. For Fooring System.

Cladding

Physical Properties

Soak Dry Resistance	Heat/Rain resistance	Warm Water Resistance	Freeze/ Thaw Resistance	Dur	Fire Propagation	Ignitability	Surface Burning		PH Value	Sound Protection	Thermal Conductivity at 250C	Moisture Content	Moisture Movement	Water Tightness	Water Absorption	Flexural Strenght	Density	Physical Properties	11
ISO 8336 - 2009 (E)		ASTM C1186 - 2012		Durabilitiy Properties	BS 476 - 6 : 1989 + A1 : 2009	BS 476 - 5 : 1979	ASTM C1186 - 2012	Fire Properties	ISO & ASTM	ISO & ASTM	ASTM C158 - 2010	ASTM C1186 - 2012	Standard	TECHNICAL DATA					
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*** Given Test Results are based on 9mm Pressed Thick Specimen

Vertical Section

Ceilings / Soffits

Sheet Layout

Install **C Board**TM sheets across the framing components i.e place the long edges of the sheet at right angles to the joists or furring channels.

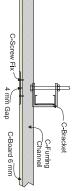
Sheets should be laid out in 'brick' staggered pattern so that adjacent butt joints are not located on the same framing components.

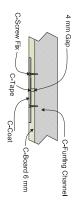
Locate butt joints on the centerline. Where joints are set, lay sheets to ensure that butt joints do not coincide with corners of openings, as these joints may crack due to frame movement.

Best Installation Practices

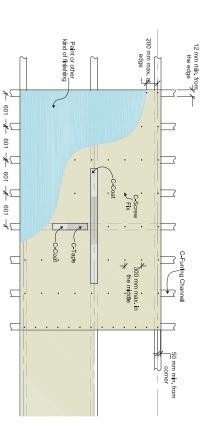


Jointing details at the recessed edges :





View From Below





Floorings

C BoardTM Flooring Board is the non-asbestos fiber-cement product composing of Portland cement, cellulose fiber and refined sand. With the special manufacturing process called autoclave, ASK's Flooring Board acquires the strength, durability of cement and easy workability of wood work as well as dimensional stability.

A thick and strong fiber-cement flat board gives a complete different feel to the floor be it a leveled or a raised floor.

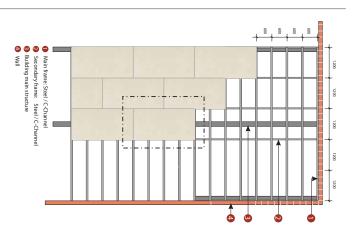
A fast and easy installation, the thick board of 15 and 18 mm can be used for any application; interior and exterior as well as commercial and residential.

Framing Requirements

C BoardTM flooring Board can be fixed with either steel frame or timber frame. Frame and method of framing must comply with relevant building regulations and standards in each country. Joist spacing for each degree of design load must be installed according to the following table.

Screw is recommended to use as fastener. For metal screws, the size and length of the screw will be according to thickness of the board and the gauge of framing. Pre-chiling the **C Board**TM Flooring Board is a must otherwise, Self-embedding, self-drilling head screws.

Fastener must locate at more than 12 mm from board edges and 50 mm from board corners. Maximum fastener spacing is 300 mm.







Planks

C BoardTM Plank in a unique composite of natural fibers bonded tightly in a high-grade silicate structure. This autoclaved wood-grain siding acquires impressive toughness, yet remains flexible and dimensionally stable. It is cellulose cement plank that contains absolutely NO asbestos fiber.

C BoardTM Plank can withstand simpler handling and installation and is therefore suitable for even Do-It-Yourself (DIY) segment. It comes in several sizes and textures with a real remedy to wood-cladding houses, which are severely affected by termites and rains

Framing Requirements

Framing:

C BoardTM Plank can be fixed to steel frame with thickness of between 0.55 and 1.6 mm. Framing must be selected to provide sufficient strength to support the

CBoardTM Plank siding. Fixing:

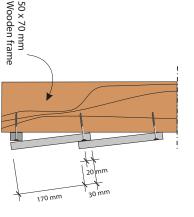
Fastener should be screwed. The size and length of the screw will be according to thickness of the Plank and the gauge of framing. Pre-drilling the board is a must, otherwise, Self-embedding, self-drilling head screws such as **C Board**TM FIX-W32G8 are preferred.

External cladding

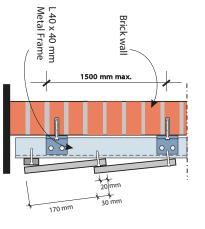


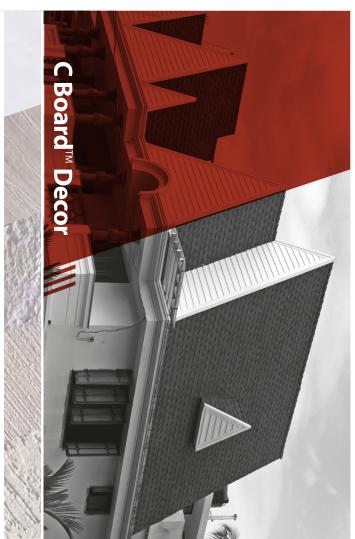
Best Installation Practice

Vertical section as external wall on wooden frame



Vertical section as lining wall on a metal frame





With Meticulous Design and continuous refinement, **C Board**TM Décor is a versatile weather board that offers the texture and the natural beauty timber, stone, marble, etc.. whilst delivering the maintenance free durability of fiber cement board.

Made from an advanced material that's five times thicker than typical vinyl cladding, **C Board**TM is fire, moisture, rot and pest resistant. It's unaffected by rain and hail damage and can be installed to withstand winds.

From classic to contemporary, there is a **C Board**^m product that will help you achieve the perfect look and finish for your project.

C-Board Mono C-Board Line C-Board Plaster

C-Board Plaster C -Board Stone C-Board Wood





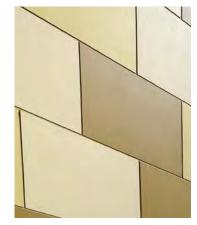
C Board[™] Mono



Thickness 4 mm - 18 mm (By increasing 2 mm)

Standard Production Dimensions (width) 1200 × (length) 2400mm Special production and cutting are performed according to the project.

USAGE TYPES	USAGE AREAS
	Exteriors
Siding	Interior Decorative Plating
	Column Facing
	Wall Panels
Wall Applications	Partition Walls
	Prefabricated Building Walls
Applications Below The Ceiling and Roof Coatings	Suspended Ceiling (9 mm products)









Standard Production Dimensions (width) 1200 x (length) 2400 mm **Thickness** 8 mm - 14 mm (By increasing 2 mm)

according to the project.	Special production and cutting are performed	
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False Floor Applications		Wall Applications			USAGE TYPES			
Prefabricated and Steel Structure Mezzanine Floor Covering	Prefabricated Building Walls	Partition Walls	Wall Panels	Column Facing	Interior Decorative Plating	Exteriors	USAGE AREAS	











C Board[™] Plaster



Thickness

8 mm - 14 mm (By increasing 2 mm)

Standard Production Dimensions (width) 1200 x (length) 2400 mm

Special production and cutting are performed according to the project.

USAGE TYPES	USAGE AREAS
	Exteriors
Siding	Interior Decorative Plating
	Column Facing
	Wall Panels
Wall Applications	Partition Walls
	Prefabricated Building Walls
Applications Below The Ceiling and Roof Coatings	Suspended Ceiling







C Board[™] Stone



Thickness

8 mm - 14 mm (By increasing 2 mm) **Standard Production Dimensions** (width) 1200 x (length) 2400 mm

Special production and cutting are performed according to the project.

USAGETYPES		USAGE AREAS
	Ē	Exteriors
Siding	-	Interior Decorative Plating
	0	Column Facing
	×	Wall Panels
Wall Applications		Partition Walls
	Pr	Prefabricated Building Walls
Applications Below The Ceiling and Roof Coatings		Prefabricated and Steel Structure Mezzanine Floor Covering











C Board[™] Wood



Thickness

Standard Production Dimensions 8 mm - 14 mm (By increasing 2 mm)

(width) 1200 x (length) 2400 mm according to the project. Special production and cutting are performed

USAGE TYPES	USAGE AREAS
	Exteriors
Siding	Interior Decorative Plating
	Column Facing
	Wall Panels
Wall Applications	Partition Walls
	Prefabricated Building Walls
Applications Below The Ceiling and Roof Coatings	Suspended Ceiling (9 mm products)







Flush Jointing

Flush Jointing Internal Walls

C BoardTM Sheets can be joined using the G-Coat. To minimize the surface buildup of jointing materials over the joint, ensure that the recommended finished jointing widths in the following guidelines are applied.

SET JOINTS

Step 1 and dry, dampen the area around the joint prior to dust and contaminants. If working conditions are warm Preparation Ensure that the joints are clean and free of

to dry before applying a second coat.

Cover all fastener heads with **C Board**TM Base Coat. Allow

Step 4 – Fastener heads



knife. Apply G-Coat putty to fill the joints with a 150mm broad Step 2 – First coat

When the base coat is fully dry, use a 200mm wide second coat trowel to apply the **C Board**TM Base Coat.

Step 5 – Second coat

over the recess and feather the edges.

Apply this coat approximately 180mm wide, laid down



Step 3 – Embed tape



Firmly embed the paper tape centrally into the joint using a 150mm broad knife. Ensure that there are no



voids under the tape and remove excess compound.





Step 6 – Sanding









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SECTION - 4

• Compliance statement (ASTM)

• American Society for Testing and Materials

(ASTM C 1186)

Build Natural

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Compliance Statement

We **ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd.** hereby confirm that **"Cboard"** is 100% asbestos free Fiber Cement Board manufactured in compliance with the enclosed standard specification for flat fiber cement-sheets ASTM C1186-08, from a homogenous mixture of Portland cement and high purity Silica Sand with a reinforcing fiber known as Cellulose (a plant extract) or Wood Pulp added in versatile doses, using the latest technology of Hatschek process and Autoclave curing system.

Our product meets the technical requirements of the project specifications according to International Standards.

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Fiber Cement Board

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Standard Specification for Flat Fiber-Cement Sheets¹

This standard is issued under the fixed designation C1186; the number immediately following the designation indicates the year of original adoption or, in the case of revision, the year of last revision. A number in parentheses indicates the year of last reapproval. A superscript epsilon (') indicates an editorial change since the last revision or reapproval.

1. Scope

1.1 This specification covers either untextured or surface textured fiber-cement flat sheets intended for exterior applications such as claddings, facades, curtain walls, soffits, and so forth.

1.2 This specification is not applicable to asbestos-cement flat sheets (Specification C220), gypsum-based boards (Specifications C1396/C1396M, C1177/C1177M, C1178/C1178M), or particle boards (Terminology D1554) discrete non-asbestos fiber-cement interior substrate sheets (Specification C1288), fiber-mat reinforced non-asbestos cement interior substrate sheets (Specification C1325), or cement-bonded particleboards (Specification BS 5669: Part 4) and (ISO 8335).

1.3 The values stated in inch-pound units are to be regarded as standard. The values given in parentheses are mathematical conversions to SI units that are provided for information only and are not considered standard.

1.4 The text of this standard references notes and footnotes which provide explanatory material. These notes and footnotes (excluding those in tables and figures) shall not be considered as requirements of the standard.

2. Referenced Documents

2.1 ASTM Standards:²

- C220 Specification for Flat Asbestos-Cement Sheets
- C1154 Terminology for Non-Asbestos Fiber-Reinforced Cement Products
- C1177/C1177M Specification for Glass Mat Gypsum Substrate for Use as Sheathing
- C1178/C1178M Specification for Coated Glass Mat Water-Resistant Gypsum Backing Panel
- C1185 Test Methods for Sampling and Testing Non-Asbestos Fiber-Cement Flat Sheet, Roofing and Siding

¹ This specification is under the jurisdiction of ASTM Committee C17 on Fiber-Reinforced Cement Productsand is the direct responsibility of Subcommittee C17.02 on Non-Asbestos Fiber Cement Products.

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- C1288 Specification for Discrete Non-Asbestos Fiber-Cement Interior Substrate Sheets
- C1325 Specification for Non-Asbestos Fiber-Mat Reinforced Cementitious Backer Units
- C1396/C1396M Specification for Gypsum Board
- D1554 Terminology Relating to Wood-Base Fiber and Particle Panel Materials
- **E84** Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials
- 2.2 British Standards:³

BS 5669: Part 4 Specification for Cement Bonded Particleboard

2.3 International Standards:³ ISO 8335 Cement-bonded Particleboards—Boards of Portland or Equivalent Cement Reinforced with Fibrous Wood Particles

3. Terminology

3.1 Definitions-Refer to Terminology C1154.

4. Classification

4.1 Flat sheets covered by this specification are divided into two types, according to their intended application.

4.2 *Type A*—Sheets are intended for exterior applications, subjected to the direct action of sun, rain, or snow. They are supplied coated or uncoated.

4.3 Type B—Sheets are intended for exterior applications, not subjected to the direct action of sun, rain, or snow.

Note 1—If sheets of Type B are used in an exterior application, where they are directly exposed to the weather, but are protected by impregnation or coatings, the weather resistance of the product may be altered by the quality of the protection. Specification of this protection, as well as the method for control and test, are outside the scope of this specification.

4.4 The sheets are further classified into four grades according to their flexural strengths. The manufacturer shall declare the type and grade of a given product in the literature for that product.

³ Available from American National Standards Institute (ANSI), 25 W. 43rd St., 4th Floor, New York, NY 10036, http://www.ansi.org.

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5. Composition and Manufacture

5.1 Composition—This specification is applicable to fiber cement flat sheets consisting essentially of an inorganic hydraulic binder or a calcium silicate binder formed by the chemical reaction of a siliceous material and a calcareous material reinforced by organic fibers, inorganic non-asbestos fibers, or both. Process aids, fillers, and pigments that are compatible with fiber cement are not prohibited from being added.

5.2 *Manufacture*—These products are formed either with or without pressure and cured, either under natural or accelerated conditions, to meet the physical requirements of this specification.

6. Mechanical and Physical Requirements

6.1 Mechanical and physical properties shall be determined on uncoated product wherever practical. Where products are supplied coated, this material shall also be tested with the results identified as applying to coated material.

6.1.1 Sampling and inspection for mechanical and physical properties shall be conducted in accordance with Test Method C1185.

6.2 Mechanical Requirements:

6.2.1 *Flexural Strength*—When tested in accordance with Test Method C1185, the flexural strength shall not be less than the corresponding value for the appropriate grade in Table 1. Where manufacturers state minimum product strength, this shall be at the 4 % acceptable quality level (AQL) as are the values of Table 1.

6.2.2 Type A sheets for exterior applications shall be tested and specified in both the wet and equilibrium conditions. Type A sheets shall meet the minimum wet and minimum equilibrium flexural strength requirements for the appropriate grade specified in Table 1. In addition, the average wet flexural strength of the sample shall not be less than 50 % of the mean equilibrium strength of the sample.

6.2.3 Type B sheets shall be specified and tested in the equilibrium condition only.

Note 2—When sampling from continuous production, these tests may be conducted on dry, equilibrium, or saturated specimens, provided a relationship can be established between this testing and the specified values.

6.3 Physical Requirements:

6.3.1 *Density*—Nominal values and tolerances for density shall be stated by the manufacturer for each product. When tested in accordance with the method specified in Test Method C1185, the value for density shall comply with the value stated by the manufacturer.

TABLE 1 Flexural Strength Requirements

NOTE 1—The values of Table 1 are lower limit values based on an acceptable quality level (AQL) of 4 % at a 90 % confidence level.

Grade	Wet Strength, psi (MPa)	Equilibrium Strength, psi (MPa)
1	580 (4)	580 (4)
11	1015 (7)	1450 (10)
111	1885 (13) .	2320 (16)
IV	2610 (18)	3190 (22)

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7. Dimensions and Tolerances

7.1 *Method of Measurement*—The method of measurement shall be in accordance with Test Method C1185.

7.2 Nominal Length and Width—Fiber-cement sheets are typically supplied in nominal lengths of 96 in. (2438 mm), 120 in. (3048 mm) and nominal width of 48 in. (1219 mm). Greater or lesser nominal lengths and widths are not prohibited from being supplied.

7.3 Nominal Thickness—Fiber-cement sheets are normally available in thickness of $\frac{1}{8}$ in. (3.5 mm) to 1 in. (25 mm), although thickness outside of this range is not prohibited from being supplied. Refer to Table 2.

7.4 Length and Width Tolerance—The tolerance from the nominal shall be 60.5 % with a maximum variation of $6\frac{1}{4}$ in. (6 mm). A tolerance of $6\frac{1}{8}$ in. is acceptable for dimensions less than 24 in. (609 mm).

7.5 *Thickness Tolerance*—The maximum difference between extreme values of the thickness measurement within a sheet shall not exceed 15 % of the maximum measured value. Thickness variation from sheet to sheet shall not exceed the tolerances shown in Table 2.

7.6 Squareness Tolerance—The length of the diagonals shall not vary by more than $\frac{1}{32}$ in./ft (2.6 mm/m) of the length of the sheet. Opposite sides of the sheet shall not vary in length by more than $\frac{1}{32}$ in./ft (2.6 mm/m).

7.7 Edge Straightness Tolerance—The sheet edges shall be straight within $\frac{1}{32}$ in./ft (2.6 mm/m) of length or width.

8. Workmanship, Finish, and Appearance

8.1 *Workmanship*—Sheets shall have a commercially uniform surface on one side, and be free of major defects that will impair appearance, erection, use, or serviceability.

8.2 *Finish*—The surface of the sheet to be exposed shall be smooth, granular, or otherwise textured.

8.3 *Color*—The surface of the sheet shall be the natural color of the product or colored by the addition of mineral pigments, chemical impregnation, pigmented coating, veneer, or embedded mineral granules.

9. Inspection

9.1 Inspection of material shall be made at the point of shipment. The inspector representing the purchaser shall have ree access to the carriers being loaded for shipment to the purchaser. The purchaser shall be afforded all reasonable and available facilities at the point of shipment for sampling and

TABLE 2 Thickness Requirements Nominal Thickness, in. (mm) (mm)



inspection of the material, which shall be conducted as not to interfere unnecessarily with the loading of the carriers.

9.2 Third party certification, either continuous or at regular intervals, shall be recognized as an alternative to batch inspection.

10. Rejection

10.1 If the sampling fails to conform to any one of the requirements of this specification, a second sample from the same lot shall be prepared and tested. The results of the retest shall be combined with the results of the original test, according to the sampling procedure, to determine compliance with this specification.

10.2 Failure to conform to any one of the requirements of this specification, upon retest as prescribed above, shall constitute grounds for rejection.

11. Product Marking

11.1 Identification—Product marking shall include trademark or other means of identification that ensures that the manufacturer and product category can be identified. The method of marking shall be stated in the manufacturer's catalog.

12. Packaging and Storage

12.1 *Commercial Packaging*—Flat sheets shall be so shipped as to ensure acceptance by common carrier. There is no standard package. The material is usually in bulk or crated when so specified by the purchaser.

12.2 *Storage*—Flat sheets must be piled on sufficient firm supports that will keep the sheets level and flat. The sheets must be piled with the edges square and flush and covered to provide protection from the weather until used.

13. Keywords

13.1 air cured; appearance; autoclaved cured; cellulose fiber; density; edge straightness; exterior application; finish; flexural strength; frost resistance; heat/rain resistance; inspection; length and width tolerance; mechanical properties; minimum equilibrium strength; minimum wet strength; moisture content; moisture movement; nominal length; nominal thickness; nominal width; non-asbestos fiber; packaging; physical properties; polyethylene fiber; polyvinyl alcohol fiber; pressure cured; rejection; sampling; sheet grading; shipping; squareness tolerance; storage; supplementary requirements; supplementary tests; surface burning characteristics; thickness requirements; thickness tolerance; third party certification; tolerance; Type A; Type B; type tests; warm water resistance; water absorption; water tightness; workmanship

SUPPLEMENTARY REQUIREMENTS

S1. Supplementary requirements for Type A and B sheets shall consist of once only supplementary test, with the manufacturer's statement of results provided upon customer's request. Fundamental changes in formulation or methods of manufacture, or both, shall require the subsequent retesting of the supplementary tests.

S1.1 The following supplementary tests shall be required for Type A and B sheets:

Supplementary Test	Туре А	Type B
Moisture Movement	yes	yes
Water Absorption	yes	yes
Moisture Content	yes	yes
Water Tightness	yes	no
Surface Burning Characteristics	yes	yes
Frost Resistance	yes	no
Warm Water Resistance	yes	no
Heat/Rain Resistance	yes	no

S1.2 Supplementary requirements shall be determined on uncoated product wherever practical. Where products are supplied coated, this material shall also be tested with the results identified as applying to coated material.

S2. Moisture Movement—The linear variation with change in moisture content shall be stated as the percentage change in length based on a relative humidity change from 30 to 90 % in accordance with Test Method C1185.

S3. *Water Absorption*—Calculate the amount of water absorbed from the increase in weight of the dried specimen during submersion for a period of 48 h. Express the water

absorptions as the percentage by weight when tested in accordance with Test Method C1185.

S4. Moisture Content—State the percentage of moisture content of the fiber-cement sheet when conditioned at 50 6 5 % relative humidity and a temperature of 73 6 4°F (23 6 2° C) in accordance with Test Method C1185.

S5. *Water Tightness*—The specimens, when tested in accordance with Test Method C1185, are not prohibited from showing traces of moisture on the underside of the sheet, but in no instance shall there be any formation of drops of water.

S6. Surface Burning Characteristics—Fiber cement sheets of $\frac{1}{4}$ in. (6 mm) shall have a reported flame spread index of 0 and a smoke developed index of not more than 5, when tested in accordance with Test Method E84. Sheets of thickness greater than $\frac{1}{4}$ in. (6 mm) shall meet this specification or shall be formed at $\frac{1}{4}$ in. (6 mm) thickness with the same formulation for test purposes.

S7. Frost Resistance (Freeze/Thaw)—The specimens, when tested in accordance with Test Method C1185 (Section 12 on Freeze/Thaw—Cladding Products), for 50 cycles, shall not show visible cracks or structural alteration such as to affect their performance in use. The ratio of retained strength as calculated from the test results shall be at least 80 %.

S8. Warm Water Resistance—The specimens, when tested in accordance with Test Method C1185, shall not show visible cracks or structural alteration, such as to affect their performance in use. The ratio of strengths as calculated from test results shall be reported.

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S9. *Heat/Rain Resistance*—The specimens, when tested in accordance with Test Method C1185 (Section 14 on Heat/Rain—Wall Structures), for 25 cycles, shall not show visible

cracks or structural alteration of the sheets and frame assembly such as to affect their performance in use.

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SECTION - 5

• Technical Datasheets (TDS)



Description

Cboard is a 100% asbestos free fiber cement board manufactured in Saudi Arabia by ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd from a homogenous mixture of Portland cement and high purity silica sand with a reinforcing fiber known as Cellulose (a plant extract) or pulp added in versatile doses, using the latest technology of pressing and autoclave processes.

Choard is a very strong and more durable board, with superior physical and mechanical properties, and it can be used in the interior and exterior works.

Key Features



Applications

Cboard is flat in shape with various thicknesses and dimensions making it a versatile board for the use in wide range of segments (residential, commercial and Industrial buildings) and different applications.

- Internal Areas: false ceiling, partitions, wall paneling, wall skirting, mezzanine flooring, doors, wet areas, etc.
- External Areas: prefab structures, wall cladding, roof underlay, ٠ soffit and eaves lining, sign boards, etc.

Standard Sizes & Shapes

- Thicknesses: 6, 9, 12, 15 & 18mm
- Sizes: 1200 x 2400mm & 1220 x 2440mm
- Edges: square & beveled

Technical and Physical Specifications

Test	Test Standard	Results				
rest		6mm	9mm	12mm	15mm	18mm
Unit Weight	ASTM C1186	$7.8 \text{ kg/m}^2 \pm 0.30$	12.1 kg/m2 \pm 0.45	$16.3 \text{ kg/m2} \pm 0.60$	20.9 kg/m 2 ± 0.75	$24.8 \text{ kg/m2} \pm 0.90$
Density	ASTM C1186	> 1300 kg/m ³ ± 50				
Flexural Strength	ASTM C1186	Longitudinal: > 12 MPa Transversal: > 7 MPa				
Water Absorption	ASTM C1186			< 35%		
Water Tightness	ASTM C1186	Pass				
Moisture Movement	ASTM C1186	Linear Change: 0.06% to 0.11%				
Moisture Content	ASTM C1186	5% to 10%				
Thermal Conductivity at 25°C	ASTM C518	0.20 W/m.k				
Warm Water Resistance	ASTM C1186	Pass				
Heat Rain Resistance	ASTM C1186	Pass				
Freeze / Thaw Resistance	ASTM C1186	Pass				
Soak Dry Test (25 Cycle)	ISO 8336 (E)	Pass				
pH Value	ISO & ASTM	7 to 10				
STC Values	ISO & ASTM	30 – 64 dB				
Screw Withdrawal Strength	ISO & ASTM	$400~\text{N}\pm50$	$500~\text{N}\pm50$	$1350~\text{N}\pm50$	$1400~\text{N}\pm50$	$1450~\text{N}\pm50$
Fire Resistance Properties						
Combustibility	BS 476:4	Class '0' – Non-Combustible				
Ignitibility	BS 476-5	Class 'P' – Not Easily Ignitable				
Smoke Developed Index (SDI)	ASTM E84	5 (Class A)				
Flame Spread Index (FSI)	ASTM E84	0 (Class A)				

Cboard is a registered trade mark. Given test results are based on 6, 9, 12, 15 & 18mm thick specimen

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ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd.







Fiber Cement Boards - HD

Description

Cboard - HD is a 100% asbestos free fiber pressed cement board manufactured in Saudi Arabia by ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd from a homogenous mixture of cement and silica with a reinforcing fiber known as Cellulose (a plant extract) or pulp added in versatile doses, using the latest technology of pressing and autoclave processes.

Cboard is a very strong and more durable board, with superior physical and mechanical properties, and it can be used in the interior and exterior works.

Key Features



Technical and Physical Specifications

Applications

Choard is flat in shape with various thicknesses and dimensions making it a versatile board for the use in wide range of segments (residential, commercial and Industrial buildings) and different applications.

- *Internal Areas:* false ceiling, partitions, wall paneling, wall skirting, mezzanine flooring, doors, wet areas, etc.
- *External Areas:* prefab structures, wall cladding, roof underlay, soffit and eaves lining, sign boards, etc.

Standard Sizes & Shapes

- Thicknesses: 9 & 15mm
- Sizes: 1200 x 2400mm (metric) or 1220 x 2440mm (imperial)
- Edges: square & beveled

T	To at Chan dand	Result		
Test	Test Standard	9ММ	15MM	
Density	ASTM C1186	1.60 g/cm3 ± 0.05	1.5 g/cm3	
Flexural Strength	ASTM C1186	> 21.0 MPa	> 21.0 MPa	
Water Absorption	ASTM C1186	< 19%	< 24%	
Water Tightness	ASTM C1186	Pass	Pass	
Moisture Movement	ASTM C1186	0.12%	0.12%	
Moisture Content	ASTM C1186	< 7%	< 10%	
Thermal Conductivity at 250C (mean temperature)	ASTM C518	0.20 W/m.k	0.20 W/m.k	
Warm Water Resistance	ASTM C1186	Pass	Pass	
Heat Rain Resistance	ASTM C1186	Pass	Pass	
Freeze / Thaw Resistance	ASTM C1186	Pass	Pass	
Soak Dry Test	ISO 8336 (E)	Passes 25 Cycles	Passes 25 Cycles	
Screw Withdrawal Strength (Face)	ISO & ASTM	$1350~\text{N}\pm50$	1450 N ± 50	
pH Value	ISO & ASTM	7 – 9	7 – 9	
STC Values	ISO & ASTM	40 – 50 dB	50 – 60 dB	
Fire Resistance Properties				
Combustibility	BS 476:4	Class '0' Non-Combustible	Class '0' Non-Combustible	
Ignitibility	BS 476-5	Class 'P' – not easily ignitable	Class 'P' – not easily ignitable	
Fire Propagation Index	BS 476-6	I=0.1	I=0.1	
Surface Spread of Flame	BS 476-7	Class – 1	Class – 1	

Given test results are based on 9 & 15mm thick pressed specimen

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SECTION - 6

• Certificates

- TUV ISO
- Achilles Chemicals and Allied Industries
- United Arab Emirates Ministry of Interior Civil Defense G.H.Q
- Thomas Bell-Wright- Cboard Fiber Cement Board Non-Load-bearing partition Wall System Test Method: ASTM E119-16a.
- Thomas Bell-Wright- Cboard Fiber Cement Board Fire Test to the test Standard ASTM: E84-16.



CERTIFICATE

Management System as per EN ISO 9001: 2008

In accordance with TÜV AUSTRIA procedures, it is hereby certified that

ASK GYPSUM FACTORY LTD. Saudi Arabia, Medinah, Yanbu, light industrial Area – AL Razi street.

Applies a Quality Management System in line with the above Standard for the following Scope

MANUFACTURING OF GYPSUM POWDER, GYPSUM BOARD, AND FIBRE CEMENT BOARD.

Certificate Registration No.: 1317100062786

Certification Body at TÜV AUSTRIA

Valid until: 2018-09-15*

Athens, 2017-01-18

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Certificate of Verification

This is to certify that

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is now a verified supplier in the Achilles Chemicals & Allied Industries Community, and that company information related to the following criteria has been checked and validated by Achilles Information Limited, an independent third party:

- Supply Chain Management
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- Quality Management
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Verified Products/Services

Product/Service Code and Description

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- 9.2.13 Plaster
- 9.2.3 Cement
- 9.2.6 Exterior finishing products





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	Manufact	urer details	
NAME OF FACTORY/ MANUFACTURER	ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd	NAME OF THE BRAND	"C board" Fibre Cement Boards
FACTORY ADDRESS / REGION (STREET / TOWN / CITY / COUNTRY)	Prince Faysal Bin Fahd Street, Al Chate District, P.O. Box. 6556 Jeddah 23513-2509, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia	MODEL / NO	N/A
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	Product Details From Test Report	Test Report	
		page NO	
DESCRIPTION OF THE PRODUCT (TECHNICAL DETAILS FROM TEST REPORT, SUCH AS ACTUAL FIRE RATINGS/DIMENSIONS/THIC KNESS/ SENSITIVITY ETC)	The boards are Asbestos free fibre board manufactured from a homogenous mixture of cement and silica with reinforcing fibre (Cellulose or pulp). The boards are 6 mm, 9 mm, 12 mm and 18 mm thick "C Board" Fibre Cement Boards.	QH147-1 QH147-2 QH147-3 QH147-4 Page 5	
TEST STANDARD (SUCH AS ASTM/BS EN/ DNETC)	ASTM E84-16 Determination of the flame spread index and the smoke developed index of aluminum composite material as per ASTM E84; Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials.	QH147-1 QH147-2 QH147-3 QH147-4 Page 4	
TEST DESCRIPTION	ASTM E84-16 The test specimen consisted of 3 sections of fiber cement. The total dimensions of the specimens were 7320 x 600 x 4mm (I x w x thk). The dimension per panel was 2440 x 600 x 6/9/12/18 mm (I x w x thk.) and was butt jointed end-to-end. The total dimensions of the specimen were 7320 x 600 x 3mm (I x w x thk). Several sections of cement board butt jointed end-to-end with overall dimensions of 7350 x 600 mm (I x w), were placed at the back of the sample to protect the furnace lid assembly. The specimen was installed horizontally in the Steiner Tunnel and supported by the ledges. The core smooth surface of the specimen (fire side) was exposed to a flaming exposure during the 10 minute test duration. Flame spread and density of the smoke are measured and recorded while the results are computed against the standard calibration materials (cement board and red oak flooring).	QH147-1 QH147-2 QH147-3 QH147-4 Page 5	
SPECIFICATION OF TEST SPECIMEN	 a. 6 mm thick "C Board" Fiber Cement Board Density: 1308 kg/m³ Thickness: 6 mm Colour: Grey Dimensions per Panel: 2400 × 600 mm b. 9 mm thick "C Board" Fiber Cement Board Density: 1355 kg/m³ Thickness: 9 mm Colour: Grey Dimensions per Panel: 2400 × 600 mm c. 12 mm thick "C Board" Fiber Cement Board Density: 1309 kg/m³ Thickness: 12 mm Colour: Grey Dimensions per Panel: 2400 × 600 mm d. 18 mm thick "C Board" Fiber Cement Board Density: 1381 kg/m³ Thickness: 18 mm Colour: Grey Dimensions per Panel: 2400 × 600 mm 	QH147-1 QH147-2 QH147-3 QH147-4 Page 5	





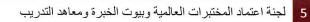
	a.	6 mm thick "C Board" Fibre Cement Board When tested in accordance with ASTM E84-16 Fibre Cement Board meets the criteria for a cla 1 (International Building Code 2015) Test Report Reference: QH147-1		QH147-1 QH147-2 QH147-3 QH147-4 Page 6
		Flame Spread Index (FSI)	0	Fage 0
		Smoke Developed Index (SDI)	5	
	b.	9 mm thick "C Board" Fibre Cement Board When tested in accordance with ASTM E84-16 Fibre Cement Board meets the criteria for a cla 1 (International Building Code 2015) Test Report Reference: QH147-2	and the second second	
		Flame Spread Index (FSI)	0	
		Smoke Developed Index (SDI)	5	
TEST RESULT (SUCH AS PASSED	c.	12 mm thick "C Board" Fibre Cement Board When tested in accordance with ASTM E84 Board" Fibre Cement Board meets the criteria or Class 1 (International Building Code 2015) Test Report Reference: QH147-3		
CRITERIA/ COMPLIED		Flame Spread Index (FSI)	0	
DURATION/OBSERVATIO N/ETC)		Smoke Developed Index (SDI)	5	
	d.	18 mm thick "C Board" Fibre Cement Board When tested in accordance with ASTM E84 Board" Fibre Cement Board meets the criteria or Class 1 (International Building Code 2015) Test Report Reference: QH147-4		
		Flame Spread Index (FSI)	0	
		Smoke Developed Index (SDI)	5	
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CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

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TEST REPORT NUMBER 'Assessment Reports' are not acceptable	QH147-5	CERTIFICATE NUMBER	TBW0200163
DATE OF ISSUE	Mar. 16, 2017	DATE OF ISSUE	Apr. 11, 2017
DATE OF EXPIRY	N/A	DATE OF EXPIRY	Apr. 10, 2020
	Manufact	urer details	
NAME OF FACTORY/ MANUFACTURER	ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd	NAME OF THE BRAND	"C board" Fibre Cement Board
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DESCRIPTION OF THE PRODUCT (TECHNICAL DETAILS FROM TEST REPORT, SUCH AS ACTUAL FIRE RATINGS/DIMENSIONS/THIC KNESS/ SENSITIVITY ETC)	The non-loadbearing 12mm thick single layer cement board wall partition consisted of galvanized steel framing system made of 49 x 32 x 8 x 0.55mm (web x depth x flange x thk.) C-channel studs and 51 x 25 x 0.55mm (web x depth x thk.) tracks, 12mm thick cement board fixed to either side, and 50 kg/m ³ rockwool infill. The galvanized steel tracks were fixed to the horizontal and vertical perimeter of the test frame opening using Ø4.2x50mm self-tapping screws and washers with plastic anchors, spaced a maximum of 100mm from the ends and nominally 600mm C/C. The galvanized steel studs were fixed vertically within the head and sill tracks, spaced nominally 600mm C/C, and fixed in place using Ø13mm Gyproc Waferhead Jackpoint Screws. Horizontal sections of steel track were cut and fixed between the C-channel studs, using the same Ø13mm screws, at heights of 800, 1600, and 2400mm above the sill of the specimen. The cement boards were fixed to the framing system using Ø4.2x45mm and Ø4x32mm coated self-tapping steel screws. For the board installation, 100mm wide strips of cement board were fixed to either side of all members of the framing system using the 32mm long screws. All screws were spaced at a maximum of 100mm from the ends and 300mm C/C. Before the full size boards were slightly tapered using a grinder, so as to make space for the jointing tape and jointing compound. After the installation of the unexposed boards, rockwool insulation of density 50kg/m ³ was fitted between the framing members. DAP FIRE STOP silicone sealant was applied around the perimeter of the framing system on the exposed face of the specimen, before the installation of the boards, and the jointing compound and fiber tape were applied over the screw heads and around the perimeter of the specimen on both the exposed and unexposed faces.	Page 4 to 5
TEST STANDARD (SUCH AS ASTM/BS EN/ DNETC)	ASTM E119-16a ASTM E 119-16a: Standard Test Methods for Fire Tests of Building Construction and Materials	Page 4
TEST DESCRIPTION	ASTM E119-16a 1. General The test methods described in this fire-test-response standard are applicable to assemblies of masonry unit and to composite assemblies of masonry units to composite assemblies of structural materials for buildings. The test assembly was installed on a restraint frame made of steel and dense refractory concrete with an opening of 10 × 10 ft (w × h). P.C.Box: 26 The time-temperature curves have been controlled using ⁶ nine thermocouples distributed in the furnace.	

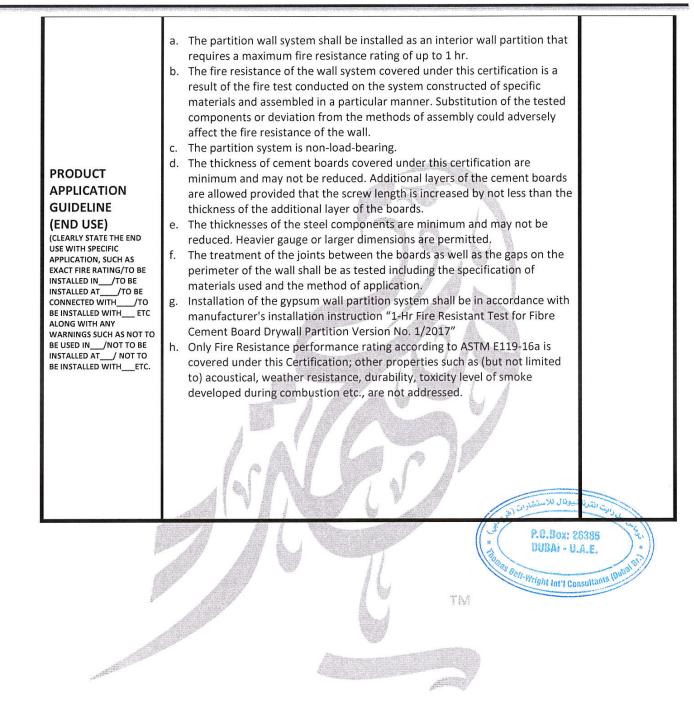


	2.	Preparation The test assembly was installed on a restraint frame made of steel and dense refractory concrete with an opening of 10×10 ft (w × h).	
		The assembly was then locked in the front of a 3 m x 3 m furnace and exposed to specified heating and pressure regime as per the requirement of the test standard ASTM E119-16a. The temperature inside the furnace was controlled using 9 thermocouples distributed evenly within the furnace. The furnace thermocouples were placed at 6 in (152 mm) from the exposed face of the specimen and this distance has been maintained throughout the entire test duration.	
		The pressure has been controlled at -4 Pa at its relative position in the furnace in order to maintain neutral pressure at the head of the specimen. Deflections have been measured and recorded.	
	3.	Observations Deflections have been measured and recorded. Unexposed face temperatures have been measured and recorded. Visual observations on the unexposed face of the specimen has been recorded during the whole duration of the test.	
SPECIFICATION OF TEST SPECIMEN	1. 2. 3.	Cement Board Material: Non-asbestos fibre cement Board Dimensions: 1200 × 2400 × 12mm (width × height × thickness) Board Density: 1411 kg/m ³ Manufacturer: Ask Gypsum Factory Ltd Fixing Details: Single layer of cement board fixed on each side of the framing system with staggered joints using W & BT10-16 × 45 mm screws at a nominal spacing between 100 to 300 mm and 20 mm from the edges of the boards. A 100 × 12 mm (width × thickness) "C-board" cut-out was fixed between the full-size boards and framing system to serve as a spacer. The boards cut-out where fixed using BT 10-16 × 32 mm screws. Tracks Material: Hot Dipped Galvanized Steel Specification: ASTM A653 CSB Dimension: 51 × 25 × 25 × 0.55 mm (web × flange × flanges × thickness) Manufacturer: Sigma Factory for Steel Products Reference: G-Frame RNR 052-GS Fixing Details: Fixed to the structural opening using Ø4.2 × 50 mm self- tapping screws with washer and plastic anchors at a nominal spacing of 100 to 600 mm. Vertical Studs Material: Hot Dipped Galvanized Steel Specification: ASTM A653 CSB Dimension: 49 × 32 × 32 × 0.55 mm (web × flange × flanges × thickness) Manufacturer: Sigma Factory for Steel Products Reference: G-Frame RNR 052-GS Fixing Details: Fixed to the structural opening using Ø4.2 × 50 mm self- tapping screws with washer and plastic anchors at a nominal spacing of 100 to 600 mm. Vertical Studs Material: Hot Dipped Galvanized Steel Specification: ASTM A653 CSB Dimension: 49 × 32 × 32 × 0.55 mm (web × flange × flanges × thickness) Manufacturer: Sigma Factory for Steel Products Reference: G-Frame STD 050-GS	.E. *



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	 5. Insulation Material: Mineral Wool Reference: Thickness: 50 mm Density: 50 kg/m³ Manufacturer: Saudi Rockwool Factory Co. Fixing Method: Fitted on the voids within the studs and tracks.
	 Boards Joint Filler Material: Single component neutral cure silicone with fibre mesh joint tape Manufacturer: DAP® Products Incorporated Reference: C-Coat
	7. Joint Tape Material: Self-adhesive Fibre Mesh Joint Tape Manufacturer: Ayhaco
	 8. Fasteners 8.a. Fixing of tracks to the structure Ø 4.2 × 50 mm self-tapping screws with steel washers and plastic jackets spaced at 600 mm centres and 100 mm from the edges. 8.b. Fixing of studs to tracks Description: Corrosion resistant self-tapping zinc plated steel screws with wafer cross-head and self-drilling points. Reference: 13 mm Gyproc Waferhead Jackpoint Screws (EN 14566-Type A1) Manufacturer: Gyproc Saint-Gobain 8.c. Fixing of Cement Boards Description: Countersunk Head, 6 Ribs, Philips Drive 2, Full Thread, BOTAPP Wing, Levin Point Manufacturer: Engineering Edge (Singapore) PTE LTD Reference: BOTAPPTM Board Fixing Fasteners Spacer: BT 10-16 × 32 mm - W Board: BT 10-16 × 45 mm-W between 100 to 300 mm centres and 20 mm from the edge of the boards.
TEST RESULT (SUCH AS PASSED CRITERIA/ COMPLIED TO/ DURATION/OBSERVATIO	board and mineral wool cavity insulation is approved to provide Fire Rating of up to <u>1 hour.</u> Test Report Reference: QH147-5
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ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd

Prince Faysal Bin Fahd Street, Al Chate District, P.O. Box. 6556 Jeddah 23513-2509, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

for

"C Board" Fibre Cement Board Non-load-bearing Partition Wall System Test Method: ASTM E119-16a

which, subject to limitations described on the following pages and continued listing on www.tbwcert.com, complies with Product Certification Scheme SD02 Fire Resistant Separating Elements Scheme

In witness whereof this Certificate is issued this 11th day of April 2017

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Thomas F. Bell-Wright Certification Director

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Nick Purcell Certification Manager

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"C Board" Fibre Cement Board Non-load-bearing Partition Wall System

- A. Certification is given for "C Board" Fibre Cement Board Non-load-bearing partition wall system installed in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions and subject to the limitations below to provide Fire Resistance rating of 1-Hr in accordance with test standards ASTM E119-16a.Readers of this document should be familiar with Resistance to fire testing and the requirements of ISO/IEC 17065:2012. The Certification will be listed on www.tbwcert.com, while it remains current. This Certification is not valid if this product is not so listed.
- B. The product is approved on the basis of TBWIC Product Certification Scheme SD02 for Fire Separating Elements which includes pre-test sampling, evidence of performance (under ref: TBWIC Test Report No. QH147-5), Technical Verification and Proof of Performance, compliance to Factory Production Control requirements and surveillance & Re-certification Inspection/ Audits.
- C. The partition wall system is composed of 12 mm thick single layer "C Board" Fibre cement board fixed to a 0.55 mm thick galvanized steel framing system and 50 kg/m³ mineral wool insulation. The maximum dimensions of the boards were 1200 × 2400 mm (width × height). The overall thickness of the partition wall system was 99 mm.
- D. Limitations
 - D.1. The fire resistance of the wall system covered under this certification is a result of the fire test conducted on the system constructed of specific materials and assembled in a particular manner. Substitution of the tested components or deviation from the methods of assembly could adversely affect the fire resistance of the wall.
 - D.2. The partition system is non-load-bearing.
 - D.3. The thickness of cement boards covered under this certification are minimum and may not be reduced. Additional layers of the cement boards are allowed provided that the screw length is increased by not less than the thickness of the additional layer of the boards.
 - D.4. The thicknesses of the steel components are minimum and may not be reduced. Heavier gauge or larger dimensions are permitted.
 - D.5. The treatment of the joints between the boards as well as the gaps on the perimeter of the wall shall be as tested including the specification of materials used and the method of application.
 - D.6. Installation of the gypsum wall partition system shall be in accordance with manufacturer's installation instruction "1-Hr Fire Resistant Test for Fibre Cement Board Drywall Partition Version No. 1/2017"
 - D.7. Only Fire Resistance performance rating according to ASTM E119-16a is covered under this Certification; other properties such as (but not limited to) acoustical, weather resistance, durability, toxicity level of smoke developed during combustion etc., are not addressed.
- E. Approved Manufacturing Location

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F. System Configuration

Single Layered Non-load-bearing partition wall system

Height: 3048 mm Width: 3048 mm Wall Thickness: 99 mm

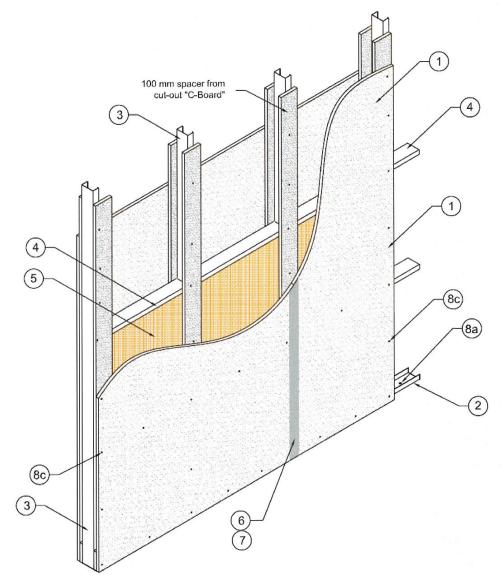


Figure 1. Single Layered Non-load-bearing partition wall system

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1. Cement Board

Material: Non-asbestos fibre cement Board Dimensions: 1200 × 2400 × 12mm (width × height × thickness) Board Density: 1411 kg/m³ Manufacturer: Ask Gypsum Factory Ltd Fixing Details: Single layer of cement board fixed on each side of the framing system with staggered joints using W & BT10-16 × 45 mm screws at a nominal spacing between 100 to 300 mm and 20 mm from the edges of the boards. A 100 × 12 mm (width × thickness) "C-board" cut-out was fixed between the full-size boards and framing system to serve as a spacer. The boards cut-out where fixed using BT 10-16 × 32 mm screws.

2. Tracks

Material: Hot Dipped Galvanized Steel Specification: ASTM A653 CSB Dimension: 51 × 25 × 25 × 0.55 mm (web × flange × flanges × thickness) Manufacturer: Sigma Factory for Steel Products Reference: G-Frame RNR 052-GS Fixing Details: Fixed to the structural opening using Ø4.2 × 50 mm self-tapping screws with washer and plastic anchors at a nominal spacing of 100 to 600 mm.

3. Vertical Studs

Material: Hot Dipped Galvanized Steel Specification: ASTM A653 CSB Dimension: 49 × 32 × 32 × 0.55 mm (web × flange × flanges × thickness) Manufacturer: Sigma Factory for Steel Products Reference: G-Frame STD 050-GS Fixing Details: Fixed to the tracks using 13 mm Gyproc Waferhead Jackpoint screw

4. Horizontal Studs

Material: Hot Dipped Galvanized Steel Specification: Dimension: 49 × 32 × 32 × 0.55 mm (web × flange × flanges × thickness) Manufacturer: Sigma Factory for Steel Products Fixing Details: Fixed to the vertical studs using 13 mm Gyproc Waferhead Jackpoint screw at every joint where the vertical and horizontal members met.

5. Insulation

Material: Mineral Wool Reference: Thickness: 50 mm Density: 50 kg/m³ Manufacturer: Saudi Rockwool Factory Co. Fixing Method: Fitted on the voids within the studs and tracks.

 Boards Joint Filler Material: Single component neutral cure silicone with fibre mesh joint tape Manufacturer: DAP[®] Products Incorporated Reference: C-Coat

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- 8. Fasteners
 - 8.a. Fixing of tracks to the structure

Ø 4.2 × 50 mm self-tapping screws with steel washers and plastic jackets spaced at 600 mm centres and 100 mm from the edges.

- 8.b. Fixing of studs to tracks
 Description: Corrosion resistant self-tapping zinc plated steel screws with wafer cross-head and self-drilling points.
 Reference: 13 mm Gyproc Waferhead Jackpoint Screws (EN 14566-Type A1)
 Manufacturer: Gyproc Saint-Gobain
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- 8.c. Fixing of Cement Boards

Description: Countersunk Head, 6 Ribs, Philips Drive 2, Full Thread, BOTAPP Wing, Levin Point Manufacturer: Engineering Edge (Singapore) PTE LTD Reference: BOTAPP[™] Board Fixing Fasteners

Spacer: BT 10-16 × 32 mm - W

Board: BT 10-16 × 45 mm-W between 100 to 300 mm centres and 20 mm from the edge of the boards.

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Prince Faysal Bin Fahd Street, Al Chate District, P.O. Box. 6556 Jeddah 23513-2509, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

for

"C Board" Fibre Cement Board Test Method: ASTM E84

which, subject to limitations described on the following pages and continued listing on www.tbwcert.com, complies with Product Certification Scheme SD03 Exterior Wall Assemblies, Cladding, Curtain Walls, Building Materials, Products and Assemblies

In witness whereof this Certificate is issued this 11th day of April 2017

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"C Board" Fibre Cement Board

- Certification is given for "C Board" Fibre Cement Board Reaction to Fire Test to the test standard ASTM E84-16 for Flame Spread Index (FSI) and Smoke Developed Index (SDI), subject to the limitations below. Readers of this document should be familiar with Reaction to Fire Testing and the requirements of ISO/IEC 17065:2012. The Certification will be listed on www.tbwcert.com, while it remains current. This Certification is not valid if it is not listed.
- This certification covers 6 mm, 9 mm, 12 mm and 18 mm thick "C Board" Fibre Cement Boards. The board are Asbestos free fibre board manufactured from a homogenous mixture of cement and silica with reinforcing fiber (Cellulose or pulp)
- 3. The product is approved on the basis of TBWIC Product Certification Scheme SD03 for Exterior Wall Assemblies, Cladding, Curtain Walls, Building Materials, Products and Assemblies which includes pre-test sampling, evidence of performance (under ref: TBWIC Test Report No. QH147-1, QH147-2, QH174-3, QH174-4), Technical Verification and Proof of Performance, compliance to Factory Production Control requirements and surveillance & Recertification Inspection/ Audits.
- 4. Limitations:
 - 4.1. This Certification covers the specifications of the "C Board" Fibre Cement Boards as tested which are described in more detail in Section 5.
 - 4.2. "C Board" Fibre Cement Boards were tested under controlled condition in accordance with the requirements of the standard covered under this certification. The result described in each particular test report on their own does not represent the fire behavior of the product, material or system assembly under actual fire conditions and shall not be used as sole criteria for fire hazard or fire risk assessment.
 - 4.3. This certification pertains to the tested material only and does not include the system or wall structure it will be installed into.
 - 4.4. The test (and Certification) do not address the following:
 - 4.4.1. Measurement of heat transmission
 - 4.4.2. Effect of aggravated flame spread behavior of an assembly resulting from proximity of combustible walls and ceilings.
 - 4.4.3. Classification or definition of material as noncombustible
 - 4.4.4. Any Resistance to Fire rating
 - 4.4.5. Toxicity level of smoke developed during combustion
- 5. Product details and test results
 - 5.1. 6 mm thick "C Board" Fibre Cement Board
 - 5.1.1. Density: 1308 kg/m³
 - 5.1.2. Thickness: 6 mm
 - 5.1.3. When tested in accordance with ASTM E84-16, the 6-mm thick "C Board" Fibre Cement Board meets the criteria for a classification Class A or Class 1 (International Building Code 2015)

Test Report Reference: QH147-1

Flame Spread I	ndex (FSI)	0
Smoke Develor	ed Index (SDI)	5
Certificate number: TBW0300164 Page 2 of 3	Certification Manager Nick Purcell	Seal number: 100212 Issued: 11 Apr. 2017 Valid to: 10 Apr. 2020
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- 5.2.1. Density: 1355 kg/m³
- 5.2.2. Thickness: 9 mm
- 5.2.3. When tested in accordance with ASTM E84-16, the 9-mm thick "C Board" Fibre Cement Board meets the criteria for a classification **Class A or Class 1** (International Building Code 2015)

Test Report Reference: QH147-2

Flame Spread Index (FSI)	0
Smoke Developed Index (SDI)	5

- 5.3. 12 mm thick "C Board" Fiber Cement Board
 - 5.3.1. Density: 1309 kg/m³
 - 5.3.2. Thickness: 12 mm
 - 5.3.3. When tested in accordance with ASTM E84-16, the 12-mm thick "C Board" Fibre Cement Board meets the criteria for a classification **Class A or Class 1** (International Building Code 2015)

Test Report Reference: QH147-3

Flame Spread Index (FSI)	0
Smoke Developed Index (SDI)	5

5.4. 18 mm thick "C Board" Fiber Cement Board

- 5.4.1. Density: 1381 kg/m³
- 5.4.2. Thickness: 18 mm
- 5.4.3. When tested in accordance with ASTM E84-16, the 18-mm thick "C Board" Fibre Cement Board meets the criteria for a classification **Class A or Class 1** (International Building Code 2015)

Test Report Reference: QH147-4

Flame Spread Index (FSI)	0
Smoke Developed Index (SDI)	5

6. Approved Manufacturing Location

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- Thomas Bell-Wright ASTM E84-16: 6mm, 9mm, 12mm and 18mm
 Fiber cement board Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials.
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- Material Lab Mechanical and Physical properties Test Reports 6mm, 9mm, 12mm and 18mm thickness.
- Intertek Mechanical and Physical properties Test Report Heavy Duty 9mm thickness.
- IPLM Analysis Report on Suspected Asbestos Test carried out by EPA 600/R-93/116 method using polarized light Microscopy.

TEST REPORT

REACTION TO FIRE TEST

TEST SPONSOR:

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TESTED MATERIAL/ASSEMBLY:

6mm thick Fibre Cement Board

TEST STANDARD:

ASTM E84-16: Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials





Test Date: 16-Jan-17 Issue Date: 30-Jan-17 Test Reference No.: QH147-1

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1. INTRODUCTION

Determination of the flame spread index and the smoke developed index of 6mm thick Fibre Cement Board as per ASTM E84; Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials.

2. SPONSOR

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	Jebel Ali Industrial Area 1
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	Website: www.bell-wright.com

4. DATE OF TEST

Sample received:	11-Jan-17
Test date:	16-Jan-17

The test has not been witnessed by the Sponsor.

5. SPECIMEN DESCRIPTION

The description of the specimen given below has been prepared from information provided by the Sponsor.

Product Tested	6mm thick Fibre Cement Board	
Fire side	One side of fibre cement board surface	
Product Description	C board is a 100% asbestos free fibre cement board manufactured in Saudi Arabia by ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd from a homogenous mixture of cement and silica with a reinforcing fibre known as Cellulose (a plant extract) or pulp added in versatile doses, using the latest technology of autoclave process.	
	Product Name	C Board
	Product Reference	Fibre Cement Board
	Manufacturer	ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd
Product Details		Made in KSA
	Colour	Grey
	Thickness, mm	6
	Density, kg/m³	1308
Dimensions per panel	2400 x 600 x 6mm (l x w x thk) (measured)	
No. of panel	3	
Total dimension	7200 x 600 x 6mm (l x w x thk) (measured)	
Specimen placement	3 sections of fiber cement boards were butt jointed end-to-end. The test specimen was placed directly to the tunnel ledges with the fibre cement board surface towards the flame source.	

The test specimen was sampled by Mr. Suresh Kumar of TBWIC on 27 November 2016 and was submitted by the Sponsor for testing as part of product certification process.

6. METHOD OF TEST

6.1. Placing of test specimen

The test specimen consisted of 3 sections of fiber cement boards. The dimension per panel was 2400 x 600 x 6mm (I x w x thk.) and was butt jointed end-to-end. The total dimensions of the specimen were 7200 x 600 x 6mm (I x w x thk).

Several sections of cement board butt jointed end-to-end with overall dimensions of 7350×600 mm (l x w), were placed at the back of the sample to protect the furnace lid assembly.

6.2.Test Method

The specimen was installed horizontally in the Steiner Tunnel and supported by the ledges. The fibre cement board surface (fire side) was exposed to a flaming exposure during the 10 minute test duration.

Flame spread and density of the smoke are measured and recorded while the results are computed against the standard calibration materials (cement board and red oak flooring).

6.3.Conditioning

After delivery on 11-Jan-17, the specimen was stored in room temperature for 5 days prior to the test ranging from 20.2 to 25.8°C and 45 to 55% relative humidity.



7. OBSERVATION

Test Data and Observation

Observations	
Ignition Time (min:sec)	None
Time to maximum flame front advance (min:sec)	None
Maximum flame spread (ft)	None
Time to end of tunnel reached (min:sec)	Not Reached
Maximum temp recorded at the exposed thermocouple located near the end of the tunnel (°F / °C)	566/297
Dripping (min:sec)	None
Flaming on the floor (min:sec)	None
After flame on the top (min:sec)	None
After flame on the floor (min:sec)	None
Delamination (min:sec)	None
Sagging (min:sec)	None
Shrinkage (min:sec)	None
Fallout (min:sec)	None
FS*Time Area (ft*min)	0
Smoke Area (%A*min)	2.42
Red Oak Smoke Area (%A*min)	85.2

8. SUMMARY OF RESULTS

The test specimen has been evaluated in accordance with ASTM E84; Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials.

The test results are:

FLAME SPREAD INDEX (FSI)	0
SMOKE DEVELOPED INDEX (SDI)	5

Results are valid for the tested configuration only.



9. CLASSIFICATIONS

The following information is designed to help put these test results into context. Flame Spread Index and Smoke Developed Index results from an ASTM E84 test are often used by regulatory agencies to approve materials for various applications. For example, the International Building Code 2015, Section 803.1.1 requires that:

Interior wall and ceiling finish materials shall be classified in accordance with ASTM E84 or UL 723-10th Ed. 2008. Such interior finish materials shall be grouped in the following classes in accordance with their flame spread and smoke-developed indexes.

Class A: Flame spread index 0 - 25; smoke-developed index 0 - 450. Class B: Flame spread index 26 - 75; smoke-developed index 0 - 450. Class C: Flame spread index 76 - 200; smoke-developed index 0 - 450.

Note that the above example is the IBC requirement for interior wall and ceiling finishes only; your application may be different.



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10. LIMITATIONS

Testing of materials that melt, drip, or delaminate to such a degree that the continuity of the flame front is destroyed, results in low flame spread indices that do not relate directly to indices obtained by the testing materials that remain in place

Thomas Bell-Wright International Consultants recommend that the relevance of test reports should be considered after a period of five years.

This test report is respectfully submitted by: Thomas Bell-Wright International Consultants

Prepared/Tested By:

Romano Parungao Fire Testing & Inspection Engineer

Reviewed By: Fredily

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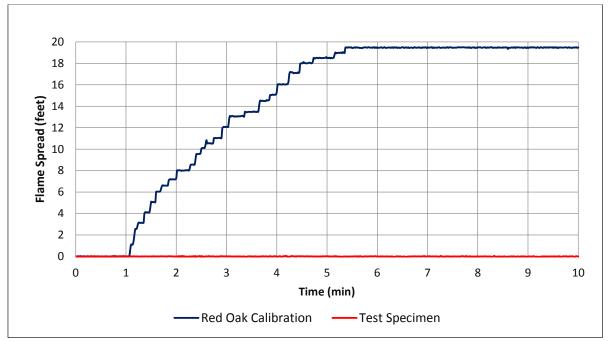
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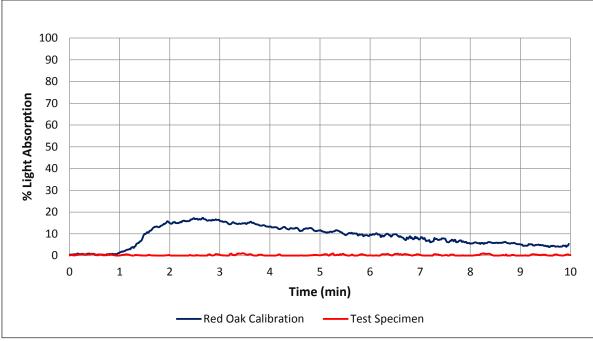


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11. APPENDIX 1- GRAPHS



Graph 1: Flame Spread Index (FSI)



Graph 2: Smoke Developed Index (SDI)



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12. APPENDIX 2- PICTURES

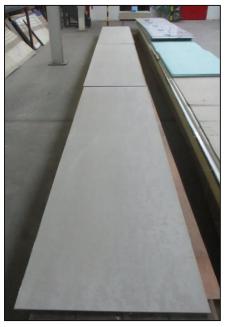


Photo 1: Specimen before the test (Fire side)



Photo 2: Specimen after the test (located near the fire end)



Photo 3: Specimen after the test (located near the exhaust end)

- End of test report -

TEST REPORT

REACTION TO FIRE TEST

TEST SPONSOR:

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TESTED MATERIAL/ASSEMBLY:

9mm thick Fibre Cement Board

TEST STANDARD:

ASTM E84-16: Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials





Test Date: 16-Jan-17 Issue Date: 30-Jan-17 Test Reference No.: QH147-2

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1. INTRODUCTION

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Determination of the flame spread index and the smoke developed index of 9mm thick Fibre Cement Board as per ASTM E84; Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials.

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4. DATE OF TEST

Sample received:	11-Jan-17
Test date:	23-Jan-17

The test has not been witnessed by the Sponsor.

5. SPECIMEN DESCRIPTION

The description of the specimen given below has been prepared from information provided by the Sponsor.

Product Tested	9mm thick Fibre Cement Board		
Fire side	One side of fibre cement board surface		
Product Description	C board is a 100% asbestos free fibre cement board manufactured in Saudi Arabia by ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd from a homogenous mixture of cement and silica with a reinforcing fibre known as		
	Cellulose (a plant extract) or pulp added in versatile doses, using the latest technology of autoclave process.		
	Product Name	C Board	
	Product Reference	Fibre Cement Board	
	Manufacturer	ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd	
Product Details		Made in KSA	
	Colour	Grey	
	Thickness, mm	9	
	Density, kg/m³	1355	
Dimensions per panel	2400 x 600 x 9mm (l x w	x thk) (measured)	
No. of panel	3		
Total dimension	7200 x 600 x 9mm (l x w x thk) (measured)		
Specimen placement	3 sections of fiber cement boards were butt jointed end-to-end. The test specimen was placed directly to the tunnel ledges with the fibre cement board surface towards the flame source.		

The test specimen was sampled by Mr. Suresh Kumar of TBWIC on 27 November 2016 and was submitted by the Sponsor for testing as part of product certification process.

6. METHOD OF TEST

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Flame spread and density of the smoke are measured and recorded while the results are computed against the standard calibration materials (cement board and red oak flooring).

6.3.Conditioning

After delivery on 16-Jan-17, the specimen was stored in room temperature for 5 days prior to the test ranging from 20.2 to 25.8°C and 45 to 55% relative humidity.



7. OBSERVATION

Test Data and Observation

Observations	
Ignition Time (min:sec)	None
Time to maximum flame front advance (min:sec)	None
Maximum flame spread (ft)	None
Time to end of tunnel reached (min:sec)	Not Reached
Maximum temp recorded at the exposed thermocouple located near the end of the tunnel (°F / °C)	560/293
Dripping (min:sec)	None
Flaming on the floor (min:sec)	None
After flame on the top (min:sec)	None
After flame on the floor (min:sec)	None
Delamination (min:sec)	None
Sagging (min:sec)	None
Shrinkage (min:sec)	None
Fallout (min:sec)	None
FS*Time Area (ft*min)	0
Smoke Area (%A*min)	2.71
Red Oak Smoke Area (%A*min)	85.2

8. SUMMARY OF RESULTS

The test specimen has been evaluated in accordance with ASTM E84; Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials.

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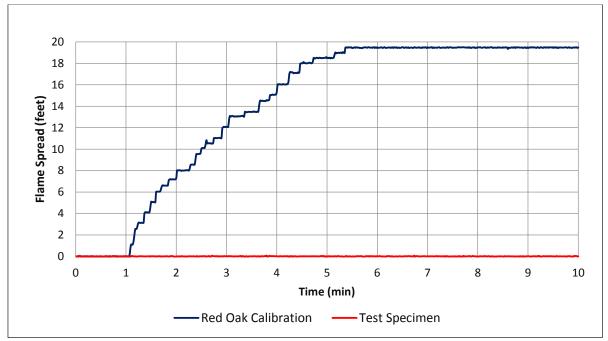
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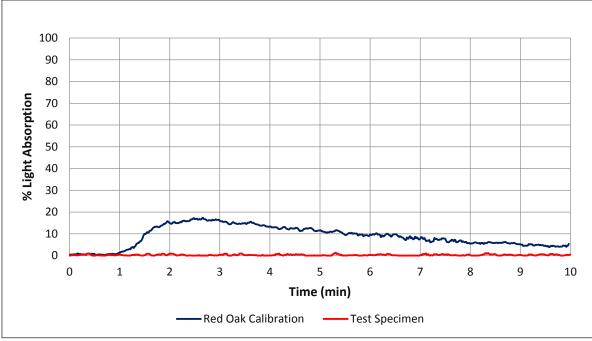


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Graph 1: Flame Spread Index (FSI)



Graph 2: Smoke Developed Index (SDI)



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12. APPENDIX 2- PICTURES



Photo 1: Specimen before the test (Fire side)



Photo 2: Specimen after the test (located near the fire end)



Photo 3: Specimen after the test (located near the exhaust end)

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REACTION TO FIRE TEST

TEST SPONSOR:

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TESTED MATERIAL/ASSEMBLY:

12mm thick Fibre Cement Board

TEST STANDARD:

ASTM E84-16: Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials





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4. DATE OF TEST

Sample received:	11-Jan-17
Test date:	16-Jan-17

The test has not been witnessed by the Sponsor.

5. SPECIMEN DESCRIPTION

The description of the specimen given below has been prepared from information provided by the Sponsor.

Product Tested	12mm thick Fibre Cement Board		
Fire side	One side of fibre cement board surface		
Product Description	C board is a 100% asbestos free fibre cement board manufactured in Saudi Arabia by ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd from a homogenous mixture of cement and silica with a reinforcing fibre known as Cellulose (a plant extract) or pulp added in versatile doses, using the latest technology of autoclave process.		
	Product Name	C Board	
	Product Reference	Fibre Cement Board	
	Manufacturer	ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd	
Product Details		Made in KSA	
	Colour	Grey	
	Thickness, mm	12	
	Density, kg/m ³	1309	
Dimensions per panel	2400 x 600 x 12mm (l x w x thk) (measured)		
No. of panel	3		
Total dimension	7200 x 600 x 12mm (l x w x thk) (measured)		
Specimen placement	3 sections of fiber cement boards were butt jointed end-to-end. The test specimen was placed directly to the tunnel ledges with the fibre cement board surface towards the flame source.		

The test specimen was sampled by Mr. Suresh Kumar of TBWIC on 27 November 2016 and was submitted by the Sponsor for testing as part of product certification process.

6. METHOD OF TEST

6.1. Placing of test specimen

The test specimen consisted of 3 sections of fiber cement boards. The dimension per panel was 2400 x 600 x 12mm (l x w x thk.) and was butt jointed end-to-end. The total dimensions of the specimen were 7200 x 600 x 12mm (l x w x thk).

Several sections of cement board butt jointed end-to-end with overall dimensions of 7350×600 mm (l x w), were placed at the back of the sample to protect the furnace lid assembly.

6.2.Test Method

The specimen was installed horizontally in the Steiner Tunnel and supported by the ledges. The fibre cement board surface (fire side) was exposed to a flaming exposure during the 10 minute test duration.

Flame spread and density of the smoke are measured and recorded while the results are computed against the standard calibration materials (cement board and red oak flooring).

6.3.Conditioning

After delivery on 11-Jan-17, the specimen was stored in room temperature for 5 days prior to the test ranging from 20.2 to 25.8°C and 45 to 55% relative humidity.



7. OBSERVATION

Test Data and Observation

Observations	
Ignition Time (min:sec)	None
Time to maximum flame front advance (min:sec)	None
Maximum flame spread (ft)	None
Time to end of tunnel reached (min:sec)	Not Reached
Maximum temp recorded at the exposed thermocouple located near the end of the tunnel (°F / °C)	547/286
Dripping (min:sec)	None
Flaming on the floor (min:sec)	None
After flame on the top (min:sec)	None
After flame on the floor (min:sec)	None
Delamination (min:sec)	None
Sagging (min:sec)	None
Shrinkage (min:sec)	None
Fallout (min:sec)	None
FS*Time Area (ft*min) Smoke Area (%A*min)	0
Red Oak Smoke Area (%A*min)	85.2

8. SUMMARY OF RESULTS

The test specimen has been evaluated in accordance with ASTM E84; Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials.

The test results are:

FLAME SPREAD INDEX (FSI)	0
SMOKE DEVELOPED INDEX (SDI)	5

Results are valid for the tested configuration only.



9. CLASSIFICATIONS

The following information is designed to help put these test results into context. Flame Spread Index and Smoke Developed Index results from an ASTM E84 test are often used by regulatory agencies to approve materials for various applications. For example, the International Building Code 2015, Section 803.1.1 requires that:

Interior wall and ceiling finish materials shall be classified in accordance with ASTM E84 or UL 723-10th Ed. 2008. Such interior finish materials shall be grouped in the following classes in accordance with their flame spread and smoke-developed indexes.

Class A: Flame spread index 0 - 25; smoke-developed index 0 - 450. Class B: Flame spread index 26 - 75; smoke-developed index 0 - 450. Class C: Flame spread index 76 - 200; smoke-developed index 0 - 450.

Note that the above example is the IBC requirement for interior wall and ceiling finishes only; your application may be different.





10. LIMITATIONS

Testing of materials that melt, drip, or delaminate to such a degree that the continuity of the flame front is destroyed, results in low flame spread indices that do not relate directly to indices obtained by the testing materials that remain in place

Thomas Bell-Wright International Consultants recommend that the relevance of test reports should be considered after a period of five years.

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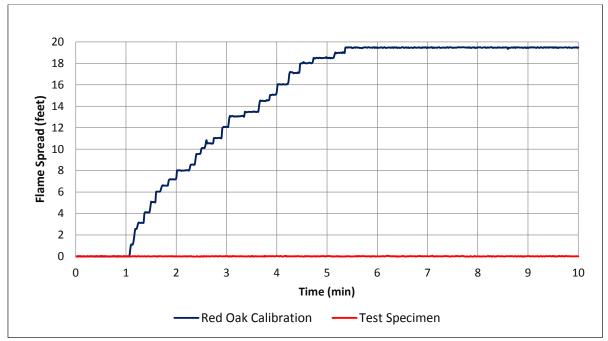
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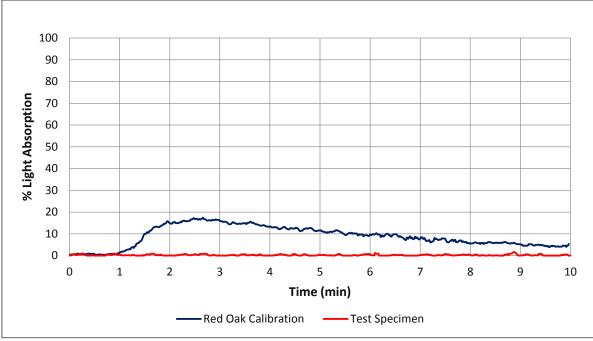


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11. APPENDIX 1- GRAPHS



Graph 1: Flame Spread Index (FSI)



Graph 2: Smoke Developed Index (SDI)



Test Reference No.: QH147-3

12. APPENDIX 2- PICTURES



Photo 1: Specimen before the test (Fire side)



Photo 2: Specimen after the test (located near the fire end)



Photo 3: Specimen after the test (located near the exhaust end)

- End of test report -

TEST REPORT

REACTION TO FIRE TEST

TEST SPONSOR:

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TESTED MATERIAL/ASSEMBLY:

18mm thick Fibre Cement Board

TEST STANDARD:

ASTM E84-16: Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials





Test Date: 16-Jan-17 Issue Date: 30-Jan-17 Test Reference No.: QH147-4

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1. INTRODUCTION

Determination of the flame spread index and the smoke developed index of 18mm thick Fibre Cement Board as per ASTM E84; Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials.

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4. DATE OF TEST

Sample received:	11-Jan-17
Test date:	16-Jan-17

The test has not been witnessed by the Sponsor.

5. SPECIMEN DESCRIPTION

The description of the specimen given below has been prepared from information provided by the Sponsor.

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Fire side	One side of fibre cement board surface		
Product Description	C board is a 100% asbestos free fibre cement board manufactured in Saudi Arabia by ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd from a homogenous mixture of cement and silica with a reinforcing fibre known as Cellulose (a plant extract) or pulp added in versatile doses, using the latest technology of autoclave process.		
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	Product Reference	Fibre Cement Board	
	Manufacturer	ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd	
Product Details		Made in KSA	
	Colour	Grey	
	Thickness, mm	18	
	Density, kg/m ³	1381	
Dimensions per panel	2400 x 600 x 18mm (l x v	v x thk) (measured)	
No. of panel	3		
Total dimension	7200 x 600 x 18mm (l x w x thk) (measured)		
Specimen placement	3 sections of fiber cement boards were butt jointed end-to-end. The test specimen was placed directly to the tunnel ledges with the fibre cement board surface towards the flame source.		

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6.3.Conditioning

After delivery on 11-Jan-17, the specimen was stored in room temperature for 5 days prior to the test ranging from 20.2 to 25.8°C and 45 to 55% relative humidity.



7. OBSERVATION

Test Data and Observation

Observations	
Ignition Time (min:sec)	None
Time to maximum flame front advance (min:sec)	None
Maximum flame spread (ft)	None
Time to end of tunnel reached (min:sec)	Not Reached
Maximum temp recorded at the exposed thermocouple located near the end of the tunnel (°F / °C)	544/284
Dripping (min:sec)	None
Flaming on the floor (min:sec)	None
After flame on the top (min:sec)	None
After flame on the floor (min:sec)	None
Delamination (min:sec)	None
Sagging (min:sec)	None
Shrinkage (min:sec)	None
Fallout (min:sec)	None
FS*Time Area (ft*min)	0
Smoke Area (%A*min)	5.75
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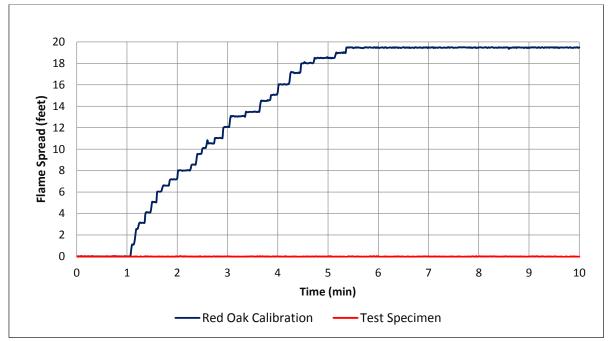
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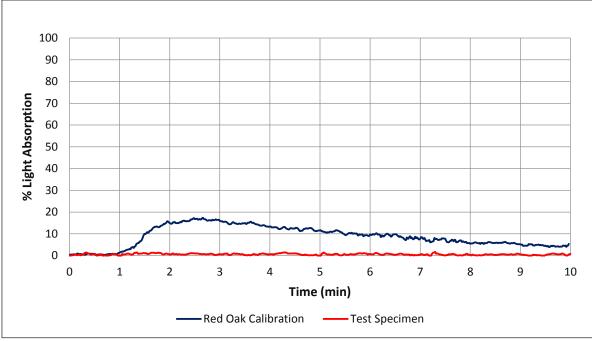


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11. APPENDIX 1- GRAPHS



Graph 1: Flame Spread Index (FSI)



Graph 2: Smoke Developed Index (SDI)



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12. APPENDIX 2- PICTURES



Photo 1: Specimen before the test (Fire side)

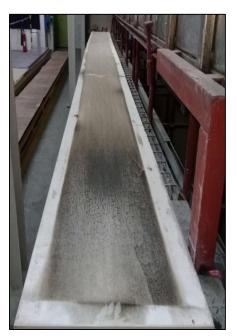


Photo 2: Specimen after the test (located near the fire end)



Photo 3: Specimen after the test (located near the exhaust end)

- End of test report -

TEST REPORT FIRE RESISTANCE TEST OF CONSTRUCTION ASSEMBLIES

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Test Assembly:

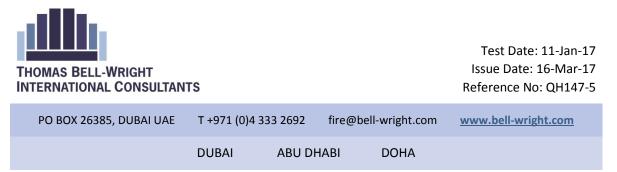
Non-loadbearing 12mm thick single layer cement board wall partition with rockwool infill.

Test Standard:

ASTM E119-16a; Standard Test Methods for Fire Tests of Building Construction and Materials

ASTM E2226-15b: Standard Practice for Application of Hose Stream





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1. INTRODUCTION

Determination of the fire resistance of a non-loadbearing 12mm thick single layer cement board wall partition with rockwool infill according to:

ASTM E119-16a: Standard Test Methods for Fire Tests of Building Construction and Materials

ASTM E2226-15b: Standard Practice for Application of Hose Stream

2. SPONSOR

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3. TESTING LABORATORY

2)

4. DATE OF TEST

Installation Date: 8-Jan-17 to 9-Jan-17 Fire Test Date: 11-Jan-17

The test has been witnessed by:

Name	Company	Contact Number
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5. CONSTRUCTION

5.1.General Description of the Assembly

The non-loadbearing 12mm thick single layer cement board wall partition consisted of galvanized steel framing system made of 49 x 32 x 8 x 0.55mm (web x depth x flange x thk.) C-channel studs and 51 x 25 x 0.55mm (web x depth x thk.) tracks, 12mm thick cement board fixed to either side, and 50 kg/m³ rockwool infill.

The galvanized steel tracks were fixed to the horizontal and vertical perimeter of the test frame opening using \emptyset 4.2x50mm self-tapping screws and washers with plastic anchors, spaced a maximum of 100mm from the ends and nominally 600mm C/C. The galvanized steel studs were fixed vertically within the head and sill tracks, spaced nominally 600mm C/C, and fixed in place



using Ø13mm Gyproc Waferhead Jackpoint Screws. Horizontal sections of steel track were cut and fixed between the C-channel studs, using the same Ø13mm screws, at heights of 800, 1600, and 2400mm above the sill of the specimen.

The cement boards were fixed to the framing system using Ø4.2x45mm and Ø4x32mm coated self-tapping steel screws. For the board installation, 100mm wide strips of cement board were fixed to either side of all members of the framing system using the 32mm long screws, then full size boards were fixed over top of them using the 45mm long screws. All screws were spaced at a maximum of 100mm from the ends and 300mm C/C. Before the full size boards were installed to the interior and exterior faces of the specimen, the edges were slightly tapered using a grinder, so as to make space for the jointing tape and jointing compound.

After the installation of the unexposed boards, rockwool insulation of density 50kg/m³ was fitted between the studs and tracks of the framing system. It was not fastened, but pressure fitted between the framing members.

DAP FIRE STOP silicone sealant was applied around the perimeter of the framing system on the exposed face of the specimen, before the installation of the boards. After the installation of the interior and exterior layers of boards, cement jointing compound and fiber tape were applied over all meeting edges of the boards, and the jointing compound was applied over the screw heads and around the perimeter of the specimen on both the exposed and unexposed faces.

The overall dimension of specimen was 3048 x 3048 x 99mm (w x h x thk).

For full details of the test specimen, refer to Appendix 1 & 2.

5.2.Supporting Construction

Non-loadbearing 12mm thick single layer cement board wall partition with rockwool infill was installed on to a restraint frame made of steel and dense refractory castable (Density 2000kg/m³) with an opening of 3048 x 3048mm (10ft x 10ft) (w x h).

6. SPECIMEN VERIFICATION

6.1.Specimen Definition

The laboratory has not been involved in the selection of the specimen.

The choice and the definition of the specimen have been made by the ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd.

6.2. Specimen Installation

Installation of the specimen: ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd.

Supporting Construction: TBWIC

7. METHOD OF TEST

7.1.Verification of the Test Specimen

The construction has been verified by TBWIC based on a detailed survey and with the technical information supplied by ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd.

The cement boards were marked and signed by Suresh Kumar from TBWIC (Certification Body) on 27th November, 2016.



7.2.Conditioning

The specimen was delivered on 8-Jan-17 and installed from 8-Jan-17 to 9-Jan-17. The specimen was covered with tarpaulin after installation and stored in ambient conditions at temperatures ranging between 17°C and 27°C and 26% to 83% humidity.

8. FIRE TEST

8.1.Conditions and Test Situation

The resistance to fire test was carried out in accordance with ASTM E119-16a and the hose stream application was carried out in accordance with ASTM E2226-15b.

8.2. Measurements (for graphs and data, refer to Appendix 3)

The time-temperature curves have been controlled using nine thermocouples distributed in the furnace.

The furnace thermocouples were placed at 6in. (152mm) from the exposed face of the specimen and this distance has been maintained throughout the entire test duration.

The ambient temperature at the commencement of the test was 17.6°C.

The pressure in the furnace was controlled at -4 Pa at its relative position in the furnace in order to maintain neutral pressure at the top of the specimen.

Deflections have been measured and recorded (see Appendix 4).

9. OBSERVATION

9.1. Pre-Test Observations

The specimen was found satisfactory and fit to be tested.

9.2. Fire Test Observations

Time (min:sec)	Specimen Observations
0:00	The test was started.
5:13	Very light smoke was witnessed escaping from the right vertical edge of the specimen, at mid-height.
7:15	Moisture/fluid was observed bubbling along the intersection of the specimen and the sill of the test frame opening.
8:37	Moisture lines were observed forming along the board joint below B1.
15:00	The specimen was stable. The moisture lines seen on the boards had mostly dried out. No smoke issuing was observed.
15:00	A small crack was seen at the joint between B1, B3, and B4.
37:50	More small cracks were forming between B3 & B4.
45:00	The specimen was stable. Very small cracks were observed forming in the jointing compound in various places over the specimen.
60:00	The test was stopped, as agreed upon with the sponsor, and the hose stream was started within 90 seconds of the end of the fire-endurance test.



9.3.Hose Stream Test Observation

Time (min:sec)	Specimen Observations
0:00	The hose stream test was started.
1:00	The hose stream test was stopped. The specimen had been subject to the impact, erosion, and cooling effects for 1:00 minute at 30 psi. No through opening or voids allowing the projection of water were observed on the exposed or unexposed faces

9.4. After Hose Stream Test Observations

9.4.1. UNEXPOSED FACE OBSERVATIONS

The boards and jointing compound on the unexposed face of the specimen were entirely intact, with only small cracks observed in the jointing compound and no signs of burning. Small amounts of dampness in the jointing compound along the sill were observed, but no throu0holes allowing the projection of water through the specimen were observed.

9.4.2. EXPOSED FACE OBSERVATIONS

The boards of the exposed face and the rockwool infill in the cavity between the boards had almost entirely washed away. The remaining interior face of the boards on the unexposed face had signs of charring, but no voids or through-holes allowing the projection of water were observed.

10.CORRECTION FACTOR

When the indicated period is 1/2h or over, determined by the average or maximum temperature rise on the unexposed surface, a correction shall be applied for variation of the furnace exposure from that prescribed, where it will affect the classification, by multiplying the indicated period by two thirds of the difference in area between the curve of average furnace temperature and the standard curve for the first three fourths of the period and dividing the product by the area between the standard curve and a base line of 20°C (68°F) for the same part of the indicated period, the latter area increased by 1800 °C .min (3240 °F.min) to compensate for the thermal lag of the furnace thermocouples during the first part of the test. For a fire exposure in the test higher than standard, the indicated resistance period shall be increased by the amount of correction. For a fire exposure in the test lower than standard, the indicated resistance period shall be similarly decreased for fire exposure below standard. The correction is accomplished by mathematically adding the factor, C, to the indicated resistance period.

The correction can be expressed by the following equation:

$$C = 2I(A - A_s) \div \mathcal{J}(A_s + L)$$

Where:

- C = Correction, in the same units as I
- *I* = Indicated fire-resistance period
- A = Area under the curve of indicated average furnace temperature for the first three fourths of the indicated period



 A_S = Area under the standard furnace curve for the same part of the indicated period, and

In accordance with the ASTM E119 test standard, a calculation for any correction to the indicated fire resistance period was done. The correction factor was then mathematically added to the indicated fire resistance period, yielding the fire resistance period achieve by this specimen:

Time Correction Values		
Item	Description	Test value
С	Correction factor	.22 minutes (13.01 seconds)
Ι	Indicated fire-resistance	60 minutes
Α	Area under the curve of indicated average furnace temperature for the first three fourths of the indicated period	46736 (°C∙min)
As	Area under the standard furnace curve for the same part of the indicated period	46474 (°C∙min)
L	Lag correction	1800 (°C∙min)

 $L = \frac{\text{Lag correction in the same units as A and A_s (SI: 30^{\circ}C \cdot h \text{ or } 1800^{\circ}C \cdot h, BG: 54^{\circ}F \cdot h \text{ or}}{3240^{\circ}F \cdot h)}$



11. SUMMARY OF RESULTS

The non-loadbearing non-loadbearing 12mm thick single layer cement board wall partition with rockwool infill has been evaluated in accordance with ASTM E119-16a; Standard Test Methods for Fire Tests of Building Construction and Materials and ASTM E2226-15b; Standard Practice for Application of Hose Stream.

The requirements of the standards were satisfied for:

2	FIRE TEST RATING	
	1 HOUR	

12. RECOMMENDATION

Thomas Bell-Wright International Consultants recommend that the relevance of test reports should be considered after a period of five years.

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13.APPENDIX 1 – DESCRIPTION OF SPECIMEN

Overall	
Туре	Non-loadbearing 12mm thick single layer cement board wall partition with rockwool infill.
Dimensions	3048 x 3048 x 99mm (w x h x thk.)

Steel Tracks	
	.55 51
Material	Galvanized Steel - Grade Z2 (Galvanizing RNR 052-GS)
Manufacturer	
	Sigma Factory for Steel Products
Reference	G-Frame RNR 052-GS
Dimension	As Shown 3000mm long The galvanized steel tracks were used along the head, sill, and both vertical
	edges, as well as along horizontal studs at heights of 800, 1600, and 2400mm above the sill of the specimen. Small lengths of track were used to extend the 3000mm lengths to cover the 3048mm width and height of the test frame opening. The perimeter tracks were fixed in place using Ø4.2x50mm self-tapping screws
Fixing method & Application	 and washers with plastic anchors spaced a maximum of 100mm from the edges and 600mm C/C. The horizontal studs were fixed between the vertical C-channel studs using Ø13mm Gyproc Waferhead Jackpoint Screws. Vertical C-channel studs were fixed within the head and sill tracks using the same Ø13mm Gyproc Waferhead Jackpoint Screws, spaced nominally at 600mm C/C.
Evidence of survey	DAP [®] Fire Stop Fire-Rated Silicone Sealant was used around the perimeter of the tracks on the exposed side of the specimen, before the installation of the boards. Information provided by the sponsor and verified by TBWIC.
Evidence of Survey	information provided by the sponsor and vermed by TBWIC.



C-Channel Studs	
	SC:
Material	Galvanized Steel
Manufacturer	Sigma Factory for Steel Products
Reference	G-Frame STD 050-GS
Dimension	As Shown 3000 mm long
	The studs were fixed vertically within the head and sill tracks using Ø13mm Gyproc Waferhead Jackpoint Screws on both the exposed and unexposed faces. The 3000mm long channels were extended using smaller pieces of channel to make the length of the 3048mm high test frame opening.
Fixing method	100mm wide strips of cement board were fixed to both the interior and exterior faces of the framing members using Ø4.2x32mm coated self-tapping screws, then a layer of full sized boards was fitted over top of the strips and fixed with Ø4x45mm screws of the same time. Both screws were spaced a maximum of 100mm from the edges and nominally 300mm C/C.
	Rockwool infill of density 50 kg/m ³ and thickenss 50mm was pressure fitted between the studs and tracks of the framing system.
Evidence of survey	Information provided by the sponsor and verified by TBWIC

Rockwool Infill	
Material	Mineral Fiber Insulation
Manufacturer	Saudi Rockwool Factory
Dimension	Cut from 1200 x 600 x 50 mm (h x w x thk.) slabs
Density	50 kg/m ³ (Stated)
Fixing method	The rockwool slabs were cut to size to be pressure fitted between the vertical and horizontal framing members. They were installed after the unexposed layer of gypsum was installed.
Evidence of survey	Information provided by the sponsor and verified by TBWIC



Cement Boards	
Material	Non-Asbestos Fiber Cement
Manufacturer	ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd.
Dimension	1200 x 2400 x 12mm (w x thk. x h)
Density	1411.6 kg/m ³ (Measured) 1300 kg/m ³ (Stated)
Moisture Content	8.1% (Measured)
Fixing method	100 mm wide strips of cement boards were fixed to all framing members on the exposed and unexposed face of the specimen using \emptyset 4.2x32mm coated self-tapping screws, then full size boards were fixed over top of them using \emptyset 4.2x45mm screws of the same type. The meeting edges on the exterior face of the cement boards were ground down to have a tapered edge to make space for cement jointing compound and fiber tape.
-	The jointing compound and fiber tape were applied over all meeting edges of the boards. First, a pass of jointing compound was made, then the fiber tape was infused within it, and a second pass of jointing compound was applied over top of it on both the exposed and unexposed faces of the specimen. The jointing compound was also used over top of the screw heads and around the perimeter of the specimen on both the exposed and unexposed faces.
Evidence of survey	Information provided by the sponsor and verified by TBWIC

Sealant	
Material	Single Component Neutral Cure Silicon
Manufacturer	DAP [®] Products Incorporated
Appearance	Limestone Gray
Reference	DAP [®] Fire Stop Fire-Rated Silicone Sealant
Fixing method	The silicone sealant was applied, as a bead, around the perimeter of the framing system on the exposed face of the specimen, before the installation of the cement boards.
Evidence of survey	Information provided by the sponsor and verified by TBWIC

Fiber Tape	
Material	Fiber Joint Tape
Reference	Self-Adhesive Fiber Mesh Joint Tape
Manufacturer	Ayhaco
Fixing method	The fiber jointing tape was applied over the meeting edges of all cement boards on both the exposed and unexposed faces. First, a pass of cement jointing compound was applied, then the fiber tape was infused within it, then a second pass of jointing compound was applied.
Evidence of survey	Information provided by the sponsor and verified by TBWIC



Cement Jointing Compound		
Material	Single Component Neutral Cure Silicon	
Manufacturer	DAP [®] Products Incorporated	
Reference	C-Coat	
Appearance	Limestone Gray	
Fixing method	The jointing compound was used over all the meeting edges of the cement boards, in tandem with the jointing tape, as well as over all screw heads and around the perimeter of the specimen on both the exposed and unexposed faces. Two passes were used with the jointing tape. A first pass was made, which was infused with the jointing tape, then a second pass was applied over top of it.	
Evidence of survey	Information provided by the sponsor and verified by TBWIC	

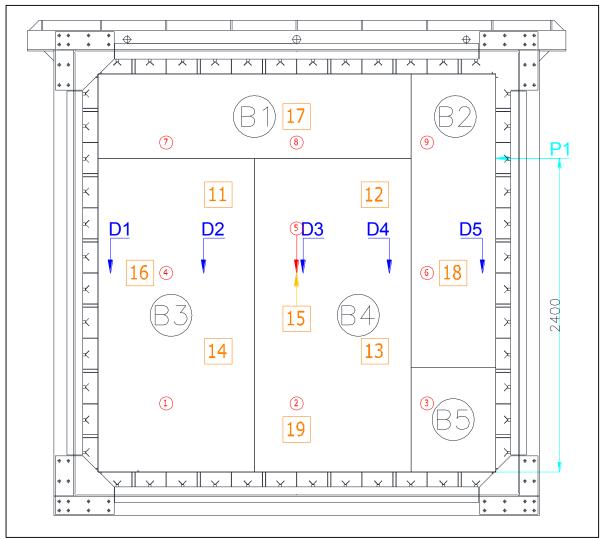
Cement Board Screws		
Material	Steel (AISI – 1022)	
Manufacturer	Corroshield Construction Fasteners	
Reference	BOTAPP™ BT 10-16x32mm – W & BT10-16x45mm-W	
Fixing method	Two lengths of screw fixing were used to fix the cement boards to the galvanized steel framing system: Ø4.2x32mm and Ø4.2x45mm screws. The 32mm long screws were used to fix the 100mm wide strips of cement board to the framing system, and the 45mm long screws were used to fix the full size boards over top of them, on both the exposed and unexposed faces. Both screws were fixed at a maximum of 100mm from the ends and nominally 300mm C/C.	
Evidence of survey	Information provided by the sponsor and verified by TBWIC	

Framing Screws	
Material	Steel
Manufacturer	Gyproc Saint-Gobain
Reference	13mm Wafer Head Jack Point Screws
Fixing method	The framing screws were used to fix the vertical C-channel studs within the head and sill tracks, and then to fix the intermediate studs (made of cut sections of track) to the vertical studs at the intermediate heights.
Evidence of survey	Information provided by the sponsor and verified by TBWIC



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14.APPENDIX 2 – DRAWINGS

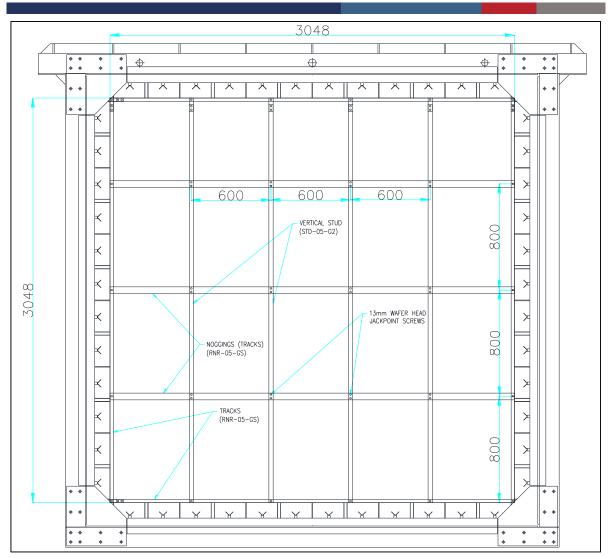


Drawing 1: Overall instrumentation and board labels of the specimen.

INSTRUMENTATION			
P1	Furnace pressure probe locations		
Тс1 - Тс9	Thermocouples to measure furnace temperature		
Tc11 – Tc19	Thermocouples to measure the temperature on the unexposed face of the specimen		
D1 – D5	Deflection measurement points		



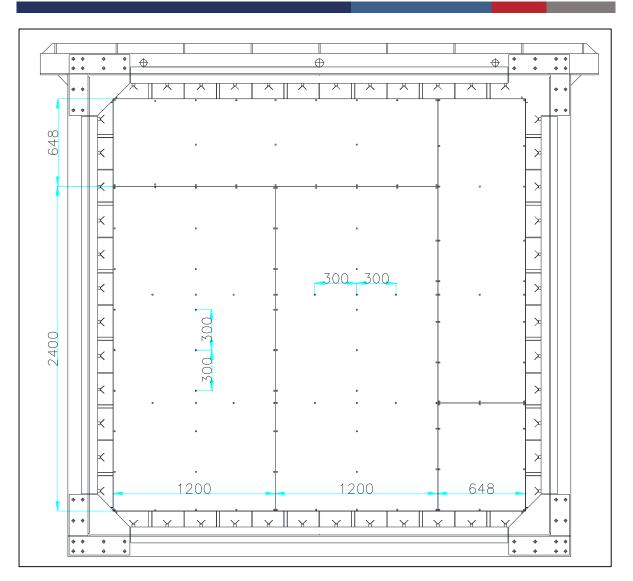
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Drawing 2: The overall layout of the framing system. (Drawing produced by TBWIC)

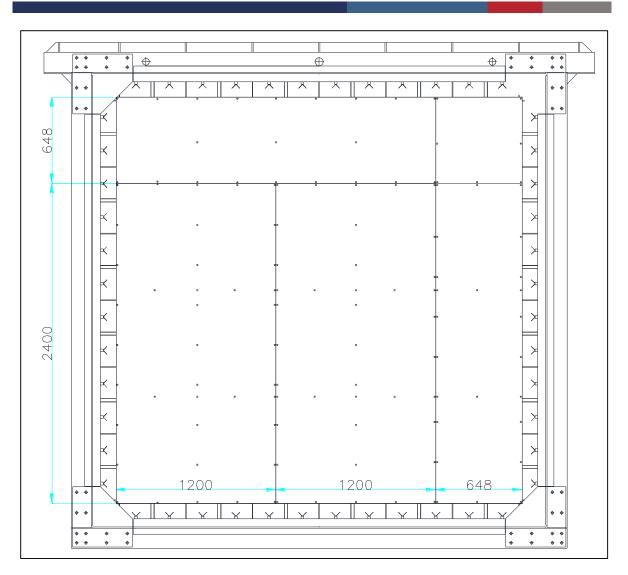


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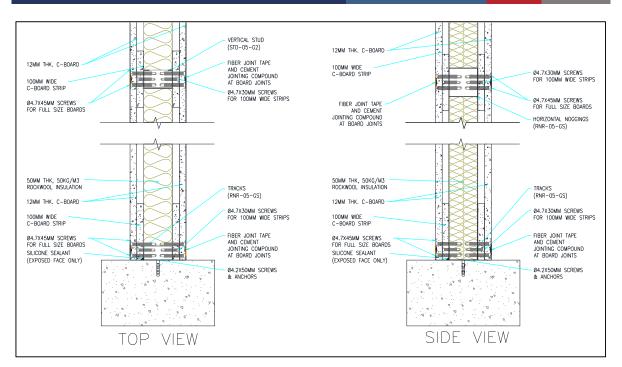
Drawing 3: The layout and orientation of boards on the unexposed face, as seen from the unexposed face. (Drawing produced by TBWIC)





Drawing 4: The layout and orientation of boards on the exposed face (As seen from the unexposed face). (Drawing produced by TBWIC)

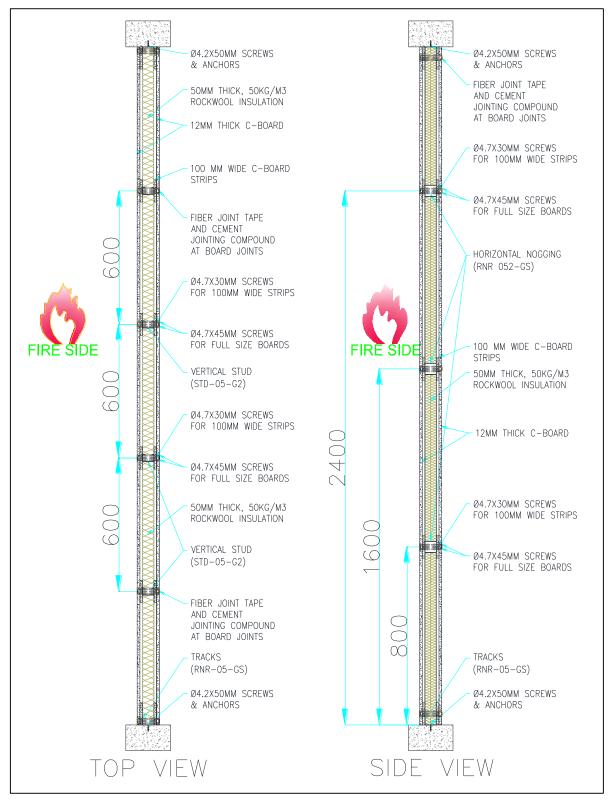




Drawing 5: Top and Side section details of both the termination detail and intermediate fixing details. (Drawing produced by TBWIC)



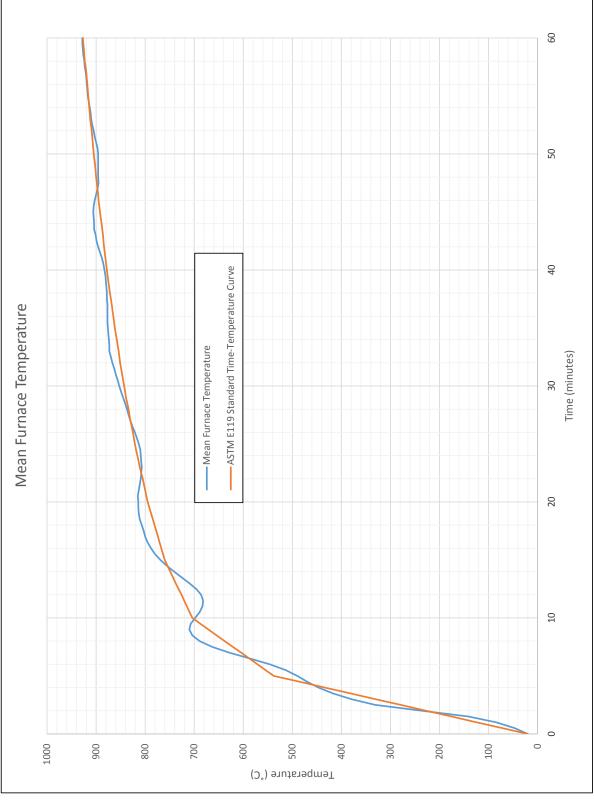




Drawings 6: Top and Side-section views of the test specimen.



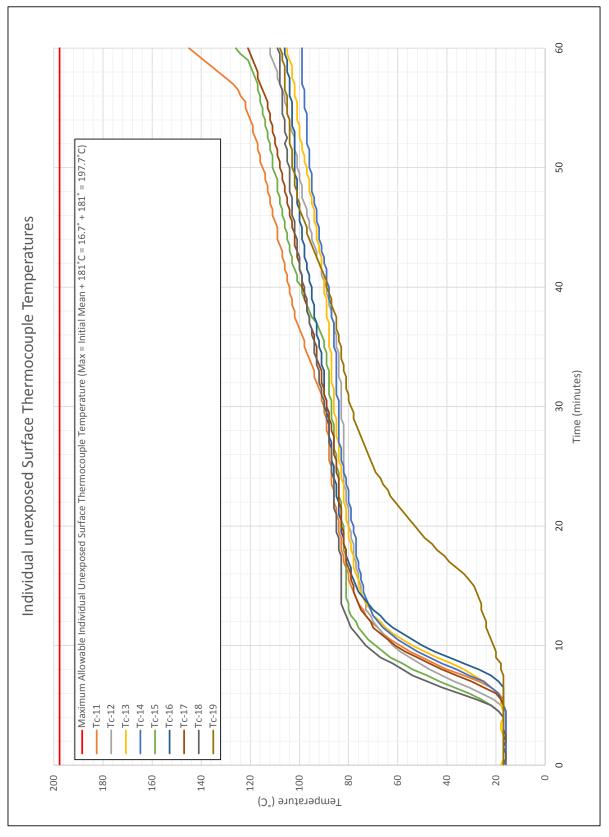
15.APPENDIX 3 - GRAPHS





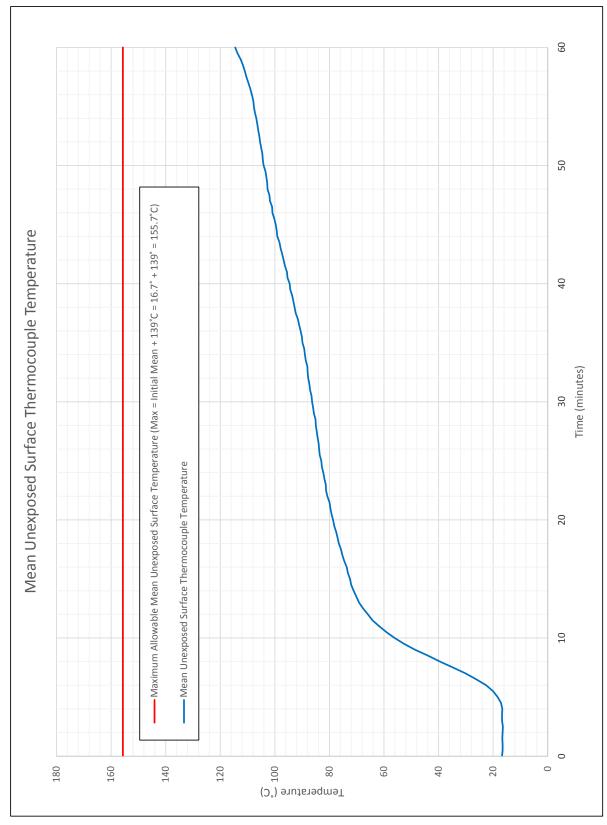






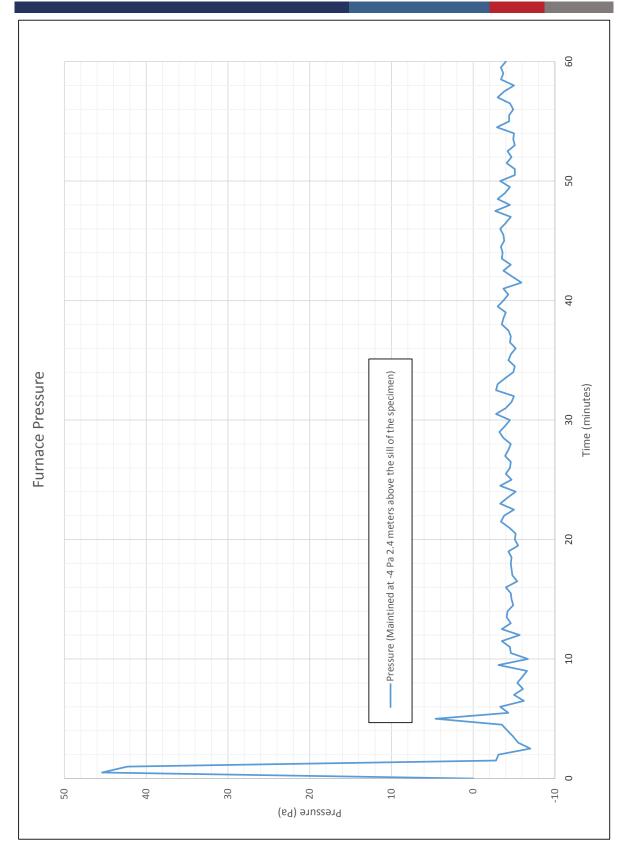
Graph 2: Rise in Temperature at Individual Unexposed Surface Points





Graph 3: Average Rise in Unexposed Surface Temperature





Graph 4: Furnace Pressure



16.APPENDIX 4 – DEFLECTION

The following table shows the deflection measurements in mm. recorded during the test.

- (+) are for measurements going into the furnace.
- (-) are for measurements coming out of the furnace.

Partition wall deflection measurement:

Time		Defle	ection	Point	
(mins)	D1	D2	D3	D4	D5
0:00	0	0	0	0	0
10:00	2	7	7	11	4
20:00	4	12	11	16	3
30:00	5	24	25	27	3
45:00	7	47	55	55	6
60:00	7	46	51	47	6



17.APPENDIX 5 – CONSTRUCTION PHOTOGRAPHS



Picture 1: A photo of a vertical c-channel stud being set in the horizontal sill track.



Picture 2: A photo of the tracks being used as horizontal studs and as the vertical termination stud, as well as being lengthened to fit the 3048mm wide test frame.



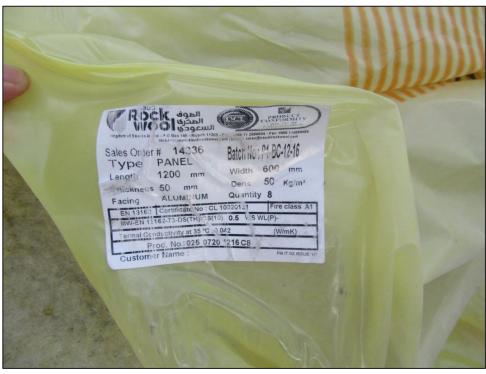


Picture 3: A photo of the sealant that was used around the perimeter of the framing system on the exposed face of the specimen.



Picture 4: A photo of the rockwool insulation partially installed, as well as the 100mm wide cement board strips on both the exposed and unexposed face of the specimen.





Picture 5: A photo of the product label for the rockwool insulation.



Picture 6: A photo of the cement jointing compound being used on the meeting edges of the boards, and the jointing compound being used alone on the screw heads and specimen perimeter.





18.APPENDIX 6 – TEST PHOTOGRAPHS



Picture 7: The specimen at the beginning of the test.



Picture 8: The specimen at 15:00 minutes.





Picture 9: The specimen at 32:00 minutes.



Picture 10: The specimen at 45:00 minutes.





Picture 11: The specimen immediately before the end of the test.



Picture 12: The exposed face of the specimen immediately before the hose stream test. =





Picture 13: The exposed face of the specimen immediately following the hose stream test.



Picture 14: The extend of moisture collection on the unexposed face of the specimen immediately following the hose stream test.

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Consultant	:	NP	Date of Samplin) :	NP
Project Name	:	NP	Sample brought in b	: /	Client
Project No.	:	NP	Date sample receive	: t	11/10/2016
Sample Description	:	C Board (18 mm)	Date test starte	: t	19/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	:	PO BU5-1060-16	Date test complete	: t	19/10/2016
Sampled by	:	Client	Report Dat	e :	29/10/2016
Manufacturer/Source	:	Client	Drying perio	: 1	24 hrs
Supplier	:	Client	Tested b	/:	JR
Drying Temperature	:	90±2° C			

Test Data

Test description	Units	Results
Unit Weight	Kg/m ²	24.8

Test method:ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 6Method variation:NoneRemarks:None



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Consultant	: NP	Date of Sampling :	NP
Project Name	: NP	Sample brought in by :	Client
Project No.	: NP	Date sample received :	11/10/2016
Sample Description	: C Board (18 mm)	Date test started :	19/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Date test completed :	19/10/2016
Sampled by	: Client	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Manufacturer/Source	: Client	Drying period :	24 hrs
Supplier	: Client	Tested by :	JR
Drying Temperature	: 90±2° C		

Test Data

Test description	Units	Results
Density	kg/m³	1381

Test method:ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 6Method variation:NoneRemarks:None

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Contractor	:	NP	Sample No :	16-514909/1-2
Consultant	:	NP	Date of Sampling :	NP
Project Name	:	NP	Sample brought in by :	Client
Project No.	:	NP	Date sample received :	11/10/2016
Sample Description	:	C Board (18 mm)	Date test started :	19/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	:	PO BU5-1060-16	Date test completed :	19/10/2016
Sampled by	:	Client	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Manufacturer/Source	:	Client	Tested by :	JR
Supplier	:	Client		

Test Data

Test Name	Test Method	Unit	Results
Mean Length	ASTM C 1186-08	mm	2439
Mean Width	(Reapproved 2012) / ASTM_C 1185-03 Section 7	mm	1220
Mean Total Thickness		mm	17.92

Method variation : Remarks :

None None

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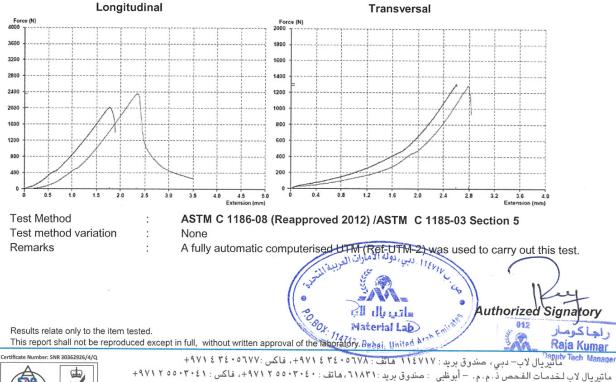




REPORT ON FLEXURAL STRENGTH OF C BOARD

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Contractor	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Consultant	: NP	Sample No :	16-514909/1-4
Project Name	: NP	Client Ref. No. :	PO BU5-1060-16
Project No.	: NP	Date sample Received :	11/10/2016
Structure Reference	: NP	Date test started :	22/10/2016
Sample Description	: C Board (18 mm)	Date test completed :	22/10/2016
Sample Size	: 305 x 152 x 18 mm	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Source of sample	: Client	Sample brought in by :	Client
Sampled by	: Client	Speed of Machine :	25 mm/min
Test Condition	: Equilibrium	Testing Room Temperature :	23°C
Length of test Specimen	: 305 mm	Relative Humidity :	50%
Span length	: 254 mm	Tested by :	JR

Test Data Average Flexural Maximum Thickness Flexural Specimen No. **Test Direction** Width (mm) Strength (mm) Load (N) Strength (MPa) (MPa) 16-514909/1 150.7 17.95 2358 18.50 Longitudinal 17.09 16-514909/2 151.2 17.98 2012 15.68 16-514909/3 152.2 17.94 1287 10.01 Transversal 10.12 16-514909/4 151.4 17.95 1311 10.24



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Contractor	: NP	Sample No :	16-514909/1-3
Consultant	: NP	Date Sample Received :	11/10/2016
Project	: NP	Date Test Started :	19/10/2016
Sample Description	: C Board (18 mm)	Date Test Completed :	20/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Source	: Client	Testing Room Temperature :	23°C
Date of Sampling	: NP	Relative Humidity :	50±5%
Sampled By	: Client	Drying period :	24 hrs
Drying Temperature	: 90±2° C	Tested by :	JR

Test Data

Test Name	Test Method	Results
Moisture Content (%)	ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) / ASTM C 1185-03 Section 10	4.91

Method Variation : None Remarks : None





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Contractor	:	NP		Sample No :	16-514909/1-3
Consultant	:	NP	Date Sam	ple Received :	11/10/2016
Project	:	NP	Date	e test started :	19/10/2016
Sample Description	:	C Board (18 mm)	Date te	st completed :	22/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	:	PO BU5-1060-16		Report Date :	29/10/2016
Source	:	Client	Testing Room	Temperature :	23°C
Sampled by	:	Client	Rela	tive Humidity :	50±5%
Immersion period	:	48 hours	[Drying period :	24 hrs
Drying Temperature	:	90±2° C		Tested by :	JR

Test Data

Test Name	Units	Results
Water Absorption	%	28.74

Test Method Method Variation Remarks : ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 9 : None.

: None

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Contractor	:	NP	Sample No :	16-514909/1
Consultant	:	NP	Sample brought in by :	Client
Project Name	:	NP	Date sample received :	11/10/2016
Project No.	:	NP	Date test started :	16/10/2016
Sample Description	:	C Board (18 mm)	Date test completed :	17/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	:	PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Sampled by	:	Client	Specimen size :	610 x 508 mm
Manufacturer/Source	:	Client	Hight of water :	50 mm
Supplier	:	Client	Thickness of Specimen :	18 mm
Test duration	:	24 hrs	Tested by :	JR

Test Data

Test description	Results
WaterTightness	No water drops found on the under side of the sheet.

Test method	:	ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 11
Method variation	:	None
Remarks	:	None





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Address	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Contractor	: NP	Sample No :	16-514909/1-3
Consultant	: NP	Date Sample Received :	11/10/2016
Project	: NP	Date Test Started :	16/10/2016
Sample Description	: C Board (18 mm)	Date Test Completed :	17/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Source	: Client	Testing Temperature :	23°C
Size of Specimen	: 76 X 305 mm	Relative Humidity :	90±5%
Sampled By	: Client	Tested by :	JR

Test Data

Test Name	Test Method	Results	
Linear Change (%)	ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) / ASTM C 1185-03 Section 8	0.06	

Method Variation : None Remarks : None



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Address	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Contractor	: NP	Sample No :	16-514909/1
Consultant	: NP	Date Sample Received :	11/10/2016
Project	: NP	Date Test Started :	01/11/2016
Sample Description	: C Board (18 mm)	Date Test Completed :	01/11/2016
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	02/11/2016
Source	: Client	Testing Room Temperature :	24°C
Sample brought in by	: Client	Relative Humidity :	50±5%
Sampled By	: Client	Tested by :	JR
Diameter of Screw	: 3.50 mm		
Speed of machine	: 1.5 mm/min		

Test Data

Sample ID	Test Standard	Test Name	Unit	Test Result
16-514909/1	ASTM D 1037- 12,Claue 16	Direct Screw Withdrawal	N	1415

Method Variation : None Remarks : None

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Client	:	Ask Gypsum Factory	Lab.Sample No.	:	16-514909	/12
Address	:	P.O. Box 31382, Yaubu, KSA	Lab Project No.	:	P-3714	
Contractor	:	NP	Sampling Certificate	:	NP	
Consultant Project name	:		Sampling Method Sample Size(No.)		NP 1	
Project No.	:	NP	Lot No.	:	NP	
Project Location	ר ו ר	NP	Lot Size (m ³)	:	NP	
Sample Descrip	otion :	Fiber Cement Board (300x300x18mm)	Date received	:	11/10/2016	;
Source	:	Client	Date test Started	:	12/10/2016	;
Client's Ref.	:	PO BU5-1060-16	Date Test Completed	:	13/10/2016	
Sampling date/t	ime :	11/10/2016	Report Date	÷	15/10/2016	
Sampled by	:	Client	Tested by	:	MSH	
Sample brought	tby :	Client				

TEST DATA:

Test Name	Test Method	Unit	Results
pH Value @ 25°C	BS 1377: Part 3: 1990 Cl. 9 Amd. 9028:1996	-	11.7

Preparation Method Test method variation Remarks

BS 1377: Part 3: 1990 Amd. 9028-96

None None

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REPORT ON DETERMINATION OF FREEZE-THAW RESISTANCE OF C BOARD

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Address	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Contractor	: NP	Sample No :	16-514909/1-8
Consultant	: NP	Date of Sampling :	NP
Project Name	: NP	Date Sample Received :	11/10/2016
Project No.	: NP	Date Test Started :	19/10/2016
Sample Name	: C Board (18 mm)	Date Test Completed :	16/11/2016
Sender's No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	19/11/2016
Source of Sample	: Client	Water temperature :	5°C
Size of Specimen	: 305 x 152 mm	Freeze Temperature :	-20±2°C
Thickness of specimen	: 18 mm	Thaw Temperature :	20±2°C
Sampled by	: Client	No. of cycles:	50
Sample brought in by	: Client	Span length (mm):	254
		Tested by :	JR

Introduction

ASK Gypsum Factory appointed MLab for determination of Freeze-Thaw resistance of C Board in accordance with ASTM C 1185-03. Two set of C board was immerssed in water at 5°C for 48 hours, after immersion period one set of specimens were tested for flexural strength. The another set of specimens were sealed in a plastic bag and cool it at -20±2°C for one hour and thaw at 20±2°C for one hour. The Freeze-Thaw cycle was repeated for 50 cycles. Upon completion of Free-Thaw cycles the specimes were tested for flexural strength in saturated condition in accordance with ASTM C 1185-03 section 5.

Test Data for Flexural Strength

Control Specimens										
Specimen No.	Test Direction	Width mm)	Thickness (mm)	Maximum Load (N)	Flexural Strength (MPa)	Average Flxeural Strength (MPa)				
16-514909/1	Longitudinal	151.3	17.88	1480	11.7	11.6				
16-514909/2		152.2	17.90	1477	11.5					
16-514909/3	Transversal	152.6	17.91	806	6.27	6.39				
16-514909/4		151.2	17.93	830	6.51					

After Freeze-Thaw condition										
Specimen No.	Test Direction	Width mm)	Thickness (mm)	Maximum Load (N)	Flexural Strength (MPa)	Average Flxeural Strength (MPa)				
16-514909/5	Longitudinal	151.7	17.93	1237	9.66	9.63				
16-514909/6		151.9	17.91	1227	9.59					
16-514909/7	Transversal	151.1	17.93	699	5.48	5.46				
16-514909/8		152.7	17.89	698	5.44					



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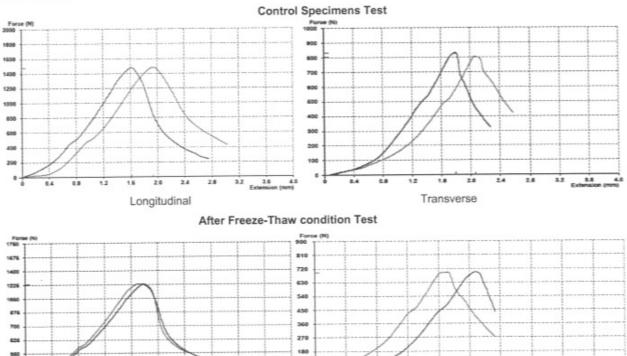
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Test Graph:

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Summary:

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Test Name		Ratio of retained Strength		
	Controlled	After Freeze-Thaw condition	(%)	
Flexural Strength , Longitudinal	11.6	9.63	83.0	
Flexural Strength, Transversal	6.39	5.56	87.0	

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: ASTM C1186-08(Reapproved 2012), ASTM C1185-03

Test Standard Method Variation Remarks

: A Fully automatic computerized UTM was used for tensile property.





3.6 Extension (m

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Contractor	: NP	Sample No: 16-514907/1-3
Consultant	: NP	Date of Sampling : NP
Project Name	: NP	Sample brought in by : Client
Project No.	: NP	Date sample received : 11/10/2016
Sample Description	: C Board (12 mm)	Date test started : 19/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Date test completed : 19/10/2016
Sampled by	: Client	Report Date : 29/10/2016
Manufacturer/Source	: Client	Drying period : 24 hrs
Supplier	: Client	Tested by : JR
Drying Temperature	: 90±2°C	

Test Data

Test description	Units	Results
Unit Weight	Kg/m ²	16.3

Test method ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 6 : Method variation : Remarks

None

: None



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Address	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No: P-3714
Contractor	: NP	Sample No : 16-514907/1-3
Consultant	: NP	Sample brought in by : Client
Project Name	: NP	Date sample received : 11/10/2016
Project No.	: NP	Date test started : 19/10/2016
Sample Description	: C Board (12 mm)	Date test completed : 19/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date : 29/10/2016
Sampled by	: Client	Drying Temperature : 90±2°C
Manufacturer/Source	: Client	Drying period : 24 hrs
Supplier	: Client	Tested by : JR

Test Data

Test description	Units	Results
Density	kg/m ³	1309

Test method	:	ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 6
Method variation	:	None
Remarks	:	None

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Address	:	Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Contractor	:	NP	Sample No :	16-514907/1-2
Consultant	:	NP	Date of Sampling :	NP
Project Name	:	NP	Sample brought in by :	Client
Project No.	:	NP	Date sample received :	11/10/2016
Sample Description	:	C Board (12 mm)	Date test started :	19/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	:	PO BU5-1060-16	Date test completed :	19/10/2016
Sampled by	:	Client	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Manufacturer/Source	:	Client	Tested by :	JR
Supplier	:	Client		

Test Data

Test Name	Test Method	Unit	Results
Mean Length		mm	2439
Mean Width	ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) / ASTM C 1185-03 Section 7	mm	1219
Mean Total Thickness	ASTM C Trab-03 Section 7	mm	12.42

Method variation : None Remarks : None

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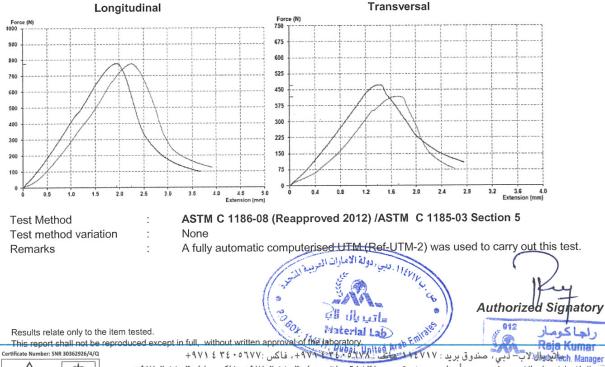


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Contractor	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Consultant	: NP	Sample No :	16-514907/1-4
Project Name	: NP	Client Ref. No. :	PO BU5-1060-16
Project No.	: NP	Date sample Received :	11/10/2016
Structure Reference	: NP	Date test started :	22/10/2016
Sample Description	: C Board (12 mm)	Date test completed :	22/10/2016
Sample Size	: 305 x 152 x 12 mm	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Source of sample	: Client	Sample brought in by :	Client
Sampled by	: Client	Speed of Machine :	25 mm/min
Test Condition	: Equilibrium	Testing Room Temperature :	23°C
Length of test Specimen	: 305 mm	Relative Humidity :	50%
Span length	: 254 mm	Tested by :	JR

Test Data Average Flexural Maximum Flexural Thickness Strength **Test Direction** Width (mm) Specimen No. (mm) Load (N) Strength (MPa) (MPa) 775 12.65 12.40 151.8 16-514907/1 12.74 Longitudinal 12.84 150.7 12.37 777 16-514907/2 420 6.85 151.7 12.41 16-514907/3 7.24 Transversal 470 7.63 151.7 12.44 16-514907/4





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Contractor : NP Sample No : 16-514907/1-3	
Consultant : NP Date Sample Received : 11/10/2016	
Project : NP Date Test Started : 19/10/2016	
Sample Description : C Board (12 mm) Date Test Completed : 20/10/2016	
Client Ref. No. : PO BU5-1060-16 Report Date : 29/10/2016	
Source : Client Testing Room Temperature : 23°C	
Date of Sampling : NP Relative Humidity : 50±5%	
Sampled By : Client Drying period : 24 hrs	
Drying temperature : 90±2°C Tested by : JR	

Test Data

Test Name	Test Method	Results
Moisture Content (%)	ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 10	9.86

Method Variation : None Remarks : None



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Address	:	Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Contractor	:	NP	Sample No :	16-514907/1-3
Consultant	:	NP	Date Sample Received :	11/10/2016
Project	:	NP	Date test started :	19/10/2016
Sample Description	:	C Board (12 mm)	Date test completed :	22/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	:	PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Source	Ċ	Client	Testing Room Temperature :	23°C
Sampled by	Ċ	Client	Relative Humidity :	50±5%
Immersion period	:	48 hours	Drying period :	24 hrs
Drying temperature	:	90±2°C	 Tested by :	JR

Test Data

Toot Name	Unito	Results
Test Name	Units	Results
Water Absorption	%	31.98

Test Method Method Variation Remarks

: ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 9









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Contractor	: NP	Sample No :	16-514907/1
Consultant	: NP	Sample brought in by :	Client
Project Name	: NP	Date sample received :	11/10/2016
Project No.	: NP	Date test started :	15/10/2016
Sample Description	: C Board (12 mm)	Date test completed :	16/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Sampled by	: Client	Specimen size :	610 x 508 mm
Manufacturer/Source	: Client	Hight of water :	50 mm
Supplier	: Client	Thickness of Specimen :	12 mm
Test duration	: 24 hrs	Tested by :	JR

Test Data

Test description	Results
WaterTightness	No water drops found on the under side of the sheet

Test method	:	ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 11
Method variation	:	None
Remarks	:	None



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Contractor	: NP	Sample No :	16-514907/1-3
Consultant	: NP	Date Sample Received :	11/10/2016
Project	: NP	Date Test Started :	16/10/2016
Sample Description	: C Board (12 mm)	Date Test Completed :	17/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Source	: Client	Testing Temperature :	23°C
Date of Sampling	: NP	Relative Humidity :	90±5%
Sampled By	: Client	Size of Specimen :	76 X 305 mm
Drying Temperature		Tested by :	JR

Test Data

Test Name	Test Method	Results
Linear Change (%)	ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 8	0.09

Method Variation	:	None
Remarks	:	None

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Address	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Contractor	: NP	Sample No :	16-514907/1
Consultant	: NP	Date Sample Received :	11/10/2016
Project	: NP	Date Test Started :	01/11/2016
Sample Description	: C Board (12 mm)	Date Test Completed :	01/11/2016
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	02/11/2016
Source	: Client	Testing Room Temperature :	24°C
Sample brought in by	: Client	Relative Humidity :	50±5%
Sampled By	: Client	Tested by :	JR
Diameter of Screw	: 3.50 mm		
Speed of machine	: 1.5 mm/min		

Test Data

Sample ID	Test Standard	Test Name	Unit	Test Result
16-514907/1	ASTM D 1037- 12,Claue 16	Direct Screw Withdrawal	N	742

Method Variation	:	None
Remarks	:	None

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Client	:	Ask Gypsum Factory	Lab.Sample No.	1	16-514907/	12
Address	:	P.O. Box 31382, Yaubu, KSA	Lab Project No.	:	P-3714	
Contractor	:	NP	Sampling Certificate	:	NP	
Consultant	:	NP	Sampling Method	:	NP	
Project name	:	NP	Sample Size (No.)	:	1	
Project No.	:	NP	Lot No.	:	NP	
Project Location	:	NP	Lot Size (m ³)	:	NP	
Sample Description	:	Fiber Cement Board (300x300x12mm) Date received	:	11/10/2016	
Source	:	Client	Date test Started	:	12/10/2016	
Client's Ref.	:	PO BU5-1060-16	Date Test Completed	:	13/10/2016	
Sampling date/time	:	11/10/2016	Report Date	:	15/10/2016	
Sampled by	:	Client	Tested by	:	MSH	
Sample brought by	:	Client				

TEST DATA:

Test Name	Test Method	Unit	Results
pH Value @ 25°C	BS 1377: Part 3: 1990 Cl. 9 Amd. 9028:1996	-	9.9

Preparation Method Test method variation Remarks BS 1377: Part 3: 1990 Amd. 9028-96

: None

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None



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Address	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Contractor	: NP	Sample No :	16-514907/1-8
Consultant	: NP	Date of Sampling :	NP
Project Name	: NP	Date Sample Received :	11/10/2016
Project No.	: NP	Date Test Started :	19/10/2016
Sample Name	: C Board (12 mm)	Date Test Completed :	16/11/2016
Sender's No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	19/11/2016
Source of Sample	: Client	Water temperature :	5°C
Size of Specimen	: 305 x 152 mm	Freeze Temperature :	-20±2°C
Thickness of specimen	: 12 mm	Thaw Temperature :	20±2°C
Sampled by	: Client	No. of cycles:	50
Sample brought in by	: Client	Span length (mm):	254
		Tested by :	JR

Introduction

ASK Gypsum Factory appointed MLab for determination of Freeze-Thaw resistance of C Board in accordance with ASTM C 1185-03. Two set of C board was immerssed in water at 5°C for 48 hours, after immersion period one set of specimens were tested for flexural strength. The another set of specimens were sealed in a plastic bag and cool it at -20±2°C for one hour and thaw at 20±2°C for one hour. The Freeze-Thaw cycle was repeated for 50 cycles. Upon completion of Free-Thaw cycles the specimes were tested for flexural strength in saturated condition in accordance with ASTM C 1185-03 section 5.

Test Data for Flexural Strength

Control Specimens						
Specimen No.	Test Direction	Width mm)	Thickness (mm)	Maximum Load (N)	Flexural Strength (MPa)	Average Flxeural Strength (MPa)
16-514907/1		152.6	12.40	605	9.82	9.61
16-514907/2	Longitudinal	151.6	12.39	574	9.40	9.01
16-514907/3	-	151.6	12.41	374	6.10	5.91
16-514907/4	Transversal	153.2	12.40	354	5.73	3.91

After Freeze-Thaw condition						
Specimen No.	Test Direction	Width mm)	Thickness (mm)	Maximum Load (N)	Flexural Strength (MPa)	Average Flxeural Strength (MPa)
16-514907/5	Longitudinal	151.5	12.43	493	8.02	7.97
16-514907/6		151.7	12.42	486	7.91	7.97
16-514907/7	Tananal	150.7	12.29	272	4.55	4.77
16-514907/8	Transversal	151.5	12.39	304	4.98	1 4.77



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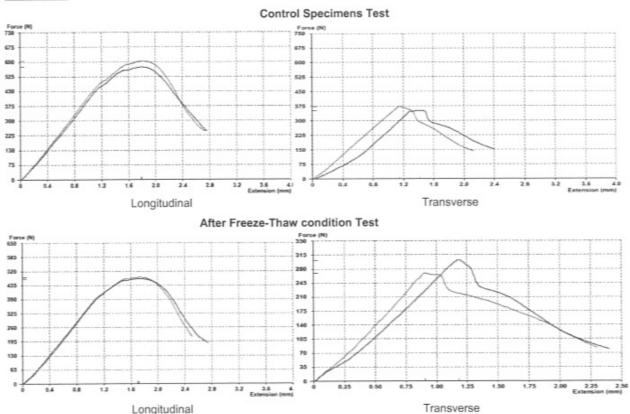
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Summary:

Test Name		Ratio of retained Strength	
	Controlled	After Freeze-Thaw condition	(%)
Flexural Strength , Longitudinal	9.6	7.97	82.9
Flexural Strength, Transversal	5.91	4.77	80.7

: ASTM C1186-08(Reapproved 2012), ASTM C1185-03

Test Standard Method Variation Remarks

: A Fully automatic computerized UTM was used for tensile property.





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Contractor	: NP	Sample No :	16-514906/1-3
Consultant	: NP	Date of Sampling :	NP
Project Name	: NP	Sample brought in by :	Client
Project No.	: NP	Date sample received :	11/10/2016
Sample Description	: C Board (9 mm)	Date test started :	19/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Date test completed :	19/10/2016
Sampled by	: Client	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Manufacturer/Source	: Client	Drying Temperature :	90±2° C
Supplier	: Client	Tested by :	JR
Drying period	: 24 hrs		

Test Data

Test description	Units	Results
Unit Weight	Kg/m ²	12.1

Test method	:	ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 6
Method variation	:	None
Remarks	:	None

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Contractor	: NP	Sample No : 16-514906/1-3	
Consultant	: NP	Date of Sampling : NP	
Project Name	: NP	Sample brought in by : Client	
Project No.	: NP	Date sample received : 11/10/2016	
Sample Description	: C Board (9 mm)	Date test started : 19/10/2016	
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Date test completed : 19/10/2016	
Sampled by	: Client	Report Date : 29/10/2016	
Manufacturer/Source	: Client	Drying Temperature : 90±2° C	
Supplier	: Client	Tested by : JR	
Drying period	: 24 hrs		

Test Data

Test description	Units	Results
Density	kg/m ³	1355

Test method:ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 6Method variation:NoneRemarks:None



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Address	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Contractor	: NP	Sample No :	16-514906/1-2
Consultant	: NP	Date of Sampling :	NP
Project Name	: NP	Sample brought in by :	Client
Project No.	: NP	Date sample received :	11/10/2016
Sample Description	: C Board (9 mm)	Date test started :	19/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Date test completed :	19/10/2016
Sampled by	: Client	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Manufacturer/Source	: Client	Tested by :	JR
Supplier	: Client		

Test Data

Test Name	Test Method	Unit	Results
Mean Length	ASTM C 1186-08	mm	2439
Mean Width	(Reapproved 2012) / ASTM C 1185-03 Section 7	mm	1220
Mean Total Thickness		mm	9.02

Method variation : None Remarks : None

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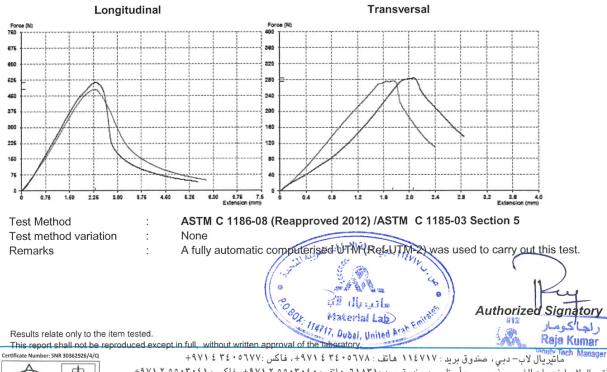
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Contractor	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Consultant	: NP	Sample No :	16-514906/1-4
Project Name	: NP	Client Ref. No. :	PO BU5-1060-16
Project No.	: NP	Date sample Received :	11/10/2016
Structure Reference	: NP	Date test started :	22/10/2016
Sample Description	: C Board (9 mm)	Date test completed :	22/10/2016
Sample Size	: 305 x 152 x 9 mm	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Source of sample	: Client	Sample brought in by :	Client
Sampled by	: Client	Speed of Machine :	25 mm/min
Test Condition	: Equilibrium	Testing Room Temperature :	23°C
Length of test Specimen	: 305 mm	Relative Humidity :	50%
Span length	: 254 mm	Tested by :	JR

Test	Data
Test	Data

Specimen No.	Test Direction	Width (mm)	Thickness (mm)	Maximum Load (N)	Flexural Strength (MPa)	Average Flexural Strength (MPa)
16-514906/1	Longitudinal	151.9	9.01	478	14.77	15.20
16-514906/2		152.5	9.04	511	15.62	
16-514906/3	Transversal	152.4	9.01	275	8.47	8.55
16-514906/4	Transversal	152.3	9.04	282	8.63	0.00





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Consultant	: NP	Date Sample Received :	11/10/2016
Project	: NP	Date Test Started :	19/10/2016
Sample Description	:C Board (9 mm)	Date Test Completed :	20/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Source	: Client	Testing Room Temperature :	23°C
Date of Sampling	: NP	Relative Humidity :	50±5%
Sampled By	: Client	Drying Temperature :	90±2° C
Drying period	: 24 hrs	Tested by :	JR

Test Data

Test Name	Test Method	Results
Moisture Content (%)	ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 10	6.78

Method Variation : None Remarks : None



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REPORT ON DETERMINATION OF WATER ABSORPTION OF C BOARD

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Client	: ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd	Report No :	514906 SN 1/1
Address	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Contractor	: NP	Sample No :	16-514906/1-3
Consultant	: NP	Date Sample Received :	11/10/2016
Project	: NP	Date test started :	19/10/2016
Sample Description	:C Board (9 mm)	Date test completed :	22/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Source	: Client	Testing Room Temperature :	23°C
Sampled by	: Client	Relative Humidity :	50±5%
Immersion period	: 48 hours	Drying Temperature :	90±2° C
Drying period	: 24 hrs	Tested by :	JR

Test Data

Test Name	Units	Results
Water Absorption	%	29.54

Test Method Method Variation Remarks : ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 9

: None.

: None



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REPORT ON DETERMINATION OF WATERTIGHTNESS OF C BOARD

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Client	:	ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd	Report No :	514906 SN 1/1
Address	:	Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Contractor	:	NP	Sample No :	16-514906/1
Consultant	:	NP	Sample brought in by :	Client
Project Name	:	NP	Date sample received :	11/10/2016
Project No.	:	NP	Date test started :	16/10/2016
Sample Description	:	C Board (9 mm)	Date test completed :	17/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	:	PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Sampled by	:	Client	Specimen size :	610 x 508 mm
Manufacturer/Source	:	Client	Hight of water :	50 mm
Supplier	:	Client	Thickness of Specimen :	9 mm
Test duration	:	24 hrs	Tested by :	JR

Test Data

Test description	Results
WaterTightness	No water drops found on the under side of the sheet.

Test method	:	ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 11
Method variation	:	None
Remarks	:	None



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REPORT ON DETERMINATION OF MOISTURE MOVEMENT OF C BOARD

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Client	: ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd	Report No :	514906 SN 1/1
Address	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Contractor	: NP	Sample No :	16-514906/1-3
Consultant	: NP	Date Sample Received :	11/10/2016
Project	: NP	Date Test Started :	16/10/2016
Sample Description	: C Board (9 mm)	Date Test Completed :	17/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Source	: Client	Testing Temperature :	23°C
Size of Specimen	: 76 X 305 mm	Relative Humidity :	90±5%
Sampled By	: Client	Tested by :	JR

Test Data

Test Name	Test Method	Results
Linear Change (%)	ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 8	0.10

Method Variation	:	None
Remarks	:	None



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REPORT ON DETERMINATION OF DIRECT SCREW WITHDRAWAL OF C BOARD

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Client	: ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd	Report No :	514906 SN 1/1
Address	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Contractor	: NP	Sample No :	16-514906/1
Consultant	: NP	Date Sample Received :	11/10/2016
Project	: NP	Date Test Started :	01/11/2016
Sample Description	:C Board (9 mm)	Date Test Completed :	01/11/2016
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	02/11/2016
Source	: Client	Testing Room Temperature :	24°C
Sample brought in by	: Client	Relative Humidity :	50±5%
Sampled By	: Client	Tested by :	JR
Diameter of Screw	: 3.50 mm		
Speed of machine	: 1.5 mm/min		

Test Data

Sample ID	Test Standard	Test Name	Unit	Test Result
16-514906/1	ASTM D 1037- 12,Claue 16	Direct Screw Withdrawal	N	553

Method Variation	:	None
Remarks	:	None





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REPORT ON PH VALUE OF FIBER CEMENT BOARD

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		Report No. :	514906 SN 1/1
Client	: Ask Gypsum Factory	Lab.Sample No. :	16-514906/12
Address	: P.O. Box 31382, Yaubu, KSA	Lab Project No. :	P-3714
Contractor	: NP Sa	mpling Certificate :	NP
Consultant		Sampling Method :	NP
Project name	: NP Sa	ample Size (No.) :	1
Project No.	: NP	Lot No. :	NP
Project Location	: NP	Lot Size (m ³) :	NP
Sample Description	: Fiber Cement Board (300X300X09mm)	Date received :	11/10/2016
Source	: Client	Date test Started :	12/10/2016
Client's Ref.	: PO BU5-1060-16 Date	e Test Completed :	13/10/2016
Sampling date/time	: 11/10/2016	Report Date :	15/10/2016
Sampled by	: Client	Tested by :	MSH
Sample brought by	: Client		

TEST DATA:

Test Name	Test Method	Unit	Results
pH Value @ 25℃	BS 1377: Part 3: 1990 Cl. 9 Amd. 9028:1996	_	11.0

Preparation Method Test method variation Remarks BS 1377: Part 3: 1990 Amd. 9028-96

: None

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None



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REPORT ON DETERMINATION OF FREEZE-THAW RESISTANCE OF C BOARD

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Client	: ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd	Report No :	514906 SN 1/1
Address	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Contractor	: NP	Sample No :	16-514906/1-8
Consultant	: NP	Date of Sampling :	NP
Project Name	: NP	Date Sample Received :	11/10/2016
Project No.	: NP	Date Test Started :	19/10/2016
Sample Name	: C Board (9 mm)	Date Test Completed :	16/11/2016
Sender's No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	19/11/2016
Source of Sample	: Client	Water temperature :	5°C
Size of Specimen	: 305 x 152 mm	Freeze Temperature :	-20±2*C
Thickness of specimen	: 9 mm	Thaw Temperature :	20±2°C
Sampled by	: Client	No. of cycles:	50
Sample brought in by	: Client	Span length (mm):	254
		Tested by :	JR

Introduction

ASK Gypsum Factory appointed MLab for determination of Freeze-Thaw resistance of C Board in accordance with ASTM C 1185-03. Two set of C board was immerssed in water at 5°C for 48 hours, after immersion period one set of specimens were tested for flexural strength. The another set of specimens were sealed in a plastic bag and cool it at -20±2°C for one hour and thaw at 20±2°C for one hour. The Freeze-Thaw cycle was repeated for 50 cycles. Upon completion of Free-Thaw cycles the specimes were tested for flexural strength in saturated condition in accordance with ASTM C 1185-03 section 5.

Test Data for Flexural Strength

Control Specimens							
Specimen No.	Test Direction	Width mm)	Thickness (mm)	Maximum Load (N)	Flexural Strength (MPa)	Average Flxeural Strength (MPa)	
16-514906/1		152.9	9.01	357	11.0	10.9	
16-514906/2	Longitudinal	151.5	9.03	354	10.9	10.9	
16-514906/3	T	152.5	9.02	209	6.42	6.60	
16-514906/4	Transversal	151.5	9.01	219	6.78		

After Freeze-Thaw condition							
Specimen No.	Test Direction	Width mm)	Thickness (mm)	Maximum Load (N)	Flexural Strength (MPa)	Average Flxeural Strength (MPa)	
16-514906/5		152.5	9.03	325	9.96	0.65	
16-514906/6	Longitudinal	152.5	9.05	306	9.33	9.65	
16-514906/7	Transularial	152.6	9.01	198	6.09	5.65	
16-514906/8	Transversal	151.4	9.03	169	5.22		



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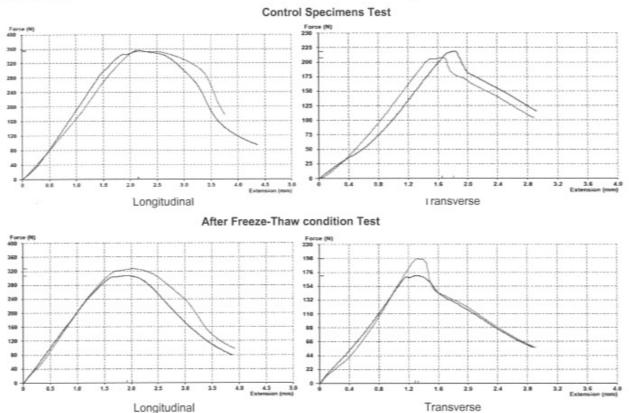
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Test Graph:

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Summary:

Test Name		Ratio of retained Strength	
	Controlled	After Freeze-Thaw condition	(%)
Flexural Strength , Longitudinal	11.0	9.65	88.0
Flexural Strength, Transversal	6.60	5.65	85.6

Test Standard Method Variation

: ASTM C1186-08(Reapproved 2012), ASTM C1185-03

: None

Remarks

: A Fully automatic computerized UTM was used for tensile property.



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REPORT ON DETERMINATION OF UNIT WEIGHT OF C BOARD

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Address	Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No : P-3714
Contractor	NP	Sample No : 16-514905/1-3
Consultant	NP	Date of Sampling : NP
Project Name	NP	Sample brought in by : Client
Project No.	NP	Date sample received : 11/10/2016
Sample Description	C Board (6 mm)	Date test started : 19/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	PO BU5-1060-16	Date test completed : 19/10/2016
Sampled by	Client	Report Date : 29/10/2016
Manufacturer/Source	Client	Drying period : 24 hrs
Supplier	Client	Tested by : JR
Drying Temperature	90±2° C	

Test Data

Test description	Units	Results	
Unit Weight	Kg/m ²	7.7	

Test method	:	ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 6
Method variation	:	None
Remarks	:	None
Remarks	:	None

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REPORT ON DETERMINATION OF DENSITY OF C BOARD

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Client	: ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd	Report No : 525697 SN 1/1
Address	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No : P-3714
Contractor	: NP	Sample No : 16-525697/1-3
Consultant	: NP	Date of Sampling : NP
Project Name	: NP	Sample brought in by : Client
Project No.	: NP	Date sample received : 29/12/2016
Sample Description	: C Board (6 mm)	Date test started : 02/01/2017
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1233-16	Date test completed : 03/01/2017
Sampled by	: Client	Report Date : 04/01/2017
Manufacturer/Source	: Client	Drying period : 24 hrs
Supplier	: Client	Tested by : JR
Drying Temperature	: 90±2° C	

Test Data

Test description	Units	Results
Density	kg/m ³	1308

Test method	:	ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 6
Method variation	:	None
Remarks	:	None



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Client	ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd	Report No : 514905 SN 1/1
Address	Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	_ab Project No : P-3714
Contractor	NP	Sample No : 16-514905/1-2
Consultant	NP	Date of Sampling : NP
Project Name	NP	Sample brought in by : Client
Project No.	NP	Date sample received : 11/10/2016
Sample Description	C Board (6 mm)	Date test started : 19/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	PO BU5-1060-16	Date test completed : 19/10/2016
Sampled by	Client	Report Date : 29/10/2016
Manufacturer/Source	Client	Tested by : JR
Supplier	Client	

Test Data

Test Name	Test Method	Unit	Results
Mean Length	ASTM C 1186-08	mm	2439
Mean Width	(Reapproved 2012) / ASTM C 1185-03 Section 7	mm	1219
Mean Total Thickness		mm	6.21

Method variation : None Remarks : None

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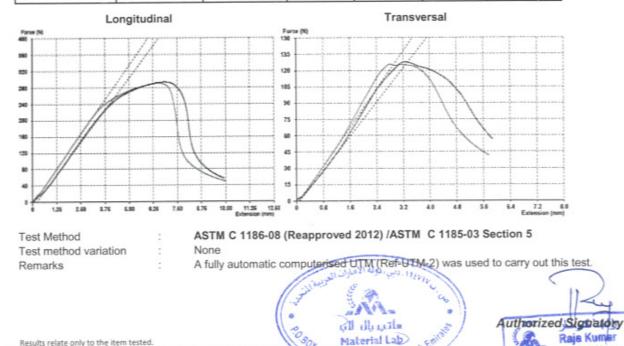


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REPORT ON DETERMINATION OF MODULUS OF ELASTICITY OF C BOARD

Test Data			
Span length	: 254 mm	Tested by :	JR
Length of test Specimen	: 305 mm	Relative Humidity :	50%
Test Condition	: Equilibrium	Testing Room Temperature :	23°C
Sampled by	: Client	Speed of Machine :	25 mm/min
Source of sample	: Client	Sample brought in by :	Client
Sample Size	: 305 x 152 x 6 mm	Report Date :	04/01/2017
Sample Description	: C Board (6 mm)	Date test completed :	02/01/2017
Structure Reference	: NP	Date test started :	02/01/2017
Project No.	: NP	Date sample Received :	29/12/2016
Project Name	: NP	Client Ref. No. :	PO BU5-1233-1
Consultant	: NP	Sample No :	16-525697/1-4
Contractor	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Client	: ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd	Report No :	525697 SN 1/1
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specimen No.	Test Direction	Width (mm)	Thickness (mm)	Maximum Load (N)	Modulus of Elasticity (MPa)	Average Modulus of Elasticity (MPa)
16-525697/1	_ Longitudinal	151.4	6.13	290	7952	7660
16-525697/2		151.7	6.14	293	7368	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
16-525697/3	Transversal	150.4	6.14	125	5183	4845
16-525697/4		150.9	6.18	128	4506	4040



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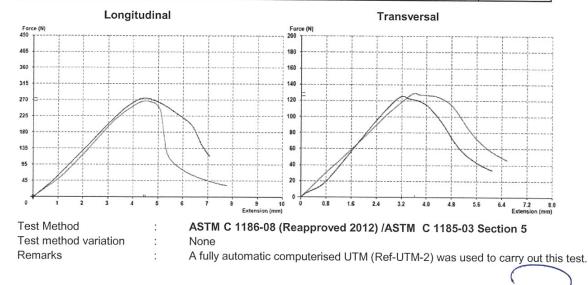


REPORT ON FLEXURAL STRENGTH OF C BOARD

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: ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd	Report No :	514905 SN 1/1
: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
: NP	Sample No :	16-514905/1-4
: NP	Client Ref. No. :	PO BU5-1060-16
: NP	Date sample Received :	11/10/2016
: NP	Date test started :	22/10/2016
: C Board (6 mm)	Date test completed :	22/10/2016
: 305 x 152 x 6 mm	Report Date :	29/10/2016
: Client	Sample brought in by :	Client
: Client	Speed of Machine :	25 mm/min
: Equilibrium	Testing Room Temperature :	23°C
: 305 mm	Relative Humidity :	50%
: 254 mm	Tested by :	JR
	 : Jeddah,Saudi Arabia : NP : NP : NP : NP : C Board (6 mm) : 305 x 152 x 6 mm : Client : Client : Equilibrium : 305 mm 	 ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd Report No : Jeddah,Saudi Arabia Lab Project No : NP Sample No : NP Client Ref. No. : NP Date sample Received : NP Date test started : NP Date test completed : 305 x 152 x 6 mm Report Date : Client Sample brought in by : Client Speed of Machine : Equilibrium Resting Room Temperature : 305 mm Relative Humidity :

Test Data

Specimen No.	Test Direction	Width (mm)	Thickness (mm)	Maximum Load (N)	Flexural Strength (MPa)	Average Flexural Strength (MPa)
16-514905/1	Longitudinal	150.5	6.10	268	18.21	18.75
16-514905/2		150.4	6.01	275	19.29	10.10
16-514905/3	Transversal	153.4	6.20	127	8.21	0.44
16-514905/4	Transversal	153.6	6.22	125	8.01	8.11



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REPORT ON DETERMINATION OF MOISTURE CONTENT OF C BOARD

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Client	: ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd	Report No :	514905 SN 1/1
Address	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Contractor	: NP	Sample No :	16-514905/1-3
Consultant	: NP	Date Sample Received :	11/10/2016
Project	: NP	Date Test Started :	19/10/2016
Sample Description	:C Board (6 mm)	Date Test Completed :	20/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Source	: Client	Testing Room Temperature :	23°C
Date of Sampling	: NP	Relative Humidity :	50±5%
Sampled By	: Client	Drying period :	24 hrs
Drying Temperature	: 90±2° C	Tested by :	JR

Test Data

Test Name	Test Method	Results
Moisture Content (%)	ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) / ASTM C 1185-03 Section 10	6.66

Method Variation	:	None
Remarks	:	None



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REPORT ON DETERMINATION OF WATER ABSORPTION OF C BOARD

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Address	:	Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Contractor	:	NP	Sample No :	16-514905/1-3
Consultant	:	NP	Date Sample Received :	11/10/2016
Project	:	NP	Date test started :	19/10/2016
Sample Description	:	C Board (6 mm)	Date test completed :	22/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	:	PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Source	:	Client	Testing Room Temperature :	23°C
Sampled by	:	Client	Relative Humidity :	50±5%
Immersion period	:	48 hours	Drying period :	24 hrs
Drying Temperature	:	90±2° C	Tested by :	JR

Test Data

Test Name	Units	Results	
Water Absorption	%	39.12	

Test Method Method Variation Remarks : ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 9 : None.

: None





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REPORT ON DETERMINATION OF WATERTIGHTNESS OF C BOARD

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Client	ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd	Report No : 514905 SN 1/1
Address	Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No: P-3714
Contractor	NP	Sample No : 16-514905/1
Consultant	NP	Sample brought in by : Client
Project Name	NP	Date sample received : 11/10/2016
Project No.	NP	Date test started : 19/10/2016
Sample Description	C Board (6 mm)	Date test completed : 20/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date : 29/10/2016
Sampled by	Client	Specimen size : 610 x 508 mm
Manufacturer/Source	Client	Hight of water: 50 mm
Supplier	Client Th	nickness of Specimen : 6 mm
Test duration	24 hrs	Tested by : JR

Test Data

Tes	des	cription	Results
WaterTightness			No water drops found on the under side of the sheet.
Test method	:	ASTM C 1186-08 (R	eapproved 2012) /ASTM C 1185-03 Section 11
Method variation	:	None	
Remarks	:	None	
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REPORT ON DETERMINATION OF MOISTURE MOVEMENT OF C BOARD

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Client	: ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd	Report No :	514905 SN 1/1
Address	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Contractor	: NP	Sample No :	16-514905/1-3
Consultant	: NP	Date Sample Received :	11/10/2016
Project	: NP	Date Test Started :	16/10/2016
Sample Description	: C Board (6 mm)	Date Test Completed :	17/10/2016
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	29/10/2016
Source	: Client	Testing Temperature :	23°C
Size of Specimen	: 76 X 305 mm	Relative Humidity :	90±5%
Sampled By	: Client	Tested by :	JR

Test Data

Test Name	Test Method	Results
Linear Change (%)	ASTM C 1186-08 (Reapproved 2012) / ASTM C 1185-03 Section 8	0.11

Method Variation : None Remarks : None

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REPORT ON DETERMINATION OF DIRECT SCREW WITHDRAWAL OF C BOARD

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Client	: ASK Gypsum Factory Ltd	Report No :	514905 SN 1/1
Address	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Contractor	: NP	Sample No :	16-514905/1
Consultant	: NP	Date Sample Received :	11/10/2016
Project	: NP	Date Test Started :	01/11/2016
Sample Description	: C Board (6 mm)	Date Test Completed :	01/11/2016
Client Ref. No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	02/11/2016
Source	: Client	Testing Room Temperature :	24°C
Sample brought in by	: Client	Relative Humidity :	50±5%
Sampled By	: Client	Tested by :	JR
Diameter of Screw	: 3.50 mm		
Speed of machine	: 1.5 mm/min		

Test Data

Sample ID	Test Standard	Test Name	Unit	Test Result
16-514905/1	ASTM D 1037- 12,Claue 16	Direct Screw Withdrawal	N	407

Method Variation : None Remarks : None

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			Report No.	:	514905 SI	N 1/1
Client	:	Ask Gypsum Factory	Lab.Sample No.	:	16-514905/12	
Address	:	P.O. Box 31382, Yaubu, KSA	Lab Project No.	:	P-3714	
Contractor	:	NP	Sampling Certificate	:	NP	
Consultant Project name	:		Sampling Method Sample Size (No.)		NP 1	
Project No.	:	NP	Lot No.	:	NP	
Project Location	:	NP	Lot Size (m ³)	:	NP	
Sample Description	:	Fiber Cement Board (300x300x06mm)	Date received	:	11/10/2016	
Source	:	Client	Date test Started	:	12/10/2016	
Client's Ref.	:	PO BU5-1060-16	Date Test Completed	:	13/10/2016	
Sampling date/time	:	11/10/2016	Report Date	:	15/10/2016	
Sampled by	:	Client	Tested by	:	MSH	
Sample brought by	:	Client				

TEST DATA:

Test Name	Test Method	Unit	Results
pH Value @ 25°C	BS 1377: Part 3: 1990 Cl. 9 Amd. 9028:1996	-	10.6

Preparation Method Test method variation Remarks : BS 1377: Part 3: 1990 Amd. 9028-96

None

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REPORT ON DETERMINATION OF FREEZE-THAW RESISTANCE OF C BOARD

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Address	: Jeddah,Saudi Arabia	Lab Project No :	P-3714
Contractor	: NP	Sample No :	16-514905/1-8
Consultant	: NP	Date of Sampling :	NP
Project Name	: NP	Date Sample Received :	11/10/2016
Project No.	: NP	Date Test Started :	19/10/2016
Sample Name	: C Board (6 mm)	Date Test Completed :	16/11/2016
Sender's No.	: PO BU5-1060-16	Report Date :	19/11/2016
Source of Sample	: Client	Water temperature :	5°C
Size of Specimen	: 305 x 152 mm	Freeze Temperature :	-20±2*C
Thickness of specimen	: 6 mm	Thaw Temperature :	20±2°C
Sampled by	: Client	No. of cycles:	50
Sample brought in by	: Client	Span length (mm):	254
		Tested by :	JR

Introduction

ASK Gypsum Factory appointed MLab for determination of Freeze-Thaw resistance of C Board in accordance with ASTM C 1185-03. Two set of C board was immerssed in water at 5°C for 48 hours, after immersion period one set of specimens were tested for flexural strength. The another set of specimens were sealed in a plastic bag and cool it at -20±2°C for one hour and thaw at 20±2°C for one hour. The Freeze-Thaw cycle was repeated for 50 cycles. Upon completion of Free-Thaw cycles the specimes were tested for flexural strength in saturated condition in accordance with ASTM C 1185-03 section 5.

Test Data for Flexural Strength

Control Specimens						
Specimen No.	Test Direction	Width mm)	Thickness (mm)	Maximum Load (N)	Flexural Strength (MPa)	Average Fixeural Strength (MPa)
16-514905/1	Leasthation	153.3	6.17	167	10.9	
16-514905/2	Longitudinal	153.7	6.14	172	11.3	11.1
16-514905/3	Terroret	153.6	6.16	85.8	5.61	5.00
16-514905/4	Transversal	153.6	6.10	84.8	5.65	5.63

After Freeze-Thaw condition							
Specimen No.	Test Direction	Width mm)	Thickness (mm)	Maximum Load (N)	Flexural Strength (MPa)	Average Flxeural Strength (MPa)	
16-514905/5	Leasthalleat	153.0	6.15	144	9.47	0.00	
16-514905/6	Longitudinal	153.2	6.16	156	10.2	9.83	
16-514905/7	Transversel	153.5	6.15	78.0	5.12	4.84	
16-514905/8	Transversal	153.6	6.18	70.2	4.56	4.04	



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Test Graph:

Control Specimens Test F-1 200 Fo 125.0 190 112.5 162 100.0 140 87.5 120 75.0 100 62.5 10 50.0 60 37.5 40 25.0 29 12.5 7.5 12.0 13.5 15.0 Extension (mm) 32 36 1.5 3.0 4.5 6.0 9.0 10.5 12 24 28 . Longitudinal Transverse After Freeze-Thaw condition Test Fe 120 For 200 108 180 160 56 84 140 72 120 68 190 48 80 36 60 24 40 12 20 22.5 Extension to 1.5 3.0 4.5 6.0 7.5 3.0 10.5 12.0 13.5 15.0 Extension (mm) 7.5 12.5 15.0 17,5 20.0 25.0 2.5 5.0 10.0

Summary:

Test Name		Ratio of retained Strength		
	Controlled	After Freeze-Thaw condition	(%)	
Flexural Strength , Longitudinal	11.1	9.83	88.5	
Flexural Strength, Transversal	5.6	4.84	85.9	

Test Standard Method Variation Remarks

: ASTM C1186-08(Reapproved 2012), ASTM C1185-03

: None

Longitudinal

: A Fully automatic computerized UTM was used for tensile property.



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Applicant Name: Ask Gypsum Factory

Original Report Date: May 22, 2015

Applicant Address: Light Industrial Area Yanbu Al-Sinayah PO.Box: 31381 Yanbu, KSA

Attn: Mrs. Elsy Labban

Sample Description:

Product: Fiber cement board Model: 9mm thickness Samples Quantity: 129 pcs Sample ID: S150324002SHF-001~129 Date Received: 2015-03-18 Date Test Conducted: 2015-03-24~2015-05-22

Tests Conducted:

Test Methods: ASTM C1186-2012, ASTM C518-2010, ISO 8336-2009(E), BS 476-5:1979 and BS 476-6:1989+A1:2009.

Conclusion:

For details refer to attached page(s).

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Test Report

Test Items, Method and Results:

	Tabel.1 Test Result for ASTN	4 C1186-2	2012			
Character	Result	Require	ment 1		Verdict	
Wet Strength: 21.0MPa		Grade	Wet Strength, (MPa), min	Equilibrium Strength, (MPa), min		
Flexural Strength ²	Equilibrium Strength: 21.0MPa	Ι	4	4	Grade	
	Grade III	Π	7	10	111	
		III	13	16		
		IV	18	22		
Density	Nominal value: 1.55~1.65g/cm ³ Measured value: 1.65g/cm ³	Comply with the value stated by the manufacturer.			Pass	
Water Absorption	Average value: 18.5%	No requirement			N/A	
Water Tightness	No any formation of drops of water	No any formation of drops of water			Pass	
Moisture Movement	nt Linear change in length: 0.12% Linear change in width: 0.12%		No requirement			
Moisture Content	Average value: 6.6%	No requirement			N/A	
Surface Burning	Flame spread index: 0 Smoke developed index: 0	Flame spread index=0 Smoke developed index≤5			Pass	
Freeze/Thaw Resistance ²	No visible cracks or structural alteration Initial flexural strength: 21.0MPa After conditioned: 24.8MPa The ratio of retained strength: 118.1%	No visible cracks or structural alteration such as to affect their performance in use. The ratio of retained strength shall be at least 80%			Pass	



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Tabel.1 Test Result for ASTM C1186-2012							
Character	Result	Requirement ¹	Verdict				
Warm Water Resistance ²	No visible cracks or structural alteration Initial flexural strength: 21.0MPa After conditioned: 19.7MPa The ratio of retained strength: 84.2%	No visible cracks or structural alteration such as to affect their performance in use. The ratio of strengths shall be reported.	N/A				
Heat Rain Resistance	No visible cracks or structural alteration	No visible cracks or structural alteration	Pass				

Note:

- 1. The requirements were according to ASTM C1186. The test method was conducted with ASTM C1185.
- 2. The test span was 254mm.

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Tabel.2 Test Result for ASTM C518-2010						
Character	Mean Temperature	Temperature difference	Result			
Thermal Conductivity	25℃	20 °C	0.19774 W/m·K			

Tabel.3 Test Result for ISO 8336-2009(E)						
Character	Result	Requirement	Verdict			
Soak-Dry ¹	Initial flexural strength: 18.4MPa After conditioned: 16.7MPa The ratio of retained strength: 0.82	Category B: $R_L \ge 0.75$.	Pass			

Note:

1. The test span was 200mm.



Tabel.4 Test Result for BS 476-5:1979						
Character	Result			Requirement	Verdict	
Ignitability	Description Specimens					
		1	2	3		
	1. Time of flaming after removal of test flame	0	0	0	Not more than 10 sec.	Pass
	2. Burning of test specimen extending to the edges	No	No	No	Do not extent to any edge during flame application or within 10 sec period after removal of test flame.	

Note:

- 1. The test was conducted with either face exposed to the flame source.
- 2. This test was conducted at the external approved facility, located at Singapore.

Tabel.5 Test Result for BS 476-6:1989+A1:2009								
Character	Index of Performance						Result	
Fire propagation	Specimen	Su	b-indio	ces	Index of Performance		Index of overall performance,	I=0.1
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	A	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		Sub-index,	i ₁ =0.0
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	С	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2			

Note:

- 1. The test results relate only to the behaviour of the test specimens of the product under the particular conditions of test; they are not intended to be the sole criterion for assessing the potential fire hazard of the product in use.
- 2. This test was conducted at the external approved facility, located at Singapore.



Appendix A: Sample photos



Sample received

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PLM ANALYSIS REPORT ON SUSPECTED ASBESTOS MATERIAL

Sampled by : Analysis Date : 2

Client 21/06/2017 Analyzed by : Sampling date :

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Test Method Reference:

The Asbestos test was carried out by EPA 600/R-93/116 method using polarized light Microscopy.

Sample Number	27000247-01			
Sample Appearance				
Color	White			
Texture	Fibrous			
Description	Cement Board			
Asbestos Content %				
Chrysotile	Not detected			
Amosite	Not detected			
Crocidolite	Not detected			
Others	Not detected			
Non-Asbestos Material (%)				
Cellulose	-			
Fiber Glass	-			
Others	100%			

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• Project Approvals.

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- 2. Bayat Plaza Jeddah
- 3. Aramco Offices Dhahran
- 4. Pecsa Offices Madinah Hajj City
- 5. Marriott Hotel Jeddah
- 6. KAP-4 (under approval)
- 7. Heritage Camel Project Aramco
- 8. Al-Rimal Gated Community
- 9. Al Imam University (under approval)
- 10. Al Khaleej Mall Riyadh
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- 12. Saudi Aramco Dhahran Portable Offices.
- 13. Jeddah University Computer Science & IT P-II Jed University CNAM 105B).
- 14. Saudi Courts.

Note: - we already have approval for another product made by same company. Please find enclosed.

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Remarks:

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• Warranty





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