# **CERTIFICATE**OF COMPLIANCE



## Crane Composites, Inc.

Sequentia | FRP Wall & Ceiling Panels

15957-420

Certificate Number

01/12/2016 - 04/28/2021

Certificate Period

Certified

Status

UL 2818 - 2013 Gold Standard for Chemical Emissions for Building Materials, Finishes and Furnishings

Wall finishes are determined compliant in accordance with California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Standard Method V1.2-2017 using a Classroom Environment with an air change of o.82 hr<sup>-1</sup> and a loading of 94.60 m<sup>2</sup>. ; and Wall finishes are determined compliant in accordance with California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Standard Method V1.2-2017 using an Office Environment with an air change of o.68 hr<sup>-1</sup> and a loading of 33.40 m<sup>2</sup>.

Product tested in accordance with UL 2821 test method to show compliance to emission limits on UL 2818. Section 7.1 and 7.2.



#### **GREENGUARD Gold Certification Criteria for Building Products and Interior Finishes**

Criteria	CAS Number	Maximum Allowable Predicted Concentration	Units
TVOC (A)	-	0.22	mg/m³
Formaldehyde	50-00-0	9 (7.3 ppb)	μg/m³
Total Aldehydes (B)	-	0.043	ppm
4-Phenylcyclohexene	4994-16-5	6.5	μg/m³
Particle Matter less than 10 µm (C)	-	20	μg/m³
1-Methyl-2-pyrrolidinone (D)	872-50-4	160	μg/m³
Individual VOCs (E)	-	1/2 CREL or 1/100th TLV	-

<sup>(</sup>A) Defined to be the total response of measured VOCs falling within the C<sub>6</sub> – C<sub>16</sub> range, with responses calibrated to a toluene surrogate. Maximum allowable predicted TVOC concentrations for GREENGUARD Gold (0.22 mg/m³) fall in the range of 0.5 mg/m³ or less, as specified in CDPH Standard Method v1.2.



<sup>(</sup>B) The sum of all measured normal aldehydes from formaldehyde through nonanal, plus benzaldehyde, individually calibrated to a compound specific standard. Heptanal through nonanal are measured via TD/GC/MS analysis and the remaining aldehydes are measured using HPLC/UV analysis.

<sup>(</sup>C) Particle emission requirement only applicable to HVAC Duct Products with exposed surface area in air streams (a forced air test with specific test method) and for wood finishing (sanding) systems.

<sup>(</sup>D) Based on the CA Prop 65 Maximum Allowable Dose Level for inhalation of 3,200 μg/day and an inhalation rate of 20 m³/day

<sup>(</sup>E) Allowable levels for chemicals not listed are derived from the lower of 1/2 the California Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment (OEHHA) Chronic Reference Exposure Level (CREL) as required per the CDPH/EHLB/Standard Method v1.2 and BIFMA level credit 7.6.2 and 1/100th of the Threshold Limit Value (TLV) industrial work place standard (Reference: American Conference of Government Industrial Hygienists, 6500 Glenway, Building D-7, and Cincinnati, OH 45211-4438).

# **CERTIFICATE**OF COMPLIANCE



## Crane Composites, Inc.

DESIGNS | Innovative Finishes FRP Panel

16350-410

Certificate Number

04/29/2011 - 04/28/2021

Certificate Period

Certified

Status

UL 2818 - 2013 Standard for Chemical Emissions for Building Materials, Finishes and Furnishings

Wall finishes are determined compliant using an Office Environment with an air change of o.68 hr<sup>-1</sup> and a loading of 33.40 m<sup>2</sup>.

Products tested in accordance with UL 2821 test method to show compliance to emission limits in UL 2818, Section 7.1.



#### **GREENGUARD Certification Criteria for Building Products and Interior Finishes**

Criteria	CAS Number	Maximum Allowable Predicted Concentration	Units
TVOC <sub>(A)</sub>	-	0.50	mg/m³
Formaldehyde	50-00-0	61.3 (50 ppb)	μg/m³
Total Aldehydes (B)	-	0.10	ppm
Particle Matter less than 10 μm (C)	-	50	μg/m³
4-Phenylcyclohexene	4994-16-5	6.5	μg/m³
Individual VOCs (D)	-	1/10th TLV	-

- (A) Defined to be the total response of measured VOCs falling within the C<sub>6</sub> C<sub>16</sub> range, with responses calibrated to a toluene surrogate.

  Maximum allowable predicted TVOC concentrations for GREENGUARD (0.50 mg/m³) fall in the range of 0.5 mg/m³ or less, as specified in CDPH Standard Method v1.1.
- (B) The sum of all measured normal aldehydes from formaldehyde through nonanal, plus benzaldehyde, individually calibrated to a compound specific standard. Heptanal through nonanal are measured via TD/GC/MS analysis and the remaining aldehydes are measured using HPLC/UV analysis.
- (C) Particle emission requirement only applicable to HVAC Duct Products with exposed surface area in air streams (a forced air test with specific test method) and for wood finishing (sanding) systems.
- (D) Allowable levels for chemicals not listed are derived from 1/10th of the Threshold Limit Value (TLV) industrial work place standard (Reference: American Conference of Government Industrial Hygienists, 6500 Glenway, Building D-7, and Cincinnati, OH 45211-4438).





1325 North 108th East Avenue Tulsa, OK 74116 918.437.8333 ph. 918.437.8487 fx.

CLIENT:

**CRANE COMPOSITES** 

Attn: Michelle Bauer 8015 Dixon Dr. Florence KY 41042

Test Report No: TJ1898-2

Date: February 19, 2014

SAMPLE ID:

The Client submitted and identified the following test material as "IPSA .075."

**SAMPLING DETAIL:** 

Test samples were submitted to the laboratory directly by the client. No special

sampling conditions or sample preparation were observed by QAI.

**DATE OF RECEIPT:** 

Samples were received at QAI facilities on January 30, 2014

**TESTING PERIOD:** 

February 5, 2014

**AUTHORIZATION:** 

Proposal FB-2014-012003 signed by Michelle Bauer on January 20, 2014

TEST REQUESTED:

Perform standard flame spread and smoke density developed classification tests on the sample supplied by the Client in accordance with ASTM Designation E84-12, "Standard Method of Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials". The foregoing test procedure is comparable to UL 723, ANSI/NFPA No. 255, and UBC

No. 8-1.

**TEST RESULTS:** 

Flame Spread

Smoke Developed

25

170

**CLASSIFICATION:** 

The material tested resulted in a Class A. Detailed test results are presented in the

subsequent pages of this report

**Prepared By** 

Signed for and on behalf of QAI Laboratories, Inc.

Jeff Foster

Fire Test Technician

J. Brian McDonald Operations Manager

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PREPARATION AND CONDITIONING: The sample was submitted in six panels that were 4 feet long cut to measure 24 inches wide and approximately .0690 inches thick. The sample material was placed into conditioning at 73°F (±5°F) and 50% (±5%) relative humidity until day of testing.

#### E 84 TEST DATA SHEET:

**MOUNTING METHOD:** The sample was supported during testing by 2" hexagonal mesh poultry netting running the length of the test chamber and ½" round metal rods placed at 2' intervals across the width of the test chamber.

CLIENT: Crane Composites DATE: February 7, 2014

SAMPLE: IPSA.075

IGNITION: 1 minutes, 50 seconds

FLAME FRONT: 7 feet maximum

TIME TO MAXIMUM SPREAD: 4 minute, 30 seconds

TEST DURATION: 10 minutes, 00 seconds

**SUMMARY:** FLAME SPREAD: 25 (26.9 unrounded) SMOKE DEVELOPED: 170 (172 unrounded)

57

#### **OBSERVATIONS:**

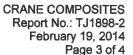
Audible crackling could be heard 38 seconds into test. Blistering and bubbling began at 1 minute 01 seconds, followed by charring at 1 minute 04 seconds. Sustained ignition began at 1 minute 50 seconds. Steady fire spread increase throughout test until 8 minutes 30 seconds. Test concluded at 10 minutes with after burn.

#### CALIBRATION DATA:

Time to Ignition of Last Red Oak (sec):

Red Oak Smoke Area (%A\*Min): 111

Total Fuel Burned (ft³) 59.68





#### **SUMMARY OF ASTM E84 RESULTS:**

Because of the possible variations in reproducibility, the results are adjusted to the nearest figure divisible by 5. Smoke Density values over 200 are rounded to the nearest figure divisible by 50.

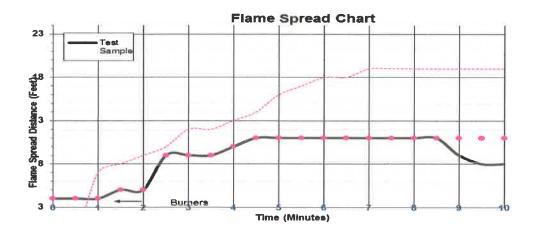
In order to obtain the Flame Spread Classification, the above results should be compared to the following table:

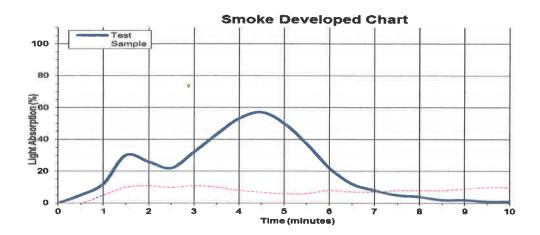
NFPA CLASS	IBC CLASS	FLAME SPREAD	SMOKE DEVELOPED
Α	Α	0 through 25	Less than or equal to 450
В	В	26 through 75	Less than or equal to 450
С	С	76 through 200	Less than or equal to 450

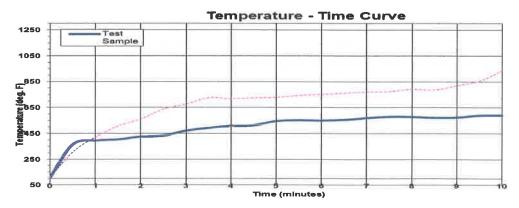
#### **BUILDING CODES CITED:**

- 1. National Fire Protection Association, ANSI/NFPA No. 101, "Life Safety Code", 2006 Edition.
- 2. International Building Code, 2006 Edition, Chapter 8, Interior Finishes, Section 803.









#### **END OF REPORT**





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CLIENT:

**CRANE COMPOSITES** 

Attn: Michelle Bauer 8015 Dixon Dr. Florence KY 41042

**Test Report No: TJ1898-1** 

Date: February 19, 2014

SAMPLE ID:

The Client submitted and identified the following test material as "IPSC .075."

**SAMPLING DETAIL:** 

Test samples were submitted to the laboratory directly by the client. No special

sampling conditions or sample preparation were observed by QAI.

DATE OF RECEIPT:

Samples were received at QAI facilities on January 30, 2014

**TESTING PERIOD:** 

February 5, 2014

**AUTHORIZATION:** 

Proposal FB-2014-012003 signed by Michelle Bauer on January 20, 2014

TEST REQUESTED:

Perform standard flame spread and smoke density developed classification tests on the sample supplied by the Client in accordance with ASTM Designation E84-12, "Standard Method of Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials". The foregoing test procedure is comparable to UL 723, ANSI/NFPA No. 255, and UBC

No. 8-1.

**TEST RESULTS:** 

Flame Spread

Smoke Developed

70

200

**CLASSIFICATION:** 

The material tested resulted in a Class B. Detailed test results are presented in the

subsequent pages of this report

**Prepared By** 

Signed for and on behalf of QAI Laboratories, Inc.

Jeff Foster

Fire Test Technician

J. Brian McDonald Operations Manager

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CRANE COMPOSITES Report No.: TJ1898-1 February 19, 2014

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**PREPARATION AND CONDITIONING:** The sample was submitted in six panels that were 4 feet long cut to measure 24 inches wide and approximately .0690 inches thick. The sample material was placed into conditioning at 73°F (±5°F) and 50% (±5%) relative humidity until day of testing.

#### **E 84 TEST DATA SHEET:**

MOUNTING METHOD: The sample was supported during testing by 2" hexagonal mesh poultry netting running the length of the test chamber and ¼" round metal rods placed at 2' intervals across the width of the test chamber.

CLIENT: Crane Composites DATE: February 7, 2014

SAMPLE: IPSC.075

IGNITION: 0 minutes, 43 seconds

FLAME FRONT: 15 feet maximum

TIME TO MAXIMUM SPREAD: 2 minute, 30 seconds

TEST DURATION: 10 minutes, 00 seconds

**SUMMARY:** FLAME SPREAD: 70 (70.4 unrounded) SMOKE DEVELOPED: 200 (217 unrounded)

#### **OBSERVATIONS:**

Audible crackling could be heard 40 seconds into test. Sustained ignition and charring both occurred at 43 seconds. Significant flame spread increase of the product up to window 15. Product burn slowly decreased down, no significant changes through remainder of test. Test concluded at 10 minutes with no after burn.

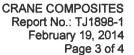
#### **CALIBRATION DATA:**

Time to Ignition of Last Red Oak (sec): Red Oak Smoke Area (%A\*Min):

57 111

Total Fuel Burned (ft³)

59.68





#### **SUMMARY OF ASTM E84 RESULTS:**

Because of the possible variations in reproducibility, the results are adjusted to the nearest figure divisible by 5. Smoke Density values over 200 are rounded to the nearest figure divisible by 50.

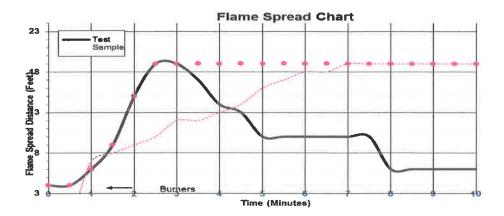
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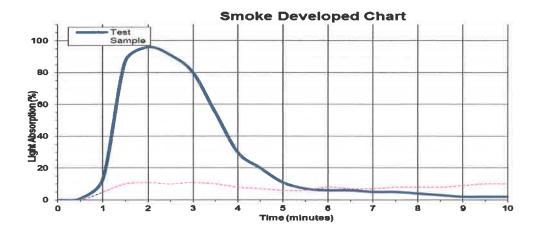
NFPA CLASS	IBC CLASS	FLAME SPREAD	SMOKE DEVELOPED
Α	Α	0 through 25	Less than or equal to 450
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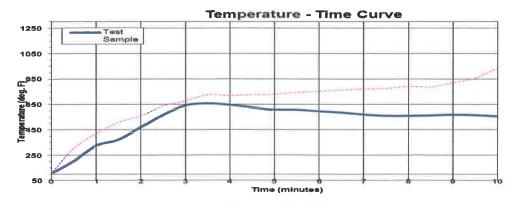
#### BUILDING CODES CITED:

- 1. National Fire Protection Association, ANSI/NFPA No. 101, "Life Safety Code", 2006 Edition.
- 2. International Building Code, 2006 Edition, Chapter 8, Interior Finishes, Section 803.









**END OF REPORT** 

# **CERTIFICATE**OF COMPLIANCE



## Crane Composites, Inc.

Glasbord® | Wall and Ceiling Panels with Surfaseal® Finish

15955-410

Certificate Number

04/29/2011 - 04/28/2021

Certificate Period

Certified

Status

UL 2818 - 2013 Standard for Chemical Emissions for Building Materials, Finishes and Furnishings

Wall finishes are determined compliant using an Office Environment with an air change of o.68 hr<sup>-1</sup> and a loading of 33.40 m<sup>2</sup>.

Products tested in accordance with UL 2821 test method to show compliance to emission limits in UL 2818, Section 7.1.



#### **GREENGUARD Certification Criteria for Building Products and Interior Finishes**

Criteria	CAS Number	Maximum Allowable Predicted Concentration	Units
$TVOC_{(A)}$	-	0.50	mg/m³
Formaldehyde	50-00-0	61.3 (50 ppb)	μg/m³
Total Aldehydes (B)	-	0.10	ppm
Particle Matter less than 10 μm (C)	-	50	μg/m³
4-Phenylcyclohexene	4994-16-5	6.5	μg/m³
Individual VOCs (D)	-	1/10th TLV	-

- (A) Defined to be the total response of measured VOCs falling within the C<sub>6</sub> C<sub>16</sub> range, with responses calibrated to a toluene surrogate.

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# **CERTIFICATE**OF COMPLIANCE



### Crane Composites, Inc.

Glasbord® | Factory Mutual Approved Wall Panels with Surfaseal® Finish 15956-420

Certificate Number

01/12/2016 - 04/28/2021

Certificate Period

Certified

Status

UL 2818 - 2013 Gold Standard for Chemical Emissions for Building Materials, Finishes and Furnishings

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Individual VOCs (E)	-	1/2 CREL or 1/100th TLV	-

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<sup>(</sup>E) Allowable levels for chemicals not listed are derived from the lower of 1/2 the California Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment (OEHHA) Chronic Reference Exposure Level (CREL) as required per the CDPH/EHLB/Standard Method v1.2 and BIFMA level credit 7.6.2 and 1/100th of the Threshold Limit Value (TLV) industrial work place standard (Reference: American Conference of Government Industrial Hygienists, 6500 Glenway, Building D-7, and Cincinnati, OH 45211-4438).



#### **LEED**® Letter for Glasbord Products

Monday, July 20, 2015

This letter certifies that Crane composites, Inc. manufactures Glasbord® frp wall and ceiling panels which are sold in the United States at facilities located in the United States of America.

Glasbord materials contain zero (0) % post consumer / pre consumer recycled content. This product does not satisfy LEED MR Credits 4.1 (Recycled Content, 10% (post-consumer + 1/2 pre-consumer) nor 4.2 (Recycled Content, 20% (post-consumer + 1/2 pre-consumer).

Glasbord materials can contribute up to 6 LEED points towards the Green Building Rating System for Commercial Interiors.

Tenant Space, Long Term Commitment: Glasbord frp has a 10 year limited warranty against defects and workmanship issues. The wall panels need not be replaced generally for the life of the building. Glasbord frp will not mold or mildew and never needs painting. LEED V2.0 awards 1 point if the occupant commits to remain in the same location for not less than 10 years. This contributes to Credit 1.1 of the "Materials & Resources" area.

Building Reuse: The surface finish of Glasbord frp provides maximum durability and exceptional cleanability. Glasbord frp has a Surfaseal® finish for additional protection. Surfaseal is a sealed protective finish that makes Glasbord up to 10 times easier to clean and up to 6 times more stain resistant than other frp panels. This unique finish ensures a wall panel that will stand up to harsh conditions while maintaining a sanitary surface that looks likes new. This extends the life of the panel 10+ years. LEED V2.0 awards 1 point if the building owner maintains at least 40% by area of the existing non-shell, non-structure components (walls, flooring and ceiling systems) and 1 point if the building owner maintains at least 60% by area of the existing non-shell, non-structure components (walls, flooring and ceiling systems). This contributes to Credit 1.2 of the "Materials and Resources" area.

Regional Materials: CCI's manufacturing facilities are located in Channahon Illinois and in Florence Kentucky. LEED V2.1 awards 1 point if 20% of the building materials are manufactured (final assembly) regionally within 500 miles of the project site. This contributes to Credit 5.1 of the "Materials & Resources" area.

Low-Emitting Materials: The VOC content of Glasbord frp wall panels is insignificant in measure. LEED V2.2 awards 1 point (Credits 4.1 and 4.2 of "Indoor Environmental Quality area) if the VOC content is less than the current limits specified in SCAQMD Rule # 1145 (Plastic, Rubber, Leather, and Glass Coatings) for Low-Emitting Materials, Paints and Coatings. CCI recommends the use of CRANE® Fast Grab Adhesive which is VOC compliant. LEED V2.2 awards 1 point if the VOC content is less than the current limits specified in SCAQMD Rule # 1168 (Adhesive and Sealant Applications) for Low-Emitting Materials, Adhesives and Sealants. CRANE Fast Grab Adhesive meets GreenSeal GS-36 specifications.

Respectfully,

Karen A. Nebe

Product Manager, Building Products

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Crane Composites Inc.







CLIENT: CRANE COMPOSITES

Attn: Mike Buhr

23525 W. Eames Street Channahon, IL 60410

Test Report No: TJ1706 Date: November 19, 2013

**SAMPLE ID:** The Client submitted and identified the following test material as "Glasbord FM 09".

SAMPLING DETAIL: Test samples were submitted to the laboratory directly by the client. No special

sampling conditions or sample preparation were observed by QAI.

**DATE OF RECEIPT:** Samples were received at QAI facilities on October 15, 2013

**TESTING PERIOD:** November 8, 2013

**AUTHORIZATION:** Proposal FB050213-1 R1 approved on October 10, 2013

TEST REQUESTED: Perform standard flame spread and smoke density developed classification tests on

the sample supplied by the Client in accordance with ASTM Designation E84-12, "Standard Method of Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials". The foregoing test procedure is comparable to UL 723, ANSI/NFPA No. 255, and UBC

No. 8-1.

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TEST RESULTS: Flame Spread Smoke Developed

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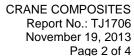
**CLASSIFICATION:** The material tested resulted in a Class A. Detailed test results are presented in the

subsequent pages of this report

**Prepared By** 

Christopher Clark Fire Test Technician Signed for and on behalf of QAI Laboratories, Inc.

J. Brian McDonald
Operations Manager





**PREPARATION AND CONDITIONING:** The sample was submitted in six 4 foot long panels measuring 24 inches wide and approximately 1/8 of an inch thick. The sample material was placed into conditioning at 73°F (±5°F) and 50% (±5%) relative humidity until day of testing.

#### **E 84 TEST DATA SHEET:**

**MOUNTING METHOD:** The sample was self-supporting and placed along the ledges of the tunnel during testing. No additional mounting method was used

**CLIENT**: Crane Composites **DATE**: November 8, 2013

**SAMPLE**: Glasbord FM 09

IGNITION: 0 minutes, 35 seconds

FLAME FRONT: 8 feet maximum

TIME TO MAXIMUM SPREAD: 9 minutes, 00 seconds

TEST DURATION: 10 minutes, 00 seconds

SUMMARY: FLAME SPREAD: 20 (20.0 unrounded) SMOKE DEVELOPED: 170 (168 unrounded)

#### **OBSERVATIONS:**

Sample initially started to discolor and warp prior to ignition. Soon following ignition sample displayed signs of charring, flaking, and shrinking away from flame. Steady flame spread to window 8 and stayed for duration of test. Minimal afterflame was noted at test completion.

#### **CALIBRATION DATA:**

Time to Ignition of Last Red Oak (sec): 57
Red Oak Smoke Area (%A\*Min): 111
Total Fuel Burned (ft³) 59.68



#### **SUMMARY OF ASTM E84 RESULTS:**

Because of the possible variations in reproducibility, the results are adjusted to the nearest figure divisible by 5. Smoke Density values over 200 are rounded to the nearest figure divisible by 50.

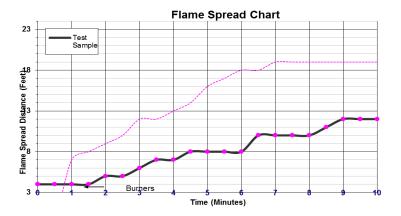
In order to obtain the Flame Spread Classification, the above results should be compared to the following table:

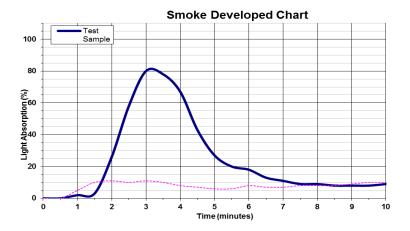
NFPA CLASS	<b>IBC CLASS</b>	FLAME SPREAD	SMOKE DEVELOPED
Α	Α	0 through 25	Less than or equal to 450
В	В	26 through 75	Less than or equal to 450
С	С	76 through 200	Less than or equal to 450

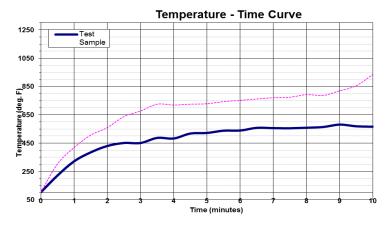
#### **BUILDING CODES CITED:**

- 1. National Fire Protection Association, ANSI/NFPA No. 101, "Life Safety Code", 2006 Edition.
- 2. International Building Code, 2006 Edition, Chapter 8, Interior Finishes, Section 803.









**END OF REPORT** 

### APPROVAL REPORT

# FIRE-X GLASBORD FM AS CLASS 1 INTERIOR FINISH MATERIALS

Prepared for

KEMLITE COMPANY, INC. 23525 WEST EAMES STREET CHANNAHON, IL 60410

2B2A2.AM CLASS 4880 DATE December 20, 1999

FACTORY MUTUAL



Factory Mutual Research 1151 Boston-Providence Turnpike P.O. Box 9102 Norwood, MA 0206

#### FACTORY MUTUAL



Factory Mutual Research 1151 Boston-Providence Turnpike P.O. Box 9102 Norwood, MA 02062

2B2A2.AM (Factory Mutual Research Class 4880) December 20, 1999

#### FIRE-X GLASBORD FM AS CLASS 1 INTERIOR FINISH MATERIALS

from

KEMLITE COMPANY, INC. 23525 WEST EAMES STREET CHANNAHON, IL 60410

#### I INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 Kemlite Company, Inc. submitted their Fire-X Glasbord FM interior finish materials to determine if they meet the Factory Mutual Research Standard 4880 Approval requirements for Class 1 fire classification of interior finish materials to a maximum height of 30 ft (9.1 m).
- 1.2 Examination included flammability characterization testing using the Factory Mutual Research 50 kW Scale Flammability Apparatus and a Uniform Building Code Standard No. 17-5 (26-3) room fire test of the interior finish materials.
- 1.3 Tests show that Kemlite Company, Inc. Fire-X Glasbord FM as tested meets the Factory Mutual Research Standard 4880 Approval requirements for Class 1 fire classification to a maximum height of 30 ft (9.1 m) when installed as specified in the CONCLUSIONS of this report.

#### II MATERIALS TESTED

- 2.1 Fire-X Glasbord FM interior finish panels are flat, opaque glass fiber reinforced plastic panels with an embossed, pebble-like finish. The panels are nominal 0.090 in. (2.3 mm) thick and are supplied in 4 ft by 8 ft (1.2 m by 2.4 mm) sheets.
- 2.2 A representative of Factory Mutual Research witnessed the sample panel fabrication on April 19, 1999 at the Kemlite Company, Inc. manufacturing facility in Channahon, IL.
  - 2.3 The proprietary formulation is on file at Factory Mutual Research.

#### III TESTS AND PROCEDURES

3.1 Tests conducted were as required to qualify the Fire-X Glasbord FM interior finish materials for Class 1 fire classification to a maximum height of 30 ft (9.1 m) under Factory Mutual Research Standard 4880.

#### 3.2 Flammability Characterization

- 3.2.1 A series of measurements were made in the Factory Mutual Research 50 kW Scale Flammability Apparatus to determine the material flammability properties of the interior finish materials.
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- 3.2.3 The chemical heat of combustion ( $\Delta H_{ch}$ ) and the effective heat of gasification ( $L_e$ ) were determined by measuring the sample mass loss and heat generation rate history during exposure of a specimen to an external heat flux of 50 kW/m². The chemical heat of combustion was obtained by measuring the chemical heat release rate by CO/CO<sub>2</sub> generation at the applied external heat flux, time integrating to obtain the total energy released, and dividing by the total mass lost. The effective heat of gasification was obtained from the chemical heat release rate, the chemical heat of combustion, and the net heat flux, which was assumed to be the difference between external heat flux and the critical heat flux for ignition.
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#### IV TEST SAMPLES

#### 4.1 Flammability Characterization Test Specimen

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- 4.2.3 The panel joints on the walls and ceiling were covered with PVC molding. When installed the sheets are inserted into the molding. The sheets were mechanically fastened to the gypsum sheathing of the room structure with AMIFasteners nylon, pin-drive rivets spaced 16 in. (406 mm) o.c., horizontally and vertically.

#### V RESULTS

#### 5.1 Flammability Characterization

The material flammability properties of the test specimens described in 4.1 above are given below along with the values obtained for the currently Approved Fire-X Glasbord.

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#### 5.2 Room Fire Tests

5.2.1 Visual observations during the test period were as follows:

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0:00	Ignition of exposure fire.
1:50	Sustained burning of left and rear walls at the corner to approximately 2 ft (0.6 m) high.
3:10	Sustained burning of left and rear walls at the corner to approximately 4 ft (1.2 m) high; wall panels at the corner beginning to ripple
5:10	Sustained burning of left and rear walls at the corner to approximately 5 ft (1.5 m) high. Grey smoke exiting door at a height of 2 ft (0.6 m) below top of opening.
5:40	Sustained burning of left and rear walls at the corner to approximately 6 ft (1.8 m) high with flames intermittently extending to ceiling and along eaves to about 3 ft – 4 ft (0.9 m – 1.2 m) from the corner.
6:15	Sustained burning of panels at the wall – ceiling intersection at left and rear walls to approximately 2 ft (0.6 m) from the corner.
7:10	Whitish-grey smoke exiting door.
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7:45	Left side of rear ceiling panel falls and hangs from ceiling.
8:10	Flames at the wall – ceiling intersection at left wall continues as previously noted.
9:25	Flames at the wall – ceiling intersection at left wall intermittently extends to 4 ft – 5 ft $(1.2 \text{ m} - 1.5 \text{ m})$ from the corner and approximately 1 ft $(0.3 \text{ m})$ from ceiling.
10:50	Ceiling panel near door is beginning to sag along the left wall.
11:35	Sustained burning along left wall limited to the corner.
12:20	Fallen portion of the rear ceiling panel extends to 6 ft (1.8 m) and continues to burn.
13:00	Left wall panel no longer burning; sustained burning along rear wall limited to the corner to approximately 4 ft (1.2 m) high.
13:50	Rear wall panel no longer burning; intermittent burning along left wall limited to the corner to 3 ft - 4 ft (0.9 m - 1.2 m) high.
15:00	Test terminated, fire extinguished.

- 5.2.2 Upon examination of the test panels after the room fire test, there was no evidence of the panels burning at the extremities of the test panel area.
- 5.2.3 Smoke levels generated by the test panels during the test period were not considered excessive.
- 5.2.4 See Appendix A for a record of temperatures recorded at the thermocouple locations outlined in 3.3.5 above.
- 5.2.5 A videotape (8 mm format) is on file under J.I. 2B2A2.AM in the Technical Information Center at Factory Mutual Research.

#### VI CONCLUSIONS

6.1 Test results from this program indicate that Kemlite Company, Inc. Fire-X Glasbord FM interior finish materials meet the Factory Mutual Research Approval Standard 4880 requirements for Class 1 interior finish materials when installed to the maximum installed height of 30 ft (9.1 m).

- 6.2 The sheets shall be mechanically fastened to gypsum sheathing with AMIFasteners nylon, pin-drive rivets spaced 16 in. (406 mm) o.c., horizontally and vertically.
- 6.3 The panel joints on the walls and ceiling shall be covered with PVC molding, supplied by Kemlite.
- 6.4 Tests show 1) that the panels in and of themselves would not create a need for automatic sprinklers and 2) that the panels would be acceptable in a combustible occupancy protected by automatic sprinklers as defined by Factory Mutual Research Loss Prevention Standards.
- 6.5 The tested constructions meet the Factory Mutual Research Approval criteria and when Approval is effective will be listed in the Factory Mutual Research Approval Guide.
- 6.6 Approval is effective when the Approval Agreement is signed and received by Factory Mutual Research.
- 6.7 Continued Approval is based upon the fabrication of the Approved product in accordance with this Approval Report, satisfactory field experience, and continued use of acceptable quality control procedures as determined by Facilities and Procedures Audits.
- 6.8 The interior finish materials have not been evaluated for the toxicity of the products of combustion.

#### VII MARKING

- 7.1 The manufacturer shall mark each panel or packing container with the manufacturer's name and the product trade name. In addition, the panel or packing container must be marked with the Factory Mutual Research Approval Mark and the words "Subject to the conditions of Approval as a Class 1 interior finish material when installed as described in the current edition of the Factory Mutual Research Approval Guide".
- 7.2 Markings denoting Factory Mutual Research Approval shall be applied by the manufacturer only within and on the premises of manufacturing locations that are under Factory Mutual Research's Facilities and Procedures Audit Program.
- 7.3 The manufacturer agrees that use of the Factory Mutual Research name or Approval Mark is subject to the conditions and limitations of the Factory Mutual Research Approval. Such conditions and limitations must be included in all references to Factory Mutual Research Approval.

#### VIII MANUFACTURER'S RESPONSIBILITIES

- 8.1 To assure compliance with the CONCLUSIONS of this report, the manufacturer shall supply to the installer or building owner such necessary instructions or assistance required to produce the desired performance achieved in the tests.
- 8.2 The manufacturer shall notify Factory Mutual Research of any planned change in the Approved product prior to general sale or distribution. All requests for changes shall be made and agreed to in writing, utilizing Factory Mutual Research Form 797, Approval Product-Revision Report.

#### IX QUALITY AUDIT INSPECTION AND RE-EXAMINATION

- 9.1 Re-examination and manufacturing inspections will be conducted periodically on the Approved interior finish materials at the Kemlite Company, Inc. manufacturing facility in Channahon, IL to determine that the quality and uniformity of the Approved insulated panels and foam system have been maintained and will provide the same level of performance as originally Approved.
- 9.2 Re-examination of the Approved insulated wall and ceiling panels may be required to assess formulation changes to the foam insulation system, panel configuration changes or changes in field installation procedures or end-use.

TECHNICAL SUPERVISION OF CONSTRUCTION, FIRE TESTS AND REPORT BY:

D. K. Tanaka Project Engineer

Appendices:

Appendix A - Thermocouple Graph

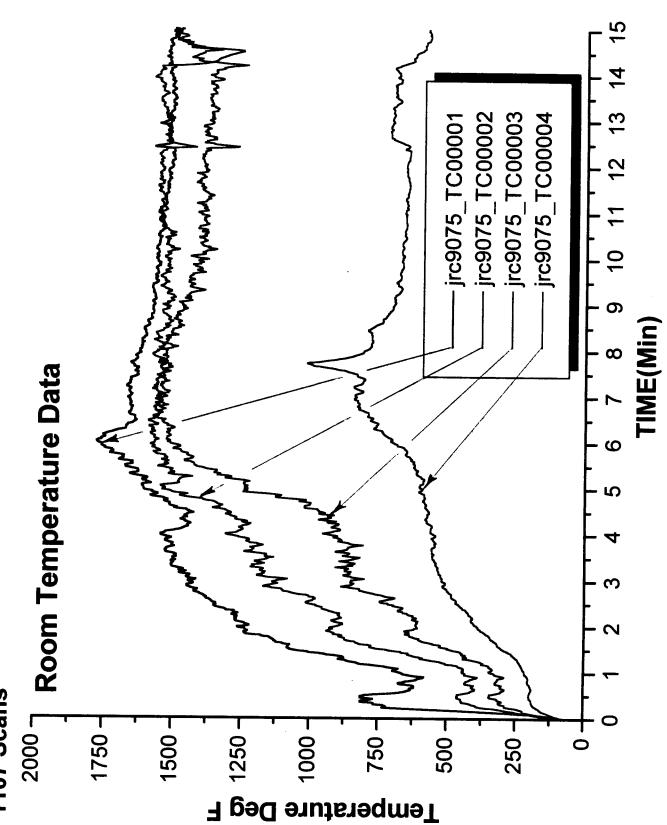
Appendix B - Thermocouple Information

**REPORT APPROVED BY:** 

P. J. Smith Senior Engineer

Materials Section - Approvals

Test #02 Kemlite Room 832-6232-66 09-01-1999 Job Index # 2b2a2.am 1107 Scans



#### Thermocouple Information

#### Designation (corresponding to Appendix A)

#### Location

jrc9075_TC00001 jrc9075_TC00002 jrc9075_TC00003 jrc9075_TC00004	3 ft (915 mm) above floor in corner 5 ft (1525 mm) above floor in corner 7 ft (2135 mm) above floor in corner center of ceiling
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March 28, 2002

Mr. Bob Barney Kemlite Co. P.O. Box 2429 Joliet, IL 60434

Subject:

Factory Mutual Research Approval of Fire-X Glasbord FM as Class 1 Interior Finish Materials in accordance with Factory Mutual Research Approval Standard 4880

#### Dear Bob:

I am writing to confirm the changes that will take place in an upcoming edition of the Factory Mutual Research Approval Guide. As requested in your Revision Report (form 797) we are extending Approval to include suspended ceiling grid installations. Additionally, we are revising the original Approval to include noncombustible substrates (originally gypsum core boards) and to redefine the fasteners for mechanically fastening the panels at the ceiling. I discussed the above issues with your Mr. Mike Burr and Mr. Chris Patterson on March 22, 2002.

The Kemlite listing in the Factory Mutual Research Approval Guide will be revised to read as follows:

Fire-X Glasbord FM. Flat panels, 4 ft (1.2 m) wide, nominal 0.09 in. (2.3 mm) thick. Installed over noncombustible substrate and mechanically fastened with stainless steel or aluminum screws. Alternatively, AMIFasteners nylon, pin-drive rivets may be used on walls only. All fasteners are spaced at 16 in. (0.4 m) o.c., vertically and horizontally. PVC batten strip joint treatment. Alternatively, the panels, 2 ft by 4 ft (610 mm by 1220 mm) or 2 ft by 2 ft (610 mm by 610 mm) in size, are installed in metal suspended ceiling grid system, with optional plastic or metal hold-down clips.

Please advise if you have any questions or require further information. I can be reached by phone at 781-255-4642, by fax at 781-762-9375, and by e-mail at David.Tanaka@FMGlobal.com.

Very truly yours,

David K. Tanaka, P.E. Senior Engineer

Materials Section

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CLIENT: CRANE COMPOSITES

Mike Buhr

23525 W. Eames Street Channahon, IL 60410

Test Report No: TJ0764 Date: August 22, 2012

**SAMPLE ID:** The Client submitted and identified the following test material as "Glasbord FSFM

075"

SAMPLING DETAIL: Test samples were submitted to the laboratory directly by the client. No special

sampling conditions or sample preparation were observed by QAI.

**DATE OF RECEIPT:** Samples were received at QAI on August 9 2012

**TESTING PERIOD:** August 13 2012

**AUTHORIZATION:** Signed Work Order by Tim Ngo of Crane. PO # 85657

TEST REQUESTED: Perform standard flame spread and smoke density developed classification tests on

the sample supplied by the Client in accordance with ASTM Designation E84-12, "Standard Method of Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials". The foregoing test procedure is comparable to UL 723, ANSI/NFPA No. 255, and UBC

No. 8-1.

TEST RESULTS: <u>Flame Spread</u> <u>Smoke Developed</u>

0 250

Detailed test results are presented in the subsequent pages of this report

Prepared By

Signed for and on behalf of QAI Laboratories, Inc.

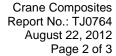
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**PREPARATION AND CONDITIONING:** The sample material was submitted in sufficient quantity to form a specimen 21" wide by 24' long. The sample was supported during testing by 2" hexagonal mesh poultry netting running the length of the test chamber and 1/4" round metal rods placed at two foot intervals across the width of the test chamber.

#### **E 84 TEST DATA SHEET:**

CLIENT: Crane Composites DATE: August 13, 2012

**SAMPLE**: Glasbord FSFM 075

**FLAME SPREAD:** 

IGNITION: 0 minutes, 38 seconds

FLAME FRONT: 0 feet maximum

TIME TO MAXIMUM SPREAD: 0 minutes, 00 seconds

TEST DURATION: 10 minutes, 00 seconds

SUMMARY: FLAME SPREAD: 0 (0.0) SMOKE DEVELOPED: 250 (226)

**SUMMARY OF ASTM E84 RESULTS:** Because of the possible variations in reproducibility, the results are adjusted to the nearest figure divisible by 5. Smoke Density values over 200 are rounded to the nearest figure divisible by 50.

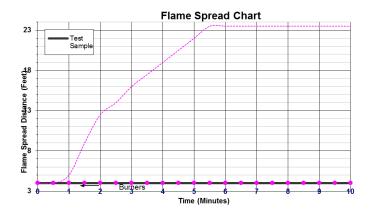
In order to obtain the Flame Spread Classification, the above results should be compared to the following table:

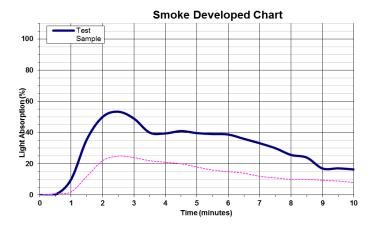
NFPA CLASS	<b>IBC CLASS</b>	FLAME SPREAD	SMOKE DEVELOPED
Α	A	0 through 25	Less than or equal to 450
В	В	26 through 75	Less than or equal to 450
С	С	76 through 200	Less than or equal to 450

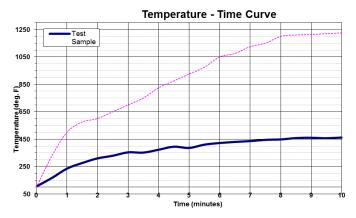
#### **BUILDING CODES CITED:**

- 1. National Fire Protection Association, ANSI/NFPA No. 101, "Life Safety Code", 2006 Edition.
- 2. International Building Code, 2006 Edition, Chapter 8, Interior Finishes, Section 803.









**END OF REPORT** 

### APPROVAL REPORT

# FIRE-X GLASBORD FM AS CLASS 1 INTERIOR FINISH MATERIALS

Prepared for

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2B2A2.AM CLASS 4880 DATE December 20, 1999

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#### I INTRODUCTION

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- 1.2 Examination included flammability characterization testing using the Factory Mutual Research 50 kW Scale Flammability Apparatus and a Uniform Building Code Standard No. 17-5 (26-3) room fire test of the interior finish materials.
- 1.3 Tests show that Kemlite Company, Inc. Fire-X Glasbord FM as tested meets the Factory Mutual Research Standard 4880 Approval requirements for Class 1 fire classification to a maximum height of 30 ft (9.1 m) when installed as specified in the CONCLUSIONS of this report.

#### II MATERIALS TESTED

- 2.1 Fire-X Glasbord FM interior finish panels are flat, opaque glass fiber reinforced plastic panels with an embossed, pebble-like finish. The panels are nominal 0.090 in. (2.3 mm) thick and are supplied in 4 ft by 8 ft (1.2 m by 2.4 mm) sheets.
- 2.2 A representative of Factory Mutual Research witnessed the sample panel fabrication on April 19, 1999 at the Kemlite Company, Inc. manufacturing facility in Channahon, IL.
  - 2.3 The proprietary formulation is on file at Factory Mutual Research.

#### III TESTS AND PROCEDURES

3.1 Tests conducted were as required to qualify the Fire-X Glasbord FM interior finish materials for Class 1 fire classification to a maximum height of 30 ft (9.1 m) under Factory Mutual Research Standard 4880.

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- 5.2.2 Upon examination of the test panels after the room fire test, there was no evidence of the panels burning at the extremities of the test panel area.
- 5.2.3 Smoke levels generated by the test panels during the test period were not considered excessive.
- 5.2.4 See Appendix A for a record of temperatures recorded at the thermocouple locations outlined in 3.3.5 above.
- 5.2.5 A videotape (8 mm format) is on file under J.I. 2B2A2.AM in the Technical Information Center at Factory Mutual Research.

# VI CONCLUSIONS

6.1 Test results from this program indicate that Kemlite Company, Inc. Fire-X Glasbord FM interior finish materials meet the Factory Mutual Research Approval Standard 4880 requirements for Class 1 interior finish materials when installed to the maximum installed height of 30 ft (9.1 m).

- 6.2 The sheets shall be mechanically fastened to gypsum sheathing with AMIFasteners nylon, pin-drive rivets spaced 16 in. (406 mm) o.c., horizontally and vertically.
- 6.3 The panel joints on the walls and ceiling shall be covered with PVC molding, supplied by Kemlite.
- 6.4 Tests show 1) that the panels in and of themselves would not create a need for automatic sprinklers and 2) that the panels would be acceptable in a combustible occupancy protected by automatic sprinklers as defined by Factory Mutual Research Loss Prevention Standards.
- 6.5 The tested constructions meet the Factory Mutual Research Approval criteria and when Approval is effective will be listed in the Factory Mutual Research Approval Guide.
- 6.6 Approval is effective when the Approval Agreement is signed and received by Factory Mutual Research.
- 6.7 Continued Approval is based upon the fabrication of the Approved product in accordance with this Approval Report, satisfactory field experience, and continued use of acceptable quality control procedures as determined by Facilities and Procedures Audits.
- 6.8 The interior finish materials have not been evaluated for the toxicity of the products of combustion.

#### VII MARKING

- 7.1 The manufacturer shall mark each panel or packing container with the manufacturer's name and the product trade name. In addition, the panel or packing container must be marked with the Factory Mutual Research Approval Mark and the words "Subject to the conditions of Approval as a Class 1 interior finish material when installed as described in the current edition of the Factory Mutual Research Approval Guide".
- 7.2 Markings denoting Factory Mutual Research Approval shall be applied by the manufacturer only within and on the premises of manufacturing locations that are under Factory Mutual Research's Facilities and Procedures Audit Program.
- 7.3 The manufacturer agrees that use of the Factory Mutual Research name or Approval Mark is subject to the conditions and limitations of the Factory Mutual Research Approval. Such conditions and limitations must be included in all references to Factory Mutual Research Approval.

# VIII MANUFACTURER'S RESPONSIBILITIES

- 8.1 To assure compliance with the CONCLUSIONS of this report, the manufacturer shall supply to the installer or building owner such necessary instructions or assistance required to produce the desired performance achieved in the tests.
- 8.2 The manufacturer shall notify Factory Mutual Research of any planned change in the Approved product prior to general sale or distribution. All requests for changes shall be made and agreed to in writing, utilizing Factory Mutual Research Form 797, Approval Product-Revision Report.

# IX QUALITY AUDIT INSPECTION AND RE-EXAMINATION

- 9.1 Re-examination and manufacturing inspections will be conducted periodically on the Approved interior finish materials at the Kemlite Company, Inc. manufacturing facility in Channahon, IL to determine that the quality and uniformity of the Approved insulated panels and foam system have been maintained and will provide the same level of performance as originally Approved.
- 9.2 Re-examination of the Approved insulated wall and ceiling panels may be required to assess formulation changes to the foam insulation system, panel configuration changes or changes in field installation procedures or end-use.

TECHNICAL SUPERVISION OF CONSTRUCTION, FIRE TESTS AND REPORT BY:

D. K. Tanaka Project Engineer

Appendices:

Appendix A - Thermocouple Graph

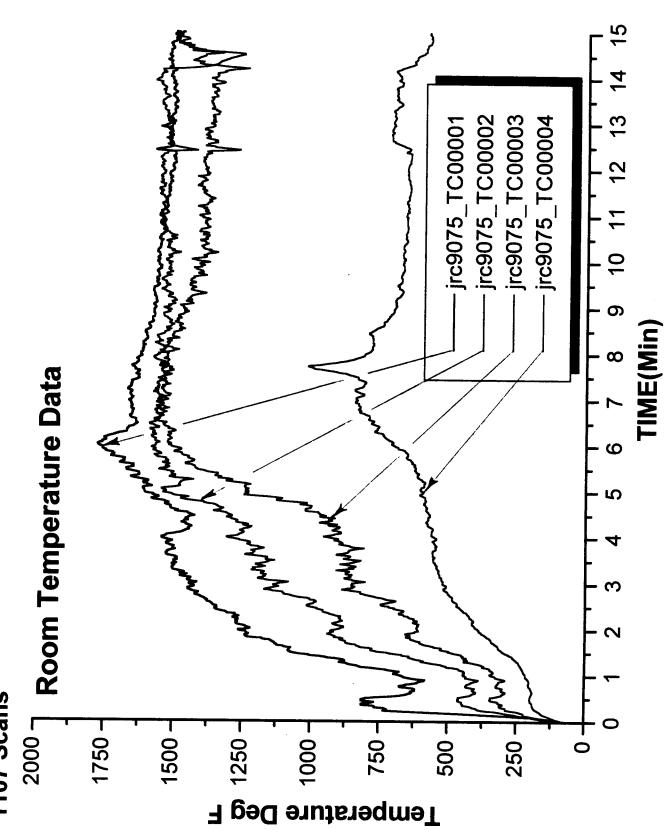
Appendix B - Thermocouple Information

**REPORT APPROVED BY:** 

P. J. Smith Senior Engineer

Materials Section - Approvals

Test #02 Kemlite Room 832-6232-66 09-01-1999 Job Index # 2b2a2.am 1107 Scans



# Thermocouple Information

# Designation (corresponding to Appendix A)

# Location

jrc9075_TC00001 jrc9075_TC00002 jrc9075_TC00003 jrc9075_TC00004	3 ft (915 mm) above floor in corner 5 ft (1525 mm) above floor in corner 7 ft (2135 mm) above floor in corner center of ceiling
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March 28, 2002

Mr. Bob Barney Kemlite Co. P.O. Box 2429 Joliet, IL 60434

Subject:

Factory Mutual Research Approval of Fire-X Glasbord FM as Class 1 Interior Finish Materials in accordance with Factory Mutual Research Approval Standard 4880

#### Dear Bob:

I am writing to confirm the changes that will take place in an upcoming edition of the Factory Mutual Research Approval Guide. As requested in your Revision Report (form 797) we are extending Approval to include suspended ceiling grid installations. Additionally, we are revising the original Approval to include noncombustible substrates (originally gypsum core boards) and to redefine the fasteners for mechanically fastening the panels at the ceiling. I discussed the above issues with your Mr. Mike Burr and Mr. Chris Patterson on March 22, 2002.

The Kemlite listing in the Factory Mutual Research Approval Guide will be revised to read as follows:

Fire-X Glasbord FM. Flat panels, 4 ft (1.2 m) wide, nominal 0.09 in. (2.3 mm) thick. Installed over noncombustible substrate and mechanically fastened with stainless steel or aluminum screws. Alternatively, AMIFasteners nylon, pin-drive rivets may be used on walls only. All fasteners are spaced at 16 in. (0.4 m) o.c., vertically and horizontally. PVC batten strip joint treatment. Alternatively, the panels, 2 ft by 4 ft (610 mm by 1220 mm) or 2 ft by 2 ft (610 mm by 610 mm) in size, are installed in metal suspended ceiling grid system, with optional plastic or metal hold-down clips.

Please advise if you have any questions or require further information. I can be reached by phone at 781-255-4642, by fax at 781-762-9375, and by e-mail at David.Tanaka@FMGlobal.com.

Very truly yours,

David K. Tanaka, P.E. Senior Engineer

Materials Section

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cc: TIC - Class File 4880

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An FM 610 18 Affiliate





CLIENT: CRANE COMPOSITES INC

Attn: Mike Buhr

23525 W. Eames Street Channahon IL., 60410

Test Report No: TJ1847-2 Date: January 17, 2014

**SAMPLE ID:** The Client submitted and identified the following test material as "Glasbord FX 06"

SAMPLING DETAIL: Test samples were submitted to the laboratory directly by the client. No special

sampling conditions or sample preparation were observed by QAI.

**DATE OF RECEIPT:** Samples were received at QAI facilities on December 30, 2013

**TESTING PERIOD:** January 15, 2014

**AUTHORIZATION:** Proposal FB-2013-103001 signed by Matt Bennett on December 16, 2013

**TEST REQUESTED:** Perform standard flame spread and smoke density developed classification tests on

the sample supplied by the Client in accordance with ASTM Designation E84-12, "Standard Method of Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials". The foregoing test procedure is comparable to UL 723, ANSI/NFPA No. 255, and UBC

No. 8-1.

TEST RESULTS: Flame Spread Smoke Developed

20 40

**CLASSIFICATION:** The material tested resulted in a Class A. Detailed test results are presented in the

subsequent pages of this report

Prepared By

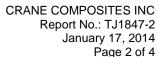
Signed for and on behalf of QAI Laboratories, Inc.

Jeff Foster

Fire Test Technician

J. Brian McDonald Operations Manager

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**PREPARATION AND CONDITIONING:** The sample was submitted in six 4 foot long panels cut to measure 24 1/2 inches wide and approximately .0485 mm thick. The sample material was placed into conditioning at 73°F (±5°F) and 50% (±5%) relative humidity until day of testing.

#### **E 84 TEST DATA SHEET:**

**MOUNTING METHOD:** The sample was supported during testing by 2" hexagonal mesh poultry netting running the length of the test chamber and ½" round metal rods placed at 2' intervals across the width of the test chamber.

CLIENT: Crane Composites Inc. DATE: January 15, 2014

**SAMPLE**: Glasbord FX 06

**IGNITION:** 0 minutes, 34 seconds

FLAME FRONT: 5 feet maximum

TIME TO MAXIMUM SPREAD: 3 minute, 00 seconds

TEST DURATION: 10 minutes, 00 seconds

**SUMMARY:** FLAME SPREAD: 20 (20.0 unrounded) SMOKE DEVELOPED: 38 (40 unrounded)

# **OBSERVATIONS:**

Sustained ignition was at 34 seconds. Incipient phase showed minimal growth, with uneventful first minute. Charring was visible at 1 minute 45 seconds. There was a spike and growth/spread around the 3 to 5 minute mark, with heavy smoke at this time. Decay phase was observed at 6 minutes into the test. Test completed at 10 minutes with no after burn.

### **CALIBRATION DATA:**

Time to Ignition of Last Red Oak (sec): 57
Red Oak Smoke Area (%A\* Min): 111
Total Fuel Burned (ft³) 59.68



#### **SUMMARY OF ASTM E84 RESULTS:**

Because of the possible variations in reproducibility, the results are adjusted to the nearest figure divisible by 5. Smoke Density values over 200 are rounded to the nearest figure divisible by 50.

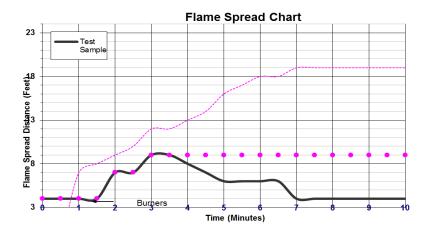
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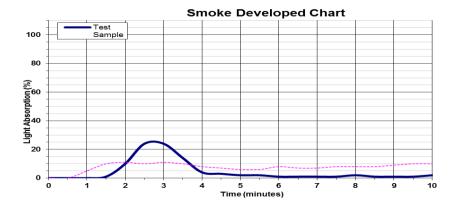
NFPA CLASS	<b>IBC CLASS</b>	<b>FLAME SPREAD</b>	SMOKE DEVELOPED
Α	Α	0 through 25	Less than or equal to 450
В	В	26 through 75	Less than or equal to 450
С	С	76 through 200	Less than or equal to 450

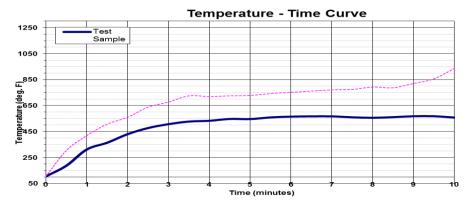
# **BUILDING CODES CITED:**

- 1. National Fire Protection Association, ANSI/NFPA No. 101, "Life Safety Code", 2006 Edition.
- 2. International Building Code, 2006 Edition, Chapter 8, Interior Finishes, Section 803.









**END OF REPORT** 





CLIENT: CRANE COMPOSITES

Attn: Mike Buhr

23525 W. Eames Street Channahon, IL 60410

Test Report No: TJ1104-R Date: November 17, 2013

SAMPLE ID: The Client submitted and identified the following test material as "Glasbord FX .09 /

StructoGlas FRFRJ .09."

SAMPLING DETAIL: Test samples were submitted to the laboratory directly by the client. No special

sampling conditions or sample preparation were observed by QAI.

**DATE OF RECEIPT:** Samples were received at QAI facilities on February 12, 2013

**TESTING PERIOD:** February 20, 2013

**AUTHORIZATION:** Proposal FB020413-1 signed by Mike Buhr on February 5, 2013

TEST REQUESTED: Perform standard flame spread and smoke density developed classification tests on

the sample supplied by the Client in accordance with ASTM Designation E84-12, "Standard Method of Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials". The foregoing test procedure is comparable to UL 723, ANSI/NFPA No. 255, and UBC

No. 8-1.

TEST RESULTS: <u>Flame Spread</u> <u>Smoke Developed</u>

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Detailed test results are presented in the subsequent pages of this report

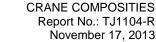
**REVISION:** Sample identification was changed

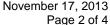
Prepared By

Signed for and on behalf of QAI Laboratories, Inc.

David Bauchmoyer Fire Test Technician J. Brian McDonald Operations Manager

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PREPARATION AND CONDITIONING: The sample was submitted in six 4 foot long panels cut to measure 21 inches wide and approximately 0.102 inches thick. The sample material was placed into conditioning at 73°F (±5°F) and 50% (±5%) relative humidity until day of testing.

# **E 84 TEST DATA SHEET:**

MOUNTING METHOD: The sample was supported during testing by 2" hexagonal mesh poultry netting running the length of the test chamber and 1/4" round metal rods placed at 2' intervals across the width of the test chamber.

**CLIENT:** Crane Composites **DATE:** February 20, 2013

SAMPLE: Glasbord FX .09 / StructoGlas FRFRJ .09

IGNITION: 0 minutes, 16 seconds

FLAME FRONT: 6 feet maximum

TIME TO MAXIMUM SPREAD: 9 minutes, 00 seconds

**TEST DURATION:** 10 minutes, 00 seconds

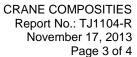
**SUMMARY:** FLAME SPREAD: 20 (18.1 unrounded) SMOKE DEVELOPED: 110 (109 unrounded)

#### **OBSERVATIONS:**

Steady ignition occurred at 16 seconds after ignition. Soon after ignition, dripping and floor burning were visible. At one minute and 40 seconds into test, charring was visible on test sample. At conclusion of test, sample showed no flaming.

# **CALIBRATION DATA:**

Time to Ignition of Last Red Oak (sec): 45 Red Oak Smoke Area (%A\*Min): 112 Maximum Temperature (°F): 530 Time to Maximum Temperature (min:sec): 7:00 Total Fuel Burned (ft<sup>3</sup>) 55.7





# **SUMMARY OF ASTM E84 RESULTS:**

Because of the possible variations in reproducibility, the results are adjusted to the nearest figure divisible by 5. Smoke Density values over 200 are rounded to the nearest figure divisible by 50.

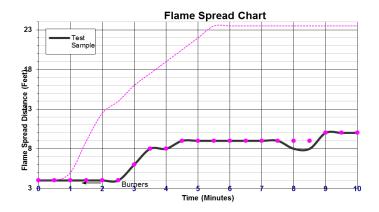
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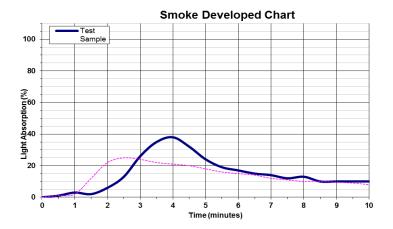
NFPA CLASS	<b>IBC CLASS</b>	FLAME SPREAD	SMOKE DEVELOPED
	A	0 through 25	Less than or equal to 450
В	В	26 through 75	Less than or equal to 450
С	С	76 through 200	Less than or equal to 450

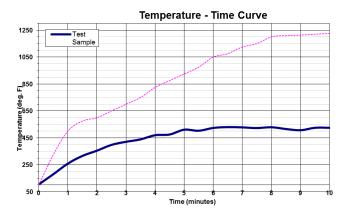
# **BUILDING CODES CITED:**

- 1. National Fire Protection Association, ANSI/NFPA No. 101, "Life Safety Code", 2006 Edition.
- 2. International Building Code, 2006 Edition, Chapter 8, Interior Finishes, Section 803.









**END OF REPORT** 





**CRANE COMPOSITES** CLIENT:

Attn: Mike Buhr

23525 W. Eames Street Channahon, IL 60410

Test Report No: TJ1722-4-R Date: November 27, 2013

SAMPLE ID: The Client submitted and identified the following test material as "Glasbord FX .10".

**SAMPLING DETAIL:** Test samples were submitted to the laboratory directly by the client. No special

sampling conditions or sample preparation were observed by QAI.

DATE OF RECEIPT: Samples were received at QAI facilities on November 14, 2013

**TESTING PERIOD:** November 18, 2013

**AUTHORIZATION: Retested Samples** 

**TEST REQUESTED:** Perform standard flame spread and smoke density developed classification tests on

> the sample supplied by the Client in accordance with ASTM Designation E84-12, "Standard Method of Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials". The foregoing test procedure is comparable to UL 723, ANSI/NFPA No. 255, and UBC

No. 8-1.

**TEST RESULTS:** Flame Spread **Smoke Developed** 

> 15 70

The material tested resulted in a Class A. Detailed test results are presented in the **CLASSIFICATION:** 

subsequent pages of this report

**REVISION:** The sample identification was changed on page 1 and 2. The thickness of the tested

sample was corrected on page 2.

Signed for and on behalf of **Prepared By** QAI Laboratories, Inc.

J. Brian McDonald **Operations Manager** 

Christopher Clark Fire Test Technician



CRANE COMPOSITES Report No.: TJ1722-4-R November 27, 2013 Page 2 of 4

**PREPARATION AND CONDITIONING:** The sample was submitted in six 4 foot long panels measuring 24 inches wide and approximately 0.100 inches thick. The sample material was placed into conditioning at 73°F (±5°F) and 50% (±5%) relative humidity until day of testing.

# **E 84 TEST DATA SHEET:**

**MOUNTING METHOD:** The sample was supported during testing by 2" hexagonal mesh poultry netting running the length of the test chamber and ½" round metal rods placed at 2' intervals across the width of the test chamber.

**CLIENT**: Crane Composites **DATE**: November 18, 2013

SAMPLE: Glasbord FX .10

IGNITION: 0 minutes, 47 seconds

FLAME FRONT: 4 feet maximum

TIME TO MAXIMUM SPREAD: 4 minutes, 00 seconds

TEST DURATION: 10 minutes, 00 seconds

**SUMMARY:** FLAME SPREAD: 15 (13.9 unrounded) SMOKE DEVELOPED: 70 (72 unrounded)

#### **OBSERVATIONS:**

Sample initially started to discolor and warp prior to ignition. Soon following ignition sample displayed signs of charring, flaking, and shrinking away from flame. Steady flame spread to window 4 steadily throughout the test. Minimal afterflame was noted at test completion.

# **CALIBRATION DATA:**

Time to Ignition of Last Red Oak (sec): 57 Red Oak Smoke Area (%A\*Min): 111 Total Fuel Burned (ft³) 59.68





# **SUMMARY OF ASTM E84 RESULTS:**

Because of the possible variations in reproducibility, the results are adjusted to the nearest figure divisible by 5. Smoke Density values over 200 are rounded to the nearest figure divisible by 50.

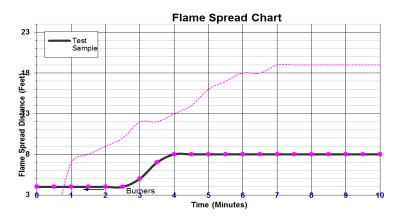
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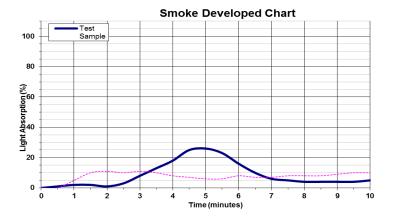
NFPA CLASS	<b>IBC CLASS</b>	FLAME SPREAD	SMOKE DEVELOPED
Α	A	0 through 25	Less than or equal to 450
В	В	26 through 75	Less than or equal to 450
С	С	76 through 200	Less than or equal to 450

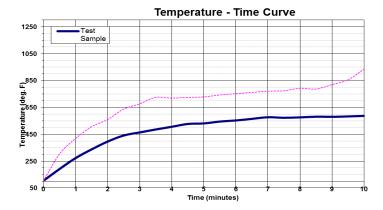
# **BUILDING CODES CITED:**

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- 2. International Building Code, 2006 Edition, Chapter 8, Interior Finishes, Section 803.









**END OF REPORT** 





CLIENT: CRANE COMPOSITES

Attn: Mike Buhr

23525 W. Eames Street Channahon, IL 60410

Test Report No: TJ1722-3-R Date: November 27, 2013

**SAMPLE ID:** The Client submitted and identified the following test material as "Glasbord FX .12".

SAMPLING DETAIL: Test samples were submitted to the laboratory directly by the client. No special

sampling conditions or sample preparation were observed by QAI.

**DATE OF RECEIPT:** Samples were received at QAI facilities on October 31, 2013

**TESTING PERIOD:** November 5, 2013

**AUTHORIZATION:** Retested Samples

TEST REQUESTED: Perform standard flame spread and smoke density developed classification tests on

the sample supplied by the Client in accordance with ASTM Designation E84-12, "Standard Method of Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials". The foregoing test procedure is comparable to UL 723, ANSI/NFPA No. 255, and UBC

No. 8-1.

TEST RESULTS: <u>Flame Spread</u> <u>Smoke Developed</u>

10 115

**CLASSIFICATION:** The material tested resulted in a Class A. Detailed test results are presented in the

subsequent pages of this report

**REVSION:** The sample identification was changed on page 1 and 2.

Prepared By

Signed for and on behalf of QAI Laboratories, Inc.

Christopher Clark

J. Brian McDonald

Fire Test Technician

Operations Manager

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**PREPARATION AND CONDITIONING:** The sample was submitted in six 4 foot long panels measuring 24 inches wide and approximately 0.120 of an inch thick. The sample material was placed into conditioning at 73°F (±5°F) and 50% (±5%) relative humidity until day of testing.

# **E 84 TEST DATA SHEET:**

**MOUNTING METHOD:** The sample was self-supporting and placed along the ledges of the tunnel during testing. No additional mounting method was used

CLIENT: Crane Composites DATE: November 5, 2013

**SAMPLE**: Glasbord .12

IGNITION: 0 minutes, 49 seconds

FLAME FRONT: 4 feet maximum

TIME TO MAXIMUM SPREAD: 7 minutes, 30 seconds

**TEST DURATION:** 10 minutes, 00 seconds

**SUMMARY:** FLAME SPREAD: 10 (10.8 unrounded) SMOKE DEVELOPED: 115 (113 unrounded)

# **OBSERVATIONS:**

Sample initially started to discolor and warp prior to ignition. Soon following ignition sample displayed signs of charring, flaking, and shrinking away from flame. Steady flame spread to window 4 steadily throughout the test. Minimal afterflame was noted at test completion.

#### **CALIBRATION DATA:**

Time to Ignition of Last Red Oak (sec): 57
Red Oak Smoke Area (%A\*Min): 111
Total Fuel Burned (ft³) 59.68





# **SUMMARY OF ASTM E84 RESULTS:**

Because of the possible variations in reproducibility, the results are adjusted to the nearest figure divisible by 5. Smoke Density values over 200 are rounded to the nearest figure divisible by 50.

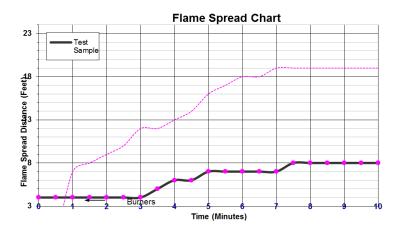
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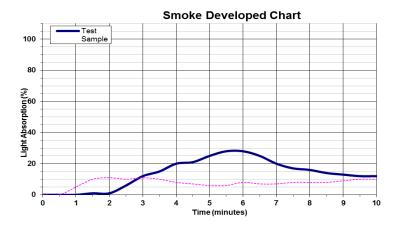
NFPA CLASS	IBC CLASS	FLAME SPREAD	SMOKE DEVELOPED
	A	0 through 25	Less than or equal to 450
В	В	26 through 75	Less than or equal to 450
С	С	76 through 200	Less than or equal to 450

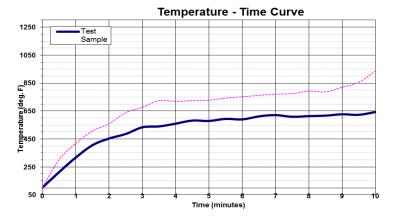
# **BUILDING CODES CITED:**

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- 2. International Building Code, 2006 Edition, Chapter 8, Interior Finishes, Section 803.









# **END OF REPORT**





CLIENT: CRANE COMPOSITES

Attn: Mike Buhr

23525 W. Eames Street Channahon, IL 60410

Test Report No: TJ1568-3 Date: October 3, 2013

**SAMPLE ID:** The Client submitted and identified the following test material as "Glasbord FSI .075".

SAMPLING DETAIL: Test samples were submitted to the laboratory directly by the client. No special

sampling conditions or sample preparation were observed by QAI.

**DATE OF RECEIPT:** Samples were received at QAI facilities on September 18, 2013

**TESTING PERIOD:** September 24, 2013

**AUTHORIZATION:** Proposal FB-2013-090901 approved on September 11, 2013

TEST REQUESTED: Perform standard flame spread and smoke density developed classification tests on

the sample supplied by the Client in accordance with ASTM Designation E84-12, "Standard Method of Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials". The foregoing test procedure is comparable to UL 723, ANSI/NFPA No. 255, and UBC

No. 8-1.

TEST RESULTS: <u>Flame Spread</u> <u>Smoke Developed</u>

25 75

**CLASSIFICATION:** The material tested resulted in a Class A. Detailed test results are presented in the

subsequent pages of this report

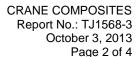
Prepared By

Jared Weise

Fire Test Technician

Signed for and on behalf of QAI Laboratories, Inc.

J. Brian McDonald
Operations Manager





**PREPARATION AND CONDITIONING:** The sample was submitted in six 4 foot long panels measuring 24 inches wide and approximately 0.075 inches thick. The sample material was placed into conditioning at 73°F (±5°F) and 50% (±5%) relative humidity until day of testing.

# **E 84 TEST DATA SHEET:**

**MOUNTING METHOD:** The sample was self-supporting and placed along the ledges of the tunnel during testing. No additional mounting method was used

CLIENT: Crane Composites DATE: September 24, 2013

**SAMPLE**: Glasbord FSI .075

IGNITION: 0 minutes, 33 seconds

FLAME FRONT: 6 feet maximum

TIME TO MAXIMUM SPREAD: 5 minutes, 00 seconds

**TEST DURATION:** 10 minutes, 00 seconds

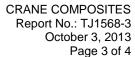
**SUMMARY:** FLAME SPREAD: 25 (25.1 unrounded) SMOKE DEVELOPED: 75 (74 unrounded)

# **OBSERVATIONS:**

Sample initially started to discolor and warp prior to ignition. Soon following ignition sample displayed signs of charring, flaking, and shrinking away from flame. Steady flame spread and smoke generation noted for duration of test. Some afterflame was noted at test completion.

#### **CALIBRATION DATA:**

Time to Ignition of Last Red Oak (sec): 57
Red Oak Smoke Area (%A\*Min): 111
Total Fuel Burned (ft³) 59.68





# **SUMMARY OF ASTM E84 RESULTS:**

Because of the possible variations in reproducibility, the results are adjusted to the nearest figure divisible by 5. Smoke Density values over 200 are rounded to the nearest figure divisible by 50.

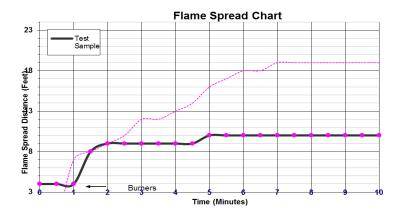
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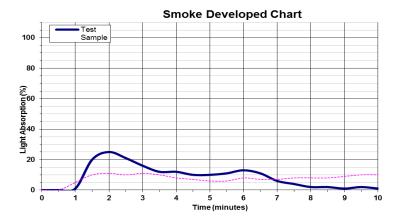
NFPA CLASS	<b>IBC CLASS</b>	FLAME SPREAD	<b>SMOKE DEVELOPED</b>
		0 through 25	Less than or equal to 450
В	В	26 through 75	Less than or equal to 450
С	С	76 through 200	Less than or equal to 450

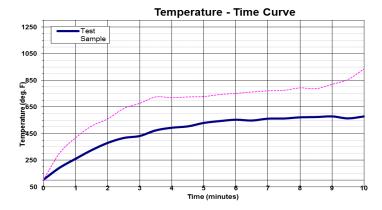
# **BUILDING CODES CITED:**

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- 2. International Building Code, 2006 Edition, Chapter 8, Interior Finishes, Section 803.









**END OF REPORT** 



291 Fairfield Avenue Fairfield, NJ 07004

Tel: 973-575-5252 Fax: 973 575-0799 **REPORT NUMBER: 131121** 

**REF. #**: 519295

DATE: October 6, 1999

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CLIENT: Crane Kemlite

> 23525 W. Eames Street Channahon, IL 60410

> > Attn: Molly Dickerman

**AUTHORIZATION:** Letter of authorization received from Molly Dickerman of Crane Kemlite.

SAMPLE

One (1) sample received from the client on September 27, 1999. Client **DESCRIPTION:** 

identified the sample as: 2585 FSI.

TEST PROCEDURE: The submitted sample was tested for Flammability according to the

procedures outlined in FMVSS-302.

**TEST DATES:** October 5, 1999.

Continued on Page 2. **RESULTS:** 

PREPARED BY:

Linda Kinderman

Technician - Flammability

**Textile Services** 

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SIGNED FOR COMPANY BY:

**Edward McCarthy** 

Supervisor Flammability

**Textile Services** 



**REPORT NUMBER: 131121** 

**REF. #:** 519295

DATE: October 6, 1999

**PAGE**: 2 of 2

**CLIENT:** Crane Kemlite

**RESULTS:** 

Flammability of Interior Materials

FMVSS 302-1992

Burn Time (secs)		Burn Distance (in)		Burn Rate (in/min)	
<u>MD</u>	XMD	MD	<u>XMD</u>	<u>MD</u>	XMD
DNI	DNI	<del></del>	-	-	-
DNI	DNI	-	-	-	-
DNI	DNI	-	-	-	-

DNI = Does Not Ignite

# Requirements:

The material shall not burn or transmit a flame front across its surface, at a rate of more than 4 inches per minute. However, if a material stops burning before it has burned for 60 seconds from the start of timing and has not burned more than 2 inches from the point where timing was started, it shall be considered to meet this requirement.

# Conclusion:

The submitted sample meets the requirement of the Department of Transportation Motor Vehicle Safety Standard 302 "Flammability of Interior Materials".

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**End of Report** 





CLIENT: CRANE COMPOSITES Inc.

23525 W Eames Street Channahon, II 60410

Test Report No: TJ2124 Date: June 6, 2014

SAMPLE ID: The Client submitted and identified the following test material as "GLASBORD PIF

09"

SAMPLING DETAIL: Test samples were submitted to the laboratory directly by the client. No special

sampling conditions or sample preparation were observed by QAI.

**DATE OF RECEIPT:** Samples were received at QAI facilities on May 7, 2014

**TESTING PERIOD:** May 27, 2014

**AUTHORIZATION:** Signed work order by Tim Ngo on April 25, 2014

TEST REQUESTED: Perform standard flame spread and smoke density developed classification tests on

the sample supplied by the Client in accordance with ASTM Designation E84-13, "Standard Method of Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials". The foregoing test procedure is comparable to UL 723, ANSI/NFPA No. 255, and UBC

No. 8-1.

TEST RESULTS: Flame Spread Smoke Developed

40 235

**CLASSIFICATION:** The material resulted in a Class B. Detailed test results are presented in the

subsequent pages of this report

Prepared By

Signed for and on behalf of QAI Laboratories, Inc.

Jeff Foster

Fire Test Technician

J. Brian McDonald Operations Manager

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CRANE COMPOSITES Inc. Report No.: TJ2124

> June 6, 2014 Page 2 of 4

**PREPARATION AND CONDITIONING:** The sample was submitted in six panels that were each 4 feet long measuring 24 inches wide and approximately 1.82 mm thick. The sample material was placed into conditioning at 73°F (±5°F) and 50% (±5%) relative humidity until day of testing.

#### **E 84 TEST DATA SHEET:**

**MOUNTING METHOD:** The sample was supported during testing by 2" hexagonal mesh poultry netting running the length of the test chamber and ¼" round metal rods placed at 2' intervals across the width of the test chamber, with cement board place between the sample and tunnel lid..

CLIENT: CRANE COMPOSITES Inc. DATE: June 6, 2014

**SAMPLE**: GLASBORD PIF 09

IGNITION: 0 minutes, 54 seconds

FLAME FRONT: 9 feet maximum

TIME TO MAXIMUM SPREAD: 3 minute, 00 seconds

TEST DURATION: 10 minutes, 00 seconds

**SUMMARY:** FLAME SPREAD: 40 (37.4 unrounded) SMOKE DEVELOPED: 235 (235 unrounded)

#### **OBSERVATIONS:**

The sample began to crackle at 29 seconds, followed by sustained ignition at 54 seconds. At 1 minute 32 seconds the sample could be seen sagging. At the conclusion of the 10 minute test, after burn was witnessed and extinguished by fire tech.

# **CALIBRATION DATA:**

Time to Ignition of Last Red Oak (sec): 57
Red Oak Smoke Area (%A\* Min): 111
Total Fuel Burned (ft³) 59.68







#### **SUMMARY OF ASTM E84 RESULTS:**

Because of the possible variations in reproducibility, the results are adjusted to the nearest figure divisible by 5. Smoke Density values over 200 are rounded to the nearest figure divisible by 50.

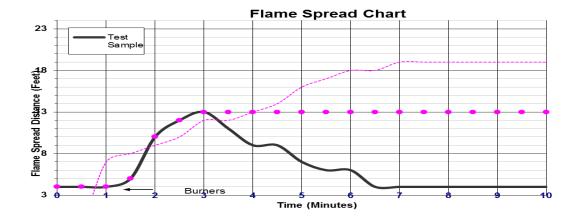
In order to obtain the Flame Spread Classification, the above results should be compared to the following table:

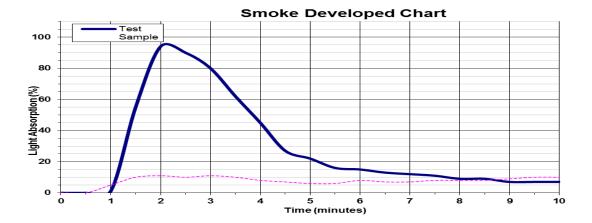
NFPA CLASS	<b>IBC CLASS</b>	<b>FLAME SPREAD</b>	SMOKE DEVELOPED
Α	Α	0 through 25	Less than or equal to 450
В	В	26 through 75	Less than or equal to 450
С	С	76 through 200	Less than or equal to 450

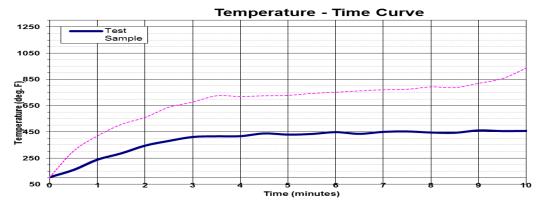
# **BUILDING CODES CITED:**

- 1. National Fire Protection Association, ANSI/NFPA No. 101, "Life Safety Code", 2006 Edition.
- 2. International Building Code, 2006 Edition, Chapter 8, Interior Finishes, Section 803.









**END OF REPORT** 

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CLIENT:

Crane Kemlite

23525 W. Eames Street Channahon, IL 60410

Attn.: Molly Dickerman

**Test Report No:** 

164736

Date:

January 14, 2002

SAMPLES SUBMITTED BY CLIENT AS: K020107-1 & 2

09 PIF MD & CMD

K020104-1 & 2

09 PWI MD & CMD

DATE OF RECEIPT:

January 10, 2002

**TESTING PERIOD:** 

January 14, 2002

**TEST REQUESTED:** 

**FMVSS 302** 

TEST RESULTS:

Please refer to page 2

CONCLUSION:

The submitted samples meet the requirement of the Department of Transportation Motor Vehicle Safety Standard 302 "Flammability of Interior

Materials".

PREPARED BY:

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TEST RESULTS

Flammability of Interior Materials

FMVSS 302-1992

Sample ID:

CLIENT:

K020107-1 & 2

Crane Kemlite

09 PIF MD & CMD

·	Burn Time * {secs)		<u>Burn Distance</u> (in)		<u>Burn Rate</u> (in/min)	
	MD	CMD	MD	CMD	MD	CMD
	300.0 300.0 300.0	300.0 300.0 300.0	1.9 2.2 2.7	2.2 1.5 1.6	0.4 0.4 0.5	0.4 0.3 0.3
Sample ID:	K020104-	1 & 2	09 PWI MD &	CMD		
	300.0 300.0 300.0	300.0 300.0 300.0	3.0 2.6 2.9	2.4 2.0 2.6	0.6 0.5 0.6	0.5 0.4 0.5

<sup>\*</sup>The test was discontinued after 5 minutes.

Requirements : The material shall not burn or transmit a flame front across its surface, at a rate of more than 4 inches per minute. However, if a material stops burning before it has burned for 60 seconds from the start of timing and has not burned more than 2 inches from the point where timing was started, it shall be considered to meet this requirement.

\*\*\*\*End of Report\*\*\*



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#### TEST REPORT

#### Crane Composites, Inc

8015 Dixon Drive Florence, KY 41042

#### Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials

**ASTM E-84-08** 

Test Report No: FH-1902-1

Assignment No: H-581

Test Date: 2/16/2009

Report Date: 10/12/2009

Subject Material: FTSTF

Prepared by:

Richard A. Costolnick

Senior Test Engineer

Reviewed by:

Robert J. Menchetti

Director, Laboratory Facilities

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#### **MATERIAL TESTED:**

Material submitted by Crane Composites, Inc., Florence, KY was identified and described by the client as:

0.090 in. thick FTSTF FRP

The material was provided 24 in. wide x 8 ft.

The tests were conducted by placing the material in the furnace end to end, and butted tightly together to achieve the required 24 lineal feet.

#### **METHOD OF SUPPORT:**

A continuous length of 2.0 in. hexagonal poultry netting was placed atop 1/4" dia. steel rods spaced 24 in. on center. The test samples were placed over the netting, end to end, and butted tightly together to achieve the required 24 lineal feet

#### LID PROTECTION:

1/4 in. thick non- combustible fiber reinforced cement board was placed over the test specimen as lid protection.

#### **RESULTS:**

The results can be found on page 3 of this report.

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### RESULTS:

CALCULATED SMOKE DEVELOPED	292.09
CALCULATED FLAME SPREAD	142.53
SUPPORT	WIRE & RODS
SIDE EXPOSED	SYMMETRICAL
MATERIAL TESTED	0.090 in. FTSTF FRP
TEST NO.	-

MATERIAL TESTED	SIDE EXPOSED	SUPPORT	FLAME SPREAD  INDEX *	SMOKE DEVELOPED  INDEX*
RED OAK FLOORING	FINISH	DECKS	100	100
REINFORCED CEMENT BOARD	SYMMETRICAL	SELF	0	0
0.090 in. FTSTF FRP	SYMMETRICAL	WIRE & RODS	145	300

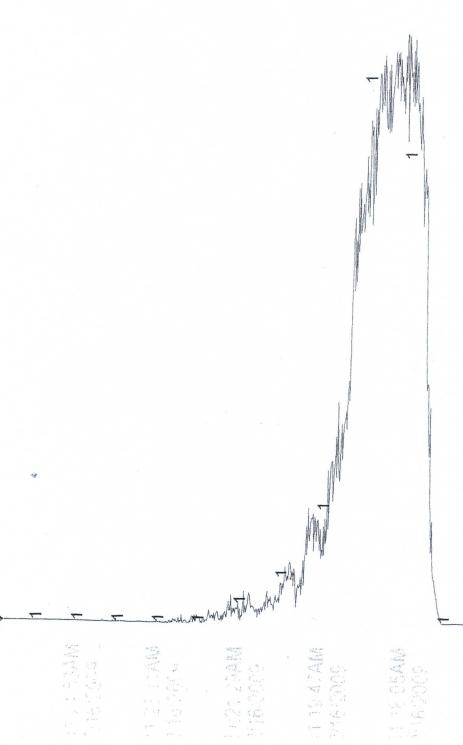
IOS	0-450	0-450	0-450
FSI	<25	26-75	76-200
CLASSIFICATION	CLASS "A"	CLASS "B"	CLASS "C"

<sup>\*</sup> Flame Spread/Smoke Developed Index is the result (or average of the results of multiple tests), rounded to the nearest multiple of 5. Smoke Developed in excess of 200, rounded to the nearest 50.

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# Fire Testing

## Laboratory

TEST #: FH-1902-1

2/16/2009

DATE

TEST METHOD: ASTM E-84-08

CRANE COMPOSITES H-581 PROJECT #: CLIENT:

SAMPLE:

0.082 0.290 49.98 997

ADC DRAFT (IN. H20) GAS PRESS. (IN. H20) GAS VOL, (CF)

3" 105°F

BURIED

SHUTTER TEMP. 13' BTU/cf

MATERIAL: 0.050.
MATERIAL: 0.050.
METHOD OF SUPPORT: ROLLO.
REMARKS: IGNITION :48
MAX. FLAME FRONT 19.5 FT. @2:34

	CURVE (minft.)	ED-
FLAME SPREAD-	AREA UNDER THE CURVE (minft	SMOKE DEVELOPED-

142.53 160.62 292.09

		10.0
		8.0
READ		6.0
FLAME SPREAD		4.0 TIME
		2.0
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#### **TEST REPORT**

for

Crane Composites, Inc

8015 Dixon Drive Florence, KY 41042

#### Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials

**ASTM E-84-08** 

Test Report No: FH-1907-1

Assignment No: H-587

Test Date: 2/26/2009

Report Date: 10/13/2009

Subject Material: 0.12" FTSTF FRP Panels

Prepared by:

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Reviewed by:

Robert J. Menchetti

Director, Laboratory Facilities

and Testing Services

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#### **MATERIAL TESTED:**

Material submitted by Crane Composites, Inc., Florence, KY was identified and described by the client as:

#### FRP Panels:

0.120 in. thick FTSTF

The material was provided 24 in. wide x 8 ft.. lengths.

The tests were conducted by placing the material in the furnace end to end, and butted tightly together to achieve the required 24 lineal feet.

#### **METHOD OF SUPPORT:**

A continuous length of 2.0 in. hexagonal poultry netting was placed atop 1/4" dia. steel rods spaced 24 in. on center. The test samples were placed over the netting, end to end, and butted tightly together to achieve the required 24 lineal feet

#### LID PROTECTION:

1/4 in. thick non- combustible fiber reinforced cement board was placed over the test specimen as lid protection.

#### RESULTS:

The results can be found on page 3 of this report.

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RESULTS:

TEST NO.

MATERIAL TESTED

SIDE EXPOSED

SUPPORT

FLAME SPREAD CALCULATED

SMOKE DEVELOPED CALCULATED

471.70 116.78 WIRE & RODS SYMMETRICAL FRP 0.120 in. FTSTF

SMOKE DEVELOPED INDEX\* 450 100 0 FLAME SPREAD INDEX \* 115 100 0 WIRE & RODS SUPPORT DECKS SYMMETRICAL SYMMETRICAL SIDE EXPOSED FINISH RED OAK FLOORING
REINFORCED CEMENT BOARD FRP MATERIAL TESTED 0.120 in. FTSTF

26-75 <25 CLASS "A" CLASS "B" CLASS "C" CLASSIFICATION

0-450 0-450

\* Flame Spread/Smoke Developed Index is the result (or average of the results of multiple tests), rounded to the nearest multiple of 5. Smoke Developed in excess of 200, rounded to the nearest 50.

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## Fire Testing

## Laboratory

TEST #: FH-1907-1

2/26/2009

DATE

TEST METHOD: ASTM E-84-08

CRANE COMPOSITES CLIENT:

H-587 PROJECT #: SAMPLE:

MATERIAL: 0.12" FTSTF
METHOD OF SUPPORT: RODS & WIRE
REMARKS: IGNITION :50
MAX. FLAME FRONT 19.5 FT. @ 3:21

0.082 0.289 49.92 1002 3" 105°F

BURIED

SHUTTER TEMP. 13'

ADC DRAFT (IN. H20) GAS PRESS. (IN. H20)

GAS VOL, (CF)

BTU/cf

AREA UNDER THE CURVE (min.-ft.) SMOKE DEVELOPED. FLAME SPREAD-

153.04 471.70

116.78

WITNESSED BY: 10.0 8.0 6.0 FLAME SPREAD TIME (min.) 4.0 2.0 0.0 10.0 8.0 6.0 4.0 2.0 20.0 18.0 16.0 14.0 12.0

DISTANCE (feet)

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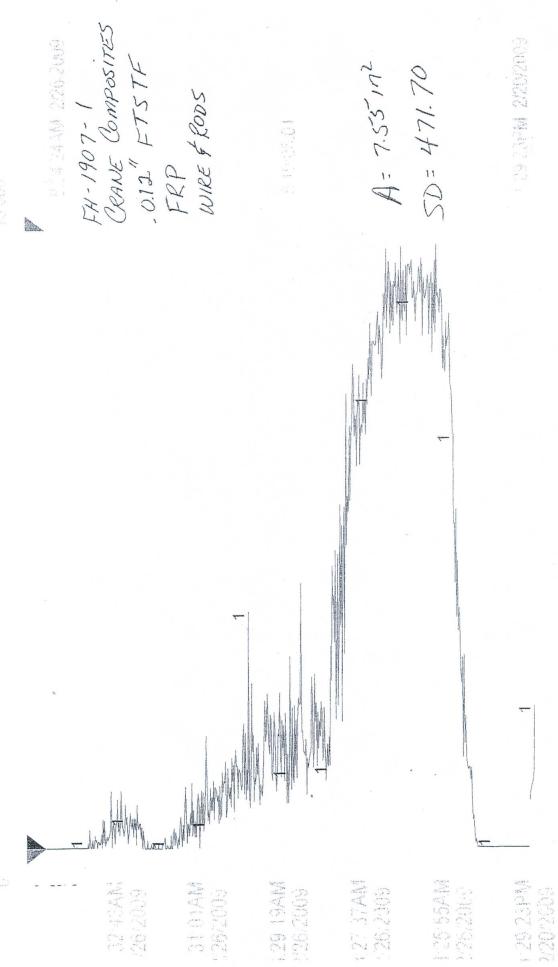
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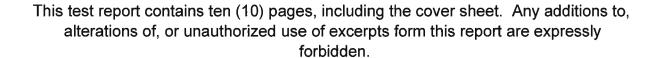


### Progressive Engineering Inc.

#### **CRANE COMPOSITES**

FMVSS and CMVSS 302 Flammability of Interior Materials Test

5/12/2014



2014-772

#### 1. TITLE

FMVSS and CMVSS 302 Flammability of Interior Materials Test

#### 2. OBJECTIVE

To test the interior finish materials of the motor vehicle per the safety standards mentioned in Section 6 of this report.

This test report pertains only to the specimens tested. It remains the sole responsibility of the manufacturer to provide a product consistent to that which was tested.

#### 3. TESTED FOR

Crane Composites 2424 E. Kercher Road Goshen, IN 46526

#### 4. TESTING ORGANIZATION

Progressive Engineering Inc.

58640 State Road 15 Goshen, IN 46528 www.p-e-l.com

See IAS Evaluation Report TL-178 for ISO 17025 Accreditation.

#### 5. TESTING PERSONNEL

Director of Testing - Jason R. Holdeman

Technician - Todd Miller

#### 6. REFERENCE STANDARDS

**Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) 302** - as stated in the Code of Regulations Title 49, Volume 5, Section S571.302 (10-1-12 Edition).

Canadian Motor Vehicle Safety Standards (CMVSS) Standard 302 - Date Modified: 2012-02-06

#### 7. TEST EQUIPMENT

- A. Pre-Conditioning Room
- B. Burn Chamber (PEI No. 269)
- C. Stop Watch

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#### 8. TEST SPECIMEN

See attached data pages for specimen descriptions.

#### 9. TEST SPECIMEN CONSTRUCTION

The test specimens were cut into a 4" x 14" x 1/2" thick (maximum) piece for testing. (Where ideal specimen size could not be attained, the closest matching specimen size was used or the actual shape of the finished product.)

#### 10. TEST SPECIMEN CONDITIONING

The test specimens were conditioned at 70 °F and 50% RH for a minimum of twenty-four (24) hours prior to testing.

#### 11. TEST PROCEDURE

- A. Test specimen is mounted in between matching "U" brackets.
- B. Test specimen is then placed in metal cabinet.
- C. Bunsen burner flame is then exposed to end of test sample for fifteen (15) seconds.
- D. The time required for the flame to travel from 1-1/2" in from the open end of the "U" bracket to 1-1/2" in from the closed end of the "U" bracket is measured and recorded.
- E. The rate of burn is then calculated and recorded.

#### 12. TEST RESULTS

See the attached data sheets for test results.

### <u>Progressive</u> <u>Engineering</u> <u>Inc.</u> FMVSS & CMVSS 302 FLAMMABILITY TEST

Client: Crane Composites

Sample FTSTF 090 skin material with an average measured thickness

Description: of 0.078". Specimen details provided by Marcus Ulmer of

Crane Composites.

Samples

**Received on: 5/9/2014** 

#### **PRECONDITIONING**

	Date	Time	Temp.	Rel. Hum.
Start	5/9/2014	6:39	72deg.F.	52%
Stop	5/12/2014	1:05	72deg.F.	51%

#### **TEST DATA**

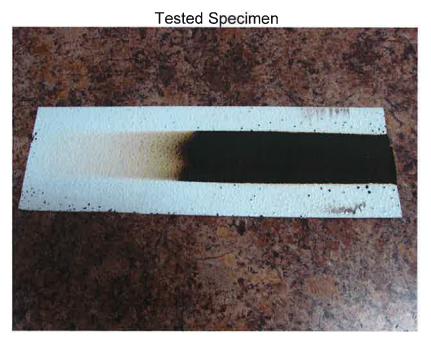
Date	Travel Time (s)	Travel Distance	Comments / Observations
5/12/2014	600.0 sec	5.4"	The specimen burned slowly producing lots of thick black smoke with no flaming drips.

#### **TEST RESULTS**

Based on the data above the following Burn Rate ( $B_r$ ) was obtained. Burn rate is defined as "Travel Distance" divided by the "Travel Time" (in minutes)

Burn Rate	Pass	Fail
0.54"/min	>	

A PASS is considered a Burn Rate  $(B_r)$  of LESS than 4" per minute.



PEI Report No. 2014-772





CRANE COMPOSITES CLIENT:

> Attn. Michelle Bauer 8015 Dixon Dr

Florence, KY 410142

**Test Report No: TJ0870 Date: October 15, 2012** 

**SAMPLE ID:** The Client submitted and identified the following test material as "PSIF .075".

**SAMPLING DETAIL:** Test samples were submitted to the laboratory directly by the client. No special

sampling conditions or sample preparation were observed by QAI.

DATE OF RECEIPT: Samples were received at QAI on October 1, 2012

**TESTING PERIOD:** October 9, 2012.

**AUTHORIZATION:** Proposal Number FB090512-3 submitted on September 26, 2012.

TEST REQUESTED: Perform standard flame spread and smoke density developed classification tests on

the sample supplied by the Client in accordance with ASTM Designation E84-12, "Standard Method of Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials". The foregoing test procedure is comparable to UL 723, ANSI/NFPA No. 255, and UBC

No. 8-1.

**TEST RESULTS:** Flame Spread **Smoke Developed** 

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Detailed test results are presented in the subsequent pages of this report

**Prepared By** Signed for and on behalf of QA Laboratories, Inc.

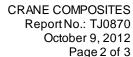
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**PREPARATION AND CONDITIONING:** The sample material was submitted in sufficient quantity to form a specimen 21" wide by 24' long consisting of 6 four feet long pieces, with a nominal .075 inch thickness. The sample was supported during testing by 2" hexagonal mesh poultry netting running the length of the test chamber and ½" round metal rods placed at 2' intervals across the width of the test chamber.

#### **E 84 TEST DATA SHEET:**

CLIENT: CRANE COMPOSITES DATE: October 9, 2012

SAMPLE: PSIF .075

**IGNITION:** 0 minutes, 45 seconds

FLAME FRONT: 24 feet maximum

TIME TO MAXIMUM SPREAD: 3 minutes, 30 seconds

**TEST DURATION:** 10 minutes, 00 seconds

SUMMARY: FLAME SPREAD: 115 (117.1) SMOKE DEVELOPED:165 (163)

**SUMMARY OF ASTM E84 RESULTS:** Because of the possible variations in reproducibility, the results are adjusted to the nearest figure divisible by 5. Smoke Density values over 200 are rounded to the nearest figure divisible by 50.

In order to obtain the Flame Spread Classification, the above results should be compared to the following table:

NFPA CLASS	IBC CLASS	FLAME SPREAD	SMOKE DEVELOPED
	A	0 through 25	Less than or equal to 450
В	В	26 through 75	Less than or equal to 450
С	С	76 through 200	Less than or equal to 450

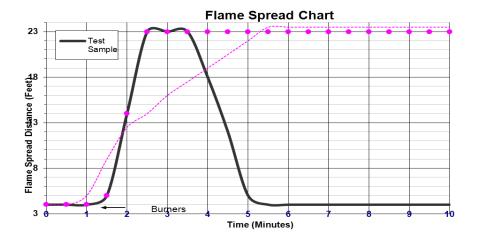
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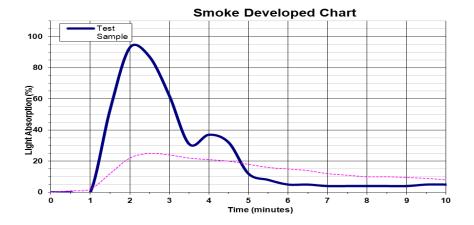
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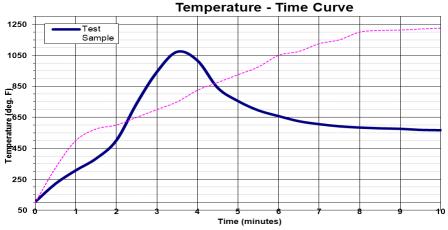
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CLIENT: CRANE COMPOSITES

Attn: Mike Buhr

23525 W. Eames Street Channahon, IL 60410

Test Report No: TJ1319-9 Date: October 3, 2013

**SAMPLE ID:** The Client submitted and identified the following test material as "Glasbord CGI .100".

SAMPLING DETAIL: Test samples were submitted to the laboratory directly by the client. No special

sampling conditions or sample preparation were observed by QAI.

**DATE OF RECEIPT:** Samples were received at QAI facilities on September 18, 2013

**TESTING PERIOD:** September 24, 2013

**AUTHORIZATION:** Proposal FB050213-1 R1 approved on September 11, 2013

TEST REQUESTED: Perform standard flame spread and smoke density developed classification tests on

the sample supplied by the Client in accordance with ASTM Designation E84-12, "Standard Method of Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials". The foregoing test procedure is comparable to UL 723, ANSI/NFPA No. 255, and UBC

No. 8-1.

TEST RESULTS: <u>Flame Spread</u> <u>Smoke Developed</u>

85 250

**CLASSIFICATION:** The material tested resulted in a Class C. Detailed test results are presented in the

subsequent pages of this report

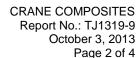
Prepared By

Jared Weise

Fire Test Technician

Signed for and on behalf of QAI Laboratories, Inc.

J. Brian McDonald
Operations Manager





**PREPARATION AND CONDITIONING:** The sample was submitted in six 4 foot long panels measuring 24 inches wide and approximately 0.05 inches thick. The sample material was placed into conditioning at 73°F (±5°F) and 50% (±5%) relative humidity until day of testing.

#### **E 84 TEST DATA SHEET:**

**MOUNTING METHOD:** The sample was self-supporting and placed along the ledges of the tunnel during testing. No additional mounting method was used

CLIENT: Crane Composites DATE: September 24, 2013

**SAMPLE**: Glasbord CGI .100

**IGNITION:** 0 minutes, 55 seconds

FLAME FRONT: 17 feet maximum

TIME TO MAXIMUM SPREAD: 3 minutes, 00 seconds

**TEST DURATION:** 10 minutes, 00 seconds

**SUMMARY:** FLAME SPREAD: 85 (84.6 unrounded) SMOKE DEVELOPED: 250 (265 unrounded)

#### **OBSERVATIONS:**

Sample initially started to discolor and warp prior to ignition. Soon following ignition sample displayed signs of charring, flaking, and shrinking away from flame. Steady flame spread to window 17 and subsequent recession of flame and smoke generation noted for duration of test. Moderate afterflame was noted at test completion.

#### **CALIBRATION DATA:**

Time to Ignition of Last Red Oak (sec): 57
Red Oak Smoke Area (%A\*Min): 111
Total Fuel Burned (ft³) 59.68





#### **SUMMARY OF ASTM E84 RESULTS:**

Because of the possible variations in reproducibility, the results are adjusted to the nearest figure divisible by 5. Smoke Density values over 200 are rounded to the nearest figure divisible by 50.

In order to obtain the Flame Spread Classification, the above results should be compared to the following table:

NFPA CLASS	IBC CLASS	FLAME SPREAD	SMOKE DEVELOPED
A	A	0 through 25	Less than or equal to 450
В	В	26 through 75	Less than or equal to 450
С	С	76 through 200	Less than or equal to 450

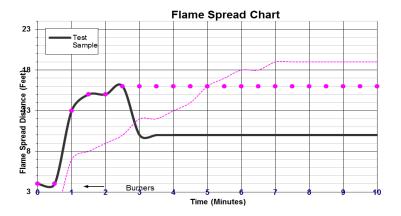
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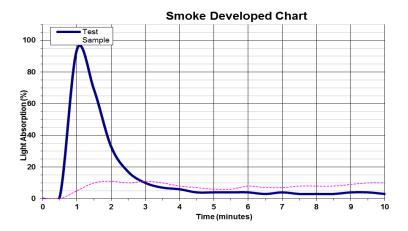
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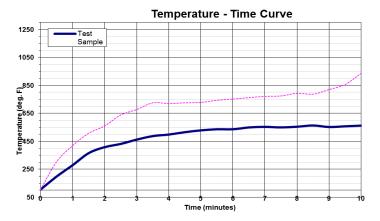
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CLIENT: CRANE COMPOSITES

Attn: Mike Buhr

23525 W. Eames Street Channahon, IL 60410

Test Report No: TJ1319-8 Date: October 3, 2013

SAMPLE ID: The Client submitted and identified the following test material as "Glasbord PWI

.050".

SAMPLING DETAIL: Test samples were submitted to the laboratory directly by the client. No special

sampling conditions or sample preparation were observed by QAI.

**DATE OF RECEIPT:** Samples were received at QAI facilities on September 18, 2013

**TESTING PERIOD:** September 24, 2013

**AUTHORIZATION:** Proposal FB050213-1 R1 approved on September 11, 2013

TEST REQUESTED: Perform standard flame spread and smoke density developed classification tests on

the sample supplied by the Client in accordance with ASTM Designation E84-12, "Standard Method of Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials". The foregoing test procedure is comparable to UL 723, ANSI/NFPA No. 255, and UBC

No. 8-1.

TEST RESULTS: Flame Spread Smoke Developed

55 155

**CLASSIFICATION:** The material tested resulted in a Class B. Detailed test results are presented in the

subsequent pages of this report

**Prepared By** 

Jared Weise

Fire Test Technician

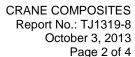
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**PREPARATION AND CONDITIONING:** The sample was submitted in six 4 foot long panels measuring 24 inches wide and approximately 0.05 inches thick. The sample material was placed into conditioning at 73°F (±5°F) and 50% (±5%) relative humidity until day of testing.

#### **E 84 TEST DATA SHEET:**

**MOUNTING METHOD:** The sample was self-supporting and placed along the ledges of the tunnel during testing. No additional mounting method was used

CLIENT: Crane Composites DATE: September 24, 2013

**SAMPLE**: Glasbord PWI .050

IGNITION: 0 minutes, 29 seconds

FLAME FRONT: 6 feet maximum

TIME TO MAXIMUM SPREAD: 3 minutes, 00 seconds

**TEST DURATION:** 10 minutes, 00 seconds

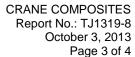
SUMMARY: FLAME SPREAD: 55 (56.5 unrounded) SMOKE DEVELOPED: 105 (106 unrounded)

#### **OBSERVATIONS:**

Sample initially started to discolor and warp prior to ignition. Soon following ignition sample displayed signs of charring, flaking, and shrinking away from flame. Steady flame spread and smoke generation noted for duration of test. No afterflame was noted at test completion.

#### **CALIBRATION DATA:**

Time to Ignition of Last Red Oak (sec): 57
Red Oak Smoke Area (%A\*Min): 111
Total Fuel Burned (ft³) 59.68





#### **SUMMARY OF ASTM E84 RESULTS:**

Because of the possible variations in reproducibility, the results are adjusted to the nearest figure divisible by 5. Smoke Density values over 200 are rounded to the nearest figure divisible by 50.

In order to obtain the Flame Spread Classification, the above results should be compared to the following table:

NFPA CLASS	IBC CLASS	FLAME SPREAD	SMOKE DEVELOPED
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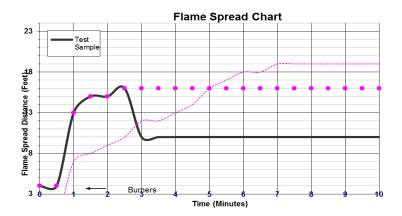
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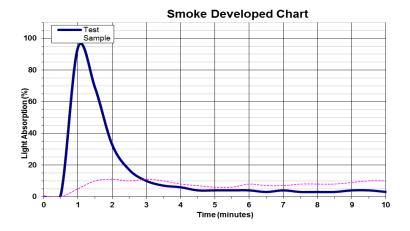
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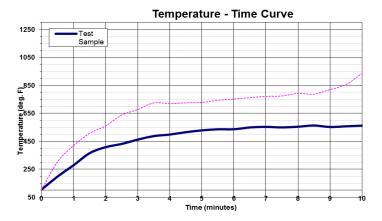
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#### **ASTM E84-98**

### SURFACE BURNING CHARACTERISTICS

Glasbord 090 PWI

Report No. 15844 - 105362

August 16, 1999

Prepared For:

Kemlite Company 23525 W. Eames Street Channahan, IL 60410, U.S.A.





#### ABSTRACT

Test Material:

Glasbord 090 PWI

Test Standard:

ASTM E84-98 Standard Test Method for SURFACE

BURNING CHARACTERISTICS OF BUILDING MATERIALS (ANSI 2.5, NFPA 255, UBC 8-1, UL 723)

Test Date:

August 11, 1999

Test Sponsor:

**Kemlite Company** 

Test Results:

FLAME SPREAD INDEX

= 150

SMOKE DEVELOPED INDEX

250

The description of the test procedure and specimen evaluated, as well as the observations and results obtained, contained herein are true and accurate within the limits of sound engineering practice. These results are valid only for the specimen(s) tested and may not represent the performance of other specimens from the same or other production lots.

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The test specimen identification is as provided by the client and Omega

Point Laboratories accepts no responsibility for any inaccuracies therein.

Guy A. Haby

Fire Test Technologist

Date: August 16, 1999

William E. Fitch, P.E. No. 55296

**Executive Vice President** 

Date: August 16, 1999



#### I. INTRODUCTION

This report describes the results of the ASTM E84-98 Standard Test Method for SURFACE BURNING CHARACTERISTICS OF BUILDING MATERIALS (1), a method for determining the comparative surface burning behavior of building materials. This test is applicable to exposed surfaces, such as ceilings or walls, provided that the material or assembly of materials, by its own structural quality or the manner in which it is tested and intended for use, is capable of supporting itself in position or being supported during the test period.

The purpose of the method is to determine the relative burning behavior of the material by observing the flame spread along the specimen. Flame spread and smoke density developed are reported, however, there is not necessarily a relationship between these two measurements.

"The use of supporting materials on the underside of the test specimen may lower the flame spread index from that which might be obtained if the specimen could be tested without such support... This method may not be appropriate for obtaining comparative surface burning behavior of some cellular plastic materials... 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 testing materials that remain in place."

This test method is also published under the following designations:

ANSI 2.5 NFPA 255 UBC 8-1 (42-1) UL 723

This standard should be used to measure and describe the properties of materials, products, or assemblies in response to heat and flame under controlled laboratory conditions and should not be used to describe or appraise the fire hazard or fire risk of materials, products, or assemblies under actual fire conditions. However, results of this test may be used as elements of a fire risk assessment which takes into account all of the factors which are pertinent to an assessment of the fire hazard of a particular end use.

<sup>(1)</sup> American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM), Committee E-5 on Fire Standards

#### II. PURPOSE

The ASTM E84-98 (25 foot tunnel) test method is intended to compare the surface flame spread and smoke developed measurements to those obtained from tests of mineral fiber cement board and select grade red oak flooring. The test specimen surface (18 inches wide and 24 feet long) is exposed to a flaming fire exposure during the 10 minute test duration, while flame spread over its surface and density of the resulting smoke are measured and recorded. Test results are presented as the computed comparisons to the standard calibration materials.

The furnace is considered under calibration when a 10 minute test of red oak decking will pass flame out the end of the tunnel in five minutes, 30 seconds, plus or minus 15 seconds. Mineral fiber cement board forms the zero point for both flame spread and smoke developed indexes, while the red oak flooring smoke developed index is set as 100.

#### III. DESCRIPTION OF TEST SPECIMENS

Specimen Identification: Glasbord 090 PWI

Date Received: 8/6/99

Date Prepared: August 6, 1999

Conditioning (73°F & 50% R.H.): 5 days

Specimen Width (in): 24

Specimen Length (ft): 24

Specimen Thickness: 0.085 in.

Material Weight:

N/A oz./sq. yd.

Total Specimen Weight: 31.

31,97 lbs.

Adhesive or coating application rate:

N/A

#### **Mounting Method:**

The specimen was self-supporting and was placed directly on the inner ledges on the tunnel.

#### Specimen Description:

The specimen was described by the client as the "Glasbord 090 PWI". The specimen consisted of (6) 24 in. wide x 48 in. long sections of white "Glasbord".



#### IV. TEST RESULTS

The test results, computed on the basis of observed flame front advance and electronic smoke density measurements are presented in the following table. In recognition of possible variations and limitations of the test method, the results are computed to the nearest number divisible by five, as outlined in the test method.

While no longer a part of this standard test method, the Fuel Contributed Value has been computed, and may be found on the computer printout sheet in the Appendix.

Test Specimen	Flame Spread Index	Smoke Developed Index	
Mineral Fiber Cement Board	0	0	
Red Oak Flooring	n/a	100	
Glasbord 090 PWI	150	250	

The data sheets are included in the Appendix. These sheets are actual print-outs of the computerized data system which monitors the ASTM E84 apparatus, and contain all calibration and specimen data needed to calculate the test results.

#### V. OBSERVATIONS

During the test, the specimen was observed to behave in the following manner: The specimen began to discolor at 0:30 (min:sec). Transient ignition began at 0:42 and steady ignition began at 1:01. All flame on the specimen ceased at 7:15. The test continued for the 10:00 duration.

After the test, the specimen was observed to be damaged in the following manner: The specimen was flame bleached from 0 ft. - 4 ft. The specimen had a heavy black discoloration from 4 ft. - 24 ft.



#### **APPENDIX**

DATA SHEETS



#### **ASTM E84 DATASHEETS**

Client: KEMLITE Date: 8/11/99 Time: 1:38 PM

Test Number: 3

Project Number: 15844-105362

Operator: CH/ES

Specimen ID: GLASBORD 090 PWI

THERE WERE SIX 4 FT. LONG X 2 FT. WIDE SECTIONS THAT WERE PLACED

INTO THE TUNNEL FURNACE FOR TESTING

THE TEXTURED SIDE OF THE SPECIMEN WAS FACING THE TUNNEL

FURNACE FLOOR DURING THE TEST

#### **TEST RESULTS**

FLAMESPREAD INDEX: 150

SMOKE DEVELOPED INDEX: 250

#### SPECIMEN DATA . . .

Time to Ignition (sec): 61

Time to Max FS (sec): 142

Maximum FS (feet): 19.5

Time to 980 °F (sec): 191

Max Temperature (°F): 1204

Time to Max Temperature (sec): 271

Total Fuel Burned (cubic feet): 45.30

FS\*Time Area (ft\*min): 162.1

Smoke Area (%A\*min): 265.1

Fuel Area (°F\*min): 7200.3

Fuel Contributed Value: 61

Unrounded FSI: 148.9

#### CALIBRATION DATA . . .

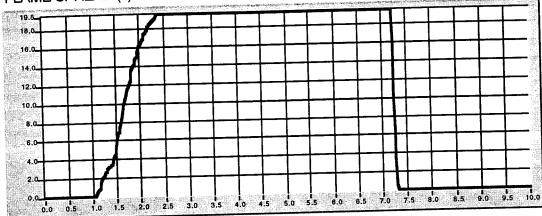
Time to Ignition of Last Red Oak (sec): 58

Red Oak Smoke Area (%A\*min): 101.56

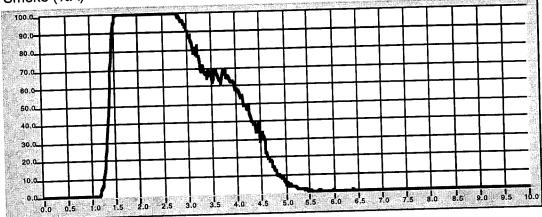
Red Oak Fuel Area (°F\*min): 8715

Glass Fiber Board Fuel Area (°F\*min): 4840

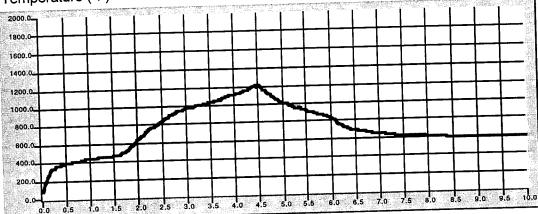




#### Smoke (%A)



#### Temperature (°F)



Time (min)

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CLIENT:

Crane Kemlite

23525 W. Eames Street Channahon, IL 60410

Attn.: Molly Dickerman

**Test Report No:** 

164736

Date:

January 14, 2002

SAMPLES SUBMITTED BY CLIENT AS: K020107-1 & 2

09 PIF MD & CMD

K020104-1 & 2

09 PWI MD & CMD

DATE OF RECEIPT:

January 10, 2002

**TESTING PERIOD:** 

January 14, 2002

**TEST REQUESTED:** 

**FMVSS 302** 

TEST RESULTS:

Please refer to page 2

CONCLUSION:

The submitted samples meet the requirement of the Department of Transportation Motor Vehicle Safety Standard 302 "Flammability of Interior

Materials".

PREPARED BY:

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TEST RESULTS

Flammability of Interior Materials

FMVSS 302-1992

Sample ID:

CLIENT:

K020107-1 & 2

Crane Kemlite

09 PIF MD & CMD

·	Burn Time *		Burn Distance		<u>Burn Rate</u>	
	(secs)		(in)		(in/min)	
	MD	CMD	MD	CMD	MD	CMD
	300.0	300.0	1.9	2.2	0.4	0.4
	300.0	300.0	2.2	1.5	0.4	0.3
	300.0	300.0	2.7	1.6	0.5	0.3
Sample ID:	K020104-1 & 2		09 PWI MD & CMD			
	300.0	300.0	3.0	2.4	0.6	0.5
	300.0	300.0	2.6	2.0	0.5	0.4
	300.0	300.0	2.9	2.6	0.6	0.5

<sup>\*</sup>The test was discontinued after 5 minutes.

Requirements : The material shall not burn or transmit a flame front across its surface, at a rate of more than 4 inches per minute. However, if a material stops burning before it has burned for 60 seconds from the start of timing and has not burned more than 2 inches from the point where timing was started, it shall be considered to meet this requirement.

\*\*\*\*End of Report\*\*\*

#### ASTM E84-89a SURFACE BURNING CHARACTERISTICS

Glasbord 4 Ounce RE\*, .120' Thick

Report No. 9013 - 90180

March 13, 1990

Prepared For:

Crane/Kemlite Company P.O. Box 3849 Joliet, IL 60434



#### ABSTRACT

TEST MATERIAL: Glasbord 4 Ounce RE\*, .120' Thick

TEST METHOD:

ASTM E84-89a Standard Test Method for SURFACE

BURNING CHARACTERISTICS OF BUILDING

MATERIALS (NFPA 255, UL 723, UBC 42-1)

TEST DATE:

March 13, 1990

TEST FOR:

Crane/Kemlite Company

TEST RESULT:

FLAME SPREAD INDEX

145

SMOKE DEVELOPED INDEX = 345

The description of the test procedure and specimen evaluated, as well as the observations and results obtained, contained herein are true and accurate within the limits of sound engineering practice.

idavis M. Crouse

Date: March 13, 1990

David M. Crouse

Manager, Listing Services



#### I. INTRODUCTION

This report describes the results of the ASTM E84-89a Standard Test Method for SURFACE BURNING CHARACTERISTICS OF BUILDING MATERIALS 1, a method for determining the comparative surface burning behavior of building materials. This test is applicable to exposed surfaces, such as ceilings or walls, provided that the material or assembly of materials, by its own structural quality or the manner in which it is tested and intended for use, is capable of supporting itself in position or being supported during the test period.

The purpose of the method is to determine the relative burning behavior of the material by observing the flame spread along the specimen. Flame spread and smoke density developed are reported, however, there is not necessarily a relationship between these two measurements.

"The use of supporting materials on the underside of the test specimen may lower the flame spread index from that which might be obtained if the specimen could be tested without such support... This method may not be appropriate for obtaining comparative surface burning behavior of some cellular plastic materials... 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 testing materials that remain in place."

This test method is also published under the following designations:

ANSI 2.5 NFPA 255 UBC 42-1 UL 723

This standard should be used to measure and describe the properties of materials, products, or assemblies in response to heat and flame under controlled laboratory conditions and should not be used to describe or appraise the fire hazard or fire risk of materials, products, or assemblies under actual fire conditions. However, results of this test may be used as elements of a fire risk assessment which takes into account all of the factors which are pertinent to an assessment of the fire hazard of a particular end use.

American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM), Committee E-5 on Fire Standards



#### IL PURPOSE

The ASTM E84-89a (25 foot tunnel) test method is intended to compare the surface flame spread and smoke developed measurements to those obtained from tests of mineral fiber cement board and select grade red oak flooring. The test specimen surface (18 inches wide and 24 feet long) is exposed to a flaming fire exposure (adjusted to cause a 25 foot spread of flame along a red oak calibration specimen in 5.5 minutes) during the 10 minute test duration, while flame spread over its surface and density of the resulting smoke are measured and recorded. Test results are presented as the computed comparisons to the standard calibration materials. The mineral fiber cement board forms the zero point, while the red oak flooring is set as 100 for smoke measurements. The furnace conditions are considered under calibration when a 10 minute test of red oak decking will pass flame out the end of the tunnel in five minutes, 30 seconds, plus or minus 15 seconds. Thus, with a relative zero established by the non-combustible cement board, all test specimens are compared to select grade red oak flooring, and the results expressed as Flame Spread Index and Smoke Developed Index.

#### III. DESCRIPTION OF TEST SPECIMENS

Specimen Identification: Glasbord 4 Ounce RE\*, .120" Thick

Project Number: 90180
Date Received: 3/13/90
Date Prepared: 3/13/90
Date Tested: 3/13/90
Conditioning (73°F & 50% R.H.): 0 days
Specimen Width (in): 24
Specimen Length (ft): 24
Specimen Thickness: .10"
Entire Specimen Weight: n/a
Application Rate: n/a

#### Mounting Method:

Panels were placed directly on the tunnel ledges for testing.

#### Specimen Description:

Specimens consisted of thin, fairly rigid plastic panels, and were described as Glasbord 4 Ounce RE\*, .120" Thick.



#### IV. TEST RESULTS

The test results, computed on the basis of observed flame front advance and electronic smoke density measurements are presented in the following table. In recognition of possible variations and limitations of the test method, the results are computed to the nearest number divisible by five, as outlined in the test method.

While no longer a part of this standard test method, the Fuel Contributed Value has been computed, and may be found on the computer printout sheet in the Appendix.

TEST SPECIMEN	FLAME SPREAD INDEX	SMOKE DEVELOPED INDEX
Mineral Fiber/Cement Board	0	0
Red Oak Flooring	n/a	100
Glasbord 4 Ounce RE*, .120"Thick	145	345

The data sheets are included in Appendix. These sheets are actual printouts of the computerized data system which monitors the ASTM E84 furnace, and contain all calibration and specimen data needed to calculate the test results.

#### V. OBSERVATIONS

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Steady ignition occurred on the face of the first panel at 1:00 min:sec. Maximum flame spread of 19.5 feet occurred at 2:29 min:sec. At the end of the test the sample was observed to be discolored to 24'. It was completely charred to 6', with moderate char to 14' 4".



### **APPENDIX**

ASTM E84
DATA SHEETS



#### ASTM E84

#### DATA SHEET

Client:

Crane-Kemlite

Date:

14:50:41 03-13-1990

Test Number:

Project Number:

9013-90180

Operator:

DH/KH

Material ID:

4 oz. RE\* K-900302-1 GLASBORD 4oz RE\* (.120" Thickness)

6 @ 24"x48"x.10" Gray panels

TEST RESULTS:

FLAMESPREAD INDEX = 145

SMOKE DEVELOPED INDEX . = 345

SPECIMEN DATA . . .

Time to Ignition = 01:00 (Min:Sec)

Time to Max FS = 02:29 (Min:Sec)

Maximum FS = 19.5 (Feet)

Time To 980 F = 03:50 (Min:Sec)

= 1142 (dag F) Max Temp

= 06:01 (Min:Sec) Time To Max Temp

= 46.97 (cubic feet) Total Fuel Burned

FS\*Time Area = 161.1 (Ft\*Min)

Smoke Area = 392.3 (%T\*Min)

Fuel Area = 7296.0 (F\*Min)

Unrounded FSI = 144.57

CALIBRATION DATA . . .

Time to Ignition of Last Red Oak = 00:48 (Min:Sec)

Red Oak Smoke Area = 114.30 (%T\*Min)

= `8536 (F\*Min) Red Oak Fuel Area

Slass Fiber Board Fuel Area = 4618 (F\*Min)





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**REPORT NUMBER: 117144** DATE: February 8, 1996

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**CLIENT:** 

Kemlite Company Inc.

P.O. Box 2429

Joliet, Illinois 60434

SUBJECT:

Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials

AUTHORIZATION:

Kemlite Company, Inc., Purchase Order Number 11797 dated

January 12, 1996.

SAMPLE ID:

One (1) sample of a suspended ceiling grid system was submitted and

identified by the Client as: Kemlite Sanigrid<sup>R</sup> Tee Sample.

TEST PROCEDURE: The submitted sample was tested for Flammability in accordance with

the procedures outlined in ASTM E-84-94.

**TEST DATES:** 

February 8, 1996, Sample Received January 19, 1996.

**RESULTS:** 

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PREPARED BY:

SIGNED FOR THE COMPANY BY:

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DATE: February 8, 1996

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**CLIENT:** 

Kemlite Company Inc.

#### INTRODUCTION:

This report presents test results of Flame Spread and Smoke Developed Values per ASTM E-84-94. The report also includes Material Identification, Method of Preparation, Mounting and Conditioning of the specimens.

The tests were performed in accordance with the specifications set forth in ASTM E-84-94, "Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials", both as to equipment and test procedure. This test procedure is similar to UL-723, ANSI No. 2.5, NFPA No. 255 and UBC 42-1.

The test results cover two parameters: Flame Spread and Smoke Developed Values during a 10-minute fire exposure. Inorganic cement board and red oak flooring are used as comparative standards and their responses are assigned arbitrary values of 0 and 100, respectively.

#### PREPARATION AND CONDITIONING:

Main runner tees were placed 14 inches apart and butted to produce two (2) 24 foot long rails, with a cross tee every four (4) feet. The material was placed over a 2-inch galvanized hexagonal wire mesh supported by steel rods spanning the width of the tunnel. The tee dimensions were approximately 1" wide x = 1/4" deep x = 1/8" thick.

The sample was conditioned at 73°  $\pm$  5° Fahrenheit and 50  $\pm$  5% relative humidity.

#### **TEST PROCEDURE:**

The tunnel was thoroughly pre-heated by burning natural gas. When the brick temperature, sensed by a floor thermocouple, had reached the prescribed 105° Fahrenheit  $\pm$  5° Fahrenheit level, the sample was inserted in the tunnel and test conducted in accordance with the standard ASTM E-84-94 procedures.

The operation of the tunnel was checked by performing a 10-minute test with inorganic board on the day of the test.



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CLIENT: K

Kemlite Company Inc.

#### **TEST RESULTS:**

The test results, calculated in accordance with ASTM E-84-94 for Flame Spread and Smoke Developed Values are as follows:

Test Specimen : Kemlite Sanigrid <sup>R</sup> Tee Sample

Flame Spread Index\* : 10 Smoke Developed Value\* : 55

#### **OBSERVATIONS:**

Ignition was noted at 1 minute along with charring of the specimen directly exposed to the flame. The flamefront advanced a maximum distance of 3 feet at 5 minutes, 30 seconds. Afterburn was evident upon test completion.

#### **RATING:**

The National Fire Protection Association Life Safety Code 101, Section 6-5.3, "Interior Wall and Ceiling Finish Classification", has a means of classifying materials with respect to Flame Spread and Smoke Developed when tested in accordance with NFPA 255, "Method of Test of Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials", (ASTM E-84).

The classifications are as follows:

Class A Interior Wall & Ceiling Finish: Flame Spread - 0-25; Smoke Developed - 0-450

Class B Interior Wall & Ceiling Finish: Flame Spread - 26-75; Smoke Developed - 0-450

Class C Interior Wall & Ceiling Finish: Flame Spread - 76-200;

Smoke Developed - 0-450

Since the sample received a Flame Spread of 10 and a Smoke Developed Value of 65, it would fall into the Class A Interior Wall & Ceiling Finish Category.

**End of Report** 

<sup>\*</sup>Graphs of the Flame Spread, Smoke Developed and Time-Temperature are shown in Figures 1, 2 and 3 at the end of this report.

# REPORT OF TEST

# United States Testing Company, Inc.

FLAME SPREAD

SAMPLE Sanigrid Tee Samples **RED OAK** 

117144 February 08,1996 TEST NO. TEST DATE C. Board -

Time (Minutes) 6 Flame Spread (Feet)

# REPORT OF TEST

# United States Testing Company, Inc.

# SMOKE DEVELOPED

SAMPLE Sanigrid Tee Samples RED OAK ---

TEST NO.
TEST DATE
I.C. Board --

117144 February 08, 1996

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Time (Minutes)

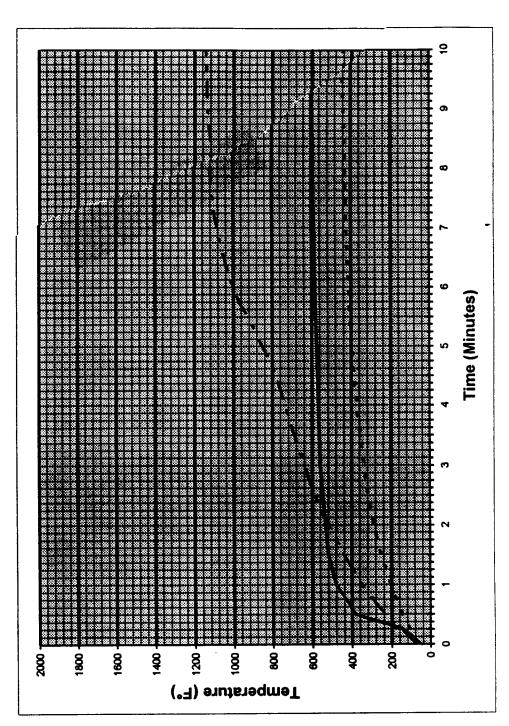
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# REPORT OF TEST

# United States Testing Company, Inc.

# TIME-TEMPERATURE CURVE OF EXPOSED THERMOCOUPLE

TEST NO. 117144	TEST DATE February 08,1996	I.C. Board
SAMPLE Sanigrid Tee Samples		RED OAK



## **CERTIFICATE**OF COMPLIANCE



### Crane Composites, Inc.

VARIETEX® beaded | Innovative Textured and Colored Wall Panels

16349-410

Certificate Number

04/29/2011 - 04/28/2021

Certificate Period

Certified

Status

UL 2818 - 2013 Standard for Chemical Emissions for Building Materials, Finishes and Furnishings

Wall finishes are determined compliant using an Office Environment with an air change of 0.68 hr<sup>-1</sup> and a loading of 33.40 m<sup>2</sup>.

Products tested in accordance with UL 2821 test method to show compliance to emission limits in UL 2818, Section 7.1.



#### **GREENGUARD Certification Criteria for Building Products and Interior Finishes**

Criteria	CAS Number	Maximum Allowable Predicted Concentration	Units
$TVOC_{(A)}$	-	0.50	mg/m³
Formaldehyde	50-00-0	61.3 (50 ppb)	μg/m³
Total Aldehydes (B)	-	0.10	ppm
Particle Matter less than 10 μm (C)	-	50	μg/m³
4-Phenylcyclohexene	4994-16-5	6.5	μg/m³
Individual VOCs (D)	-	1/10th TLV	-

- (A) Defined to be the total response of measured VOCs falling within the C<sub>6</sub> C<sub>16</sub> range, with responses calibrated to a toluene surrogate.

  Maximum allowable predicted TVOC concentrations for GREENGUARD (0.50 mg/m³) fall in the range of 0.5 mg/m³ or less, as specified in CDPH Standard Method v1.1.
- (B) The sum of all measured normal aldehydes from formaldehyde through nonanal, plus benzaldehyde, individually calibrated to a compound specific standard. Heptanal through nonanal are measured via TD/GC/MS analysis and the remaining aldehydes are measured using HPLC/UV analysis.
- (C) Particle emission requirement only applicable to HVAC Duct Products with exposed surface area in air streams (a forced air test with specific test method) and for wood finishing (sanding) systems.
- (D) Allowable levels for chemicals not listed are derived from 1/10th of the Threshold Limit Value (TLV) industrial work place standard (Reference: American Conference of Government Industrial Hygienists, 6500 Glenway, Building D-7, and Cincinnati, OH 45211-4438).



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Certificate Period

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Status

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## **CERTIFICATE**OF COMPLIANCE



### Crane Composites, Inc.

VARIETEX® sandstone | Innovative Textured and Colored Wall Panels

16364-420

Certificate Number

01/12/2016 - 04/28/2021

Certificate Period

Certified

Status

UL 2818 - 2013 Gold Standard for Chemical Emissions for Building Materials, Finishes and Furnishings

Wall finishes are determined compliant in accordance with California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Standard Method V1.2-2017 using a Classroom Environment with an air change of o.82 hr<sup>-1</sup> and a loading of 94.60 m<sup>2</sup>. ; and Wall finishes are determined compliant in accordance with California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Standard Method V1.2-2017 using an Office Environment with an air change of o.68 hr<sup>-1</sup> and a loading of 33.40 m<sup>2</sup>.

Product tested in accordance with UL 2821 test method to show compliance to emission limits on UL 2818. Section 7.1 and 7.2.



#### **GREENGUARD Gold Certification Criteria for Building Products and Interior Finishes**

Criteria	CAS Number	Maximum Allowable Predicted Concentration	Units
TVOC (A)	-	0.22	mg/m³
Formaldehyde	50-00-0	9 (7.3 ppb)	μg/m³
Total Aldehydes (B)	-	0.043	ppm
4-Phenylcyclohexene	4994-16-5	6.5	μg/m³
Particle Matter less than 10 µm (C)	-	20	μg/m³
1-Methyl-2-pyrrolidinone (D)	872-50-4	160	μg/m³
Individual VOCs (E)	-	1/2 CREL or 1/100th TLV	-

<sup>(</sup>A) Defined to be the total response of measured VOCs falling within the C<sub>6</sub> – C<sub>16</sub> range, with responses calibrated to a toluene surrogate. Maximum allowable predicted TVOC concentrations for GREENGUARD Gold (0.22 mg/m³) fall in the range of 0.5 mg/m³ or less, as specified in CDPH Standard Method v1.2.



<sup>(</sup>B) The sum of all measured normal aldehydes from formaldehyde through nonanal, plus benzaldehyde, individually calibrated to a compound specific standard. Heptanal through nonanal are measured via TD/GC/MS analysis and the remaining aldehydes are measured using HPLC/UV analysis.

<sup>(</sup>C) Particle emission requirement only applicable to HVAC Duct Products with exposed surface area in air streams (a forced air test with specific test method) and for wood finishing (sanding) systems.

<sup>(</sup>D) Based on the CA Prop 65 Maximum Allowable Dose Level for inhalation of 3,200 μg/day and an inhalation rate of 20 m³/day

<sup>(</sup>E) Allowable levels for chemicals not listed are derived from the lower of 1/2 the California Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment (OEHHA) Chronic Reference Exposure Level (CREL) as required per the CDPH/EHLB/Standard Method v1.2 and BIFMA level credit 7.6.2 and 1/100th of the Threshold Limit Value (TLV) industrial work place standard (Reference: American Conference of Government Industrial Hygienists, 6500 Glenway, Building D-7, and Cincinnati, OH 45211-4438).

## **CERTIFICATE**OF COMPLIANCE



### Crane Composites, Inc.

VARIETEX® tile-look | Innovative Textured and Colored Wall Panels

16352-420

Certificate Number

01/12/2016 - 04/28/2021

Certificate Period

Certified

Status

UL 2818 - 2013 Gold Standard for Chemical Emissions for Building Materials, Finishes and Furnishings

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#### **ASTM E84-04**

#### SURFACE BURNING CHARACTERISTICS OF BUILDING MATERIALS

Report No. 16888 - 123812

0.090" Matrex / Varietex

February 22, 2005

Prepared for: Kemlite Florence 8015 Dixon Drive Florence, KY 41042



#### **ABSTRACT**

Test Specimen: 0.090" Matrex / Varietex

Test Standard:

**ASTM E84-04** 

Test Date:

February 15, 2005

Test Sponsor:

Kemlite Florence

Test Results:

FLAME SPREAD INDEX

SMOKE DEVELOPED INDEX = 350

123812

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#### **I INTRODUCTION**

This report describes the results of the ASTM E84-04 Standard Test Method for SURFACE BURNING CHARACTERISTICS OF BUILDING MATERIALS, a method for determining the comparative surface burning behavior of building materials. This test is applicable to exposed surfaces, such as ceilings or walls, provided that the material or assembly of materials, by its own structural quality or the manner in which it is tested and intended for use, is capable of supporting itself in position or being supported during the test period.

The purpose of the method is to determine the relative burning behavior of the material by observing the flame spread along the specimen. Flame spread and smoke density developed are reported, however, there is not necessarily a relationship between these two measurements.

"The use of supporting materials on the underside of the test specimen may lower the flame spread index from that which might be obtained if the specimen could be tested without such support... This method may not be appropriate for obtaining comparative surface burning behavior of some cellular plastic materials... 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 testing materials that remain in place."

This test method is also published under the following designations:

ANSI 2.5 NFPA 255 UBC 8-1 (42-1) UL 723

This standard should be used to measure and describe the properties of materials, products, or assemblies in response to heat and flame under controlled laboratory conditions and should not be used to describe or appraise the fire hazard or fire risk of materials, products, or assemblies under actual fire conditions. However, results of this test may be used as elements of a fire risk assessment which takes into account all of the factors which are pertinent to an assessment of the fire hazard of a particular end use.



#### II PURPOSE

The ASTM E84-04 (25 foot tunnel) test method is intended to compare the surface flame spread and smoke developed measurements to those obtained from tests of mineral fiber cement board and select grade red oak flooring. The test specimen sur-face (18 inches wide and 24 feet long) is exposed to a flaming fire exposure during the 10 minute test duration, while flame spread over its surface and den-sity of the resulting smoke are measured and recorded. Test results are presented as the computed comparisons to the standard calibration materials.

The furnace is considered under calibration when a 10 minute test of red oak decking will pass flame out the end of the tunnel in five minutes, 30 seconds, plus or minus 15 seconds. Mineral fiber cement board forms the zero point for both flame spread and smoke developed indexes, while the red oak flooring smoke developed index is set as 100.

#### III DESCRIPTION OF TEST SPECIMEN

Specimen Identification: 0.090" Matrex / Varietex

Date Received: 2/8/2005

Date Prepared: 2/8/2005

Conditioning (73°F & 50% R.H.): 7 days

Specimen Width (in): 24 Specimen Length (ft): 24

Specimen Thickness: 0.087-in.

Material Weight: N/A oz./sq. yd

Total Specimen Weight: 34.00-lbs.

Adhesive or coating application rate: N/A

#### Mounting Method:

The specimen was self-supporting and was placed directly on the inner ledges of the tunnel.

#### Specimen Description:

The Test specimen was described by the client as the "0.090" Matrex / Varietex." The specimen consisted of (3) 8-ft. long x 24-in. wide x 0.087-in. thick, fiberglass reinforced plastic panels. The FRP panels were white in color. The specimen was identified by the client as "0.090 Matrex / Varietex".



#### IV TEST RESULTS

The test results, computed on the basis of observed flame front advance and electronic smoke density measurements are presented in the following table. In recognition of possible variations and limitations of the test method, the results are computed to the nearest number divisible by five, as outlined in the test method.

While no longer a part of this standard test method, the Fuel Contributed Value has been computed, and may be found on the computer printout sheet in the Appendix.

Test Specimen	Flame Spread Index	Smoke Developed Index
	madi	Severopeu muex
Mineral Fiber Cement Board	0	0
Red Oak Flooring	100	100
0.090" Matrex / Varietex	135	350

The data sheets are included in the Appendix. These sheets are actual print-outs of the computerized data system which monitors the ASTM E84-04 apparatus, and contain all calibration and specimen data needed to calculate the test results.

#### **V OBSERVATIONS**

During the test, the specimen was observed to behave in the following manner: The fiberglass reinforced plastic panels ignited at 0:58 (min:sec.). The flames passed out the end of the apparatus at 3:16 (min:sec.). The test continued for the 10:00 duration.

After the test the specimen was observed to be damaged as follows: The resin was consumed from 0-ft. - 24-ft. The fiberglass was charred from 0-ft. - 24-ft.



### **APPENDIX**

ASTM E84-04 Data Sheets



#### **ASTM E84 DATASHEETS**

Client: KEMLITE FLORENCE

Date: 2/15/05 Time: 09:30 AM

Test Number: 1

Project Number: 16888-123812

Operator: EH/TA

Specimen ID: " 0.090" MATREX / VARIETEX, 0.090" MATREX / VARIETEX." THE SPECIMEN

WAS SELF-SUPPORTING.

#### **TEST RESULTS**

FLAMESPREAD INDEX: 135

SMOKE DEVELOPED INDEX: 350

#### SPECIMEN DATA ....

Time to Ignition (sec): 58

Time to Max FS (sec): 185

Maximum FS (feet): 19.5

Time to 980 °F (sec): 197

Max Temperature (°F): 1102

Time to Max Temperature (sec): 351

Total Fuel Burned (cubic feet): 51.39

FS\*Time Area (ft\*min): 159.2

Smoke Area (%A\*min): 349.3

Fuel Area (°F\*min): 7638.4

Fuel Contributed Value: 70

Unrounded FSI: 136.7

#### CALIBRATION DATA . . .

Time to Ignition of Last Red Oak (sec): 3

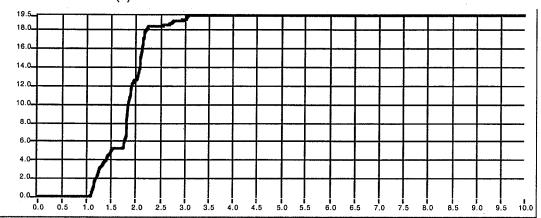
Red Oak Smoke Area (%A\*min): 96.00

Red Oak Fuel Area (°F\*min):

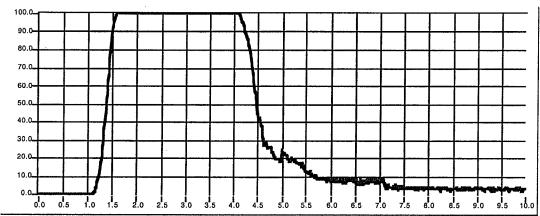
: 8587 : 5396

Glass Fiber Board Fuel Area (°F\*min):

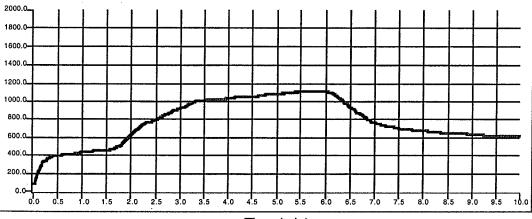
#### FLAME SPREAD (ft)



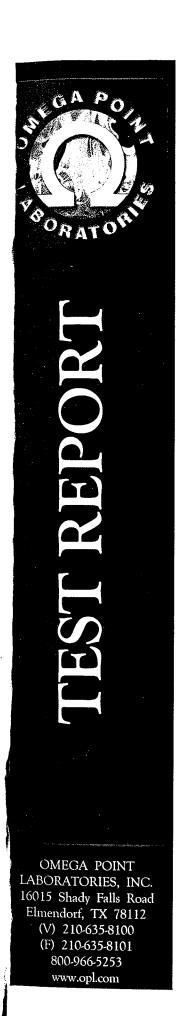
#### Smoke (%A)



#### Temperature (°F)



Time (min)



#### **ASTM E84-03**

## SURFACE BURNING CHARACTERISTICS

Report No. 16888 - 122552

0.090" Class "A" Varietex

December 9, 2004

Prepared for: Kemlite Florence 8015 Dixon Drive Florence, KY 41042



#### ABSTRACT

Test Specimen: 0.090" Class "A" Varietex

Test Standard:

**ASTM E84-03** 

Test Date:

November 29, 2004

Test Sponsor:

Kemlite Florence

Test Results:

FLAME SPREAD INDEX

SMOKE DEVELOPED INDEX = 450

122552

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December 9, 2004



#### **I INTRODUCTION**

This report describes the results of the ASTM E84-03 Standard Test Method for SURFACE BURNING CHARACTERISTICS OF BUILDING MATERIALS, a method for determining the comparative surface burning behavior of building materials. This test is applicable to exposed surfaces, such as ceilings or walls, provided that the material or assembly of materials, by its own structural quality or the manner in which it is tested and intended for use, is capable of supporting itself in position or being supported during the test period.

The purpose of the method is to determine the relative burning behavior of the material by observing the flame spread along the specimen. Flame spread and smoke density developed are reported, however, there is not necessarily a relationship between these two measurements.

"The use of supporting materials on the underside of the test specimen may lower the flame spread index from that which might be obtained if the specimen could be tested without such support... This method may not be appropriate for obtaining comparative surface burning behavior of some cellular plastic materials... 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 testing materials that remain in place."

This test method is also published under the following designations:

ANSI 2.5 NFPA 255 UBC 8-1 (42-1) UL 723

This standard should be used to measure and describe the properties of materials, products, or assemblies in response to heat and flame under controlled laboratory conditions and should not be used to describe or appraise the fire hazard or fire risk of materials, products, or assemblies under actual fire conditions. However, results of this test may be used as elements of a fire risk assessment which takes into account all of the factors which are pertinent to an assessment of the fire hazard of a particular end use.



#### **II PURPOSE**

The ASTM E84-03 (25 foot tunnel) test method is intended to compare the surface flame spread and smoke developed measurements to those obtained from tests of mineral fiber cement board and select grade red oak flooring. The test specimen sur-face (18 inches wide and 24 feet long) is exposed to a flaming fire exposure during the 10 minute test duration, while flame spread over its surface and den-sity of the resulting smoke are measured and recorded. Test results are presented as the computed comparisons to the standard calibration materials.

The furnace is considered under calibration when a 10 minute test of red oak decking will pass flame out the end of the tunnel in five minutes, 30 seconds, plus or minus 15 seconds. Mineral fiber cement board forms the zero point for both flame spread and smoke developed indexes, while the red oak flooring smoke developed index is set as 100.

#### III DESCRIPTION OF TEST SPECIMEN

Specimen Identification:

0.090" Class "A" Varietex

Date Received:

11/10/2004

Date Prepared:

11/10/2004

Conditioning (73°F & 50% R.H.):

19 days

Specimen Width (in):

24

Specimen Length (ft):

24

Specimen Thickness:

0.0865-in.

Material Weight:

N/A oz./sq. yd

Total Specimen Weight:

37.60-lbs.

Adhesive or coating application rate:

N/A

#### Mounting Method:

The specimen was self-supporting and was placed directly on the inner ledges of the tunnel.

#### Specimen Description:

The Test specimen was described by the client as the "0.090" Class "A" Varietex." The specimen consisted of (3) 8-ft. long x 24-in. wide x 0.0865-in. thick, fiberglass reinforced plastic panels. The specimen was white in color. The specimen was identified by the client as "0.090 Class A Varietex".



#### IV TEST RESULTS

The test results, computed on the basis of observed flame front advance and electronic smoke density measurements are presented in the following table. In recognition of possible variations and limitations of the test method, the results are computed to the nearest number divisible by five, as outlined in the test method.

While no longer a part of this standard test method, the Fuel Contributed Value has been computed, and may be found on the computer printout sheet in the Appendix.

	Flame Spread	Smoke
Test Specimen	Index	Developed Index
Mineral Fiber Cement Board	0	0
Red Oak Flooring	100	100
0.090" Class "A" Varietex	25	450

The data sheets are included in the Appendix. These sheets are actual print-outs of the computerized data system which monitors the ASTM E84 apparatus, and contain all calibration and specimen data needed to calculate the test results.

#### **V OBSERVATIONS**

During the test, the specimen was observed to behave in the following manner: The specimen ignited at 0:38 (min:sec.). The test continued for the 10:00 duration.

After the test the specimen was observed to be damaged as follows: The fiberglass resin was consumed from 0-ft. - 24-ft. The fiberglass reinforced plastic panels were charred from 0-ft. - 9-ft. Black discoloration was observed to the specimen from 10-ft. - 24-ft.



### **APPENDIX**

E84 Data Sheets



#### **ASTM E84 DATASHEETS**

Client: KEMLITE (FLORENCE)

Date: 11/29/04 Time: 05:11 PM

Test Number: 6

Project Number: 16888-122552

Operator: EH/TA

Specimen ID: "0.090" CLASS A VARIETEX, 0.090" CLASS A VARIETEX". THE SPECIMEN WAS

SELF-SUPPORTING.

#### **TEST RESULTS**

FLAMESPREAD INDEX: 25

SMOKE DEVELOPED INDEX: 450

#### SPECIMEN DATA ...

Time to Ignition (sec): 38

Time to Max FS (sec): 202

Maximum FS (feet): 5.1

Time to 980 °F (sec): Never Reached

Max Temperature (°F): 554

Time to Max Temperature (sec): 414

Total Fuel Burned (cubic feet): 51.54

FS\*Time Area (ft\*min): 45.9

Smoke Area (%A\*min): 437.7

Fuel Area (°F\*min): 4937.2

Fuel Contributed Value: 0

Unrounded FSI: 23.6

#### CALIBRATION DATA . . .

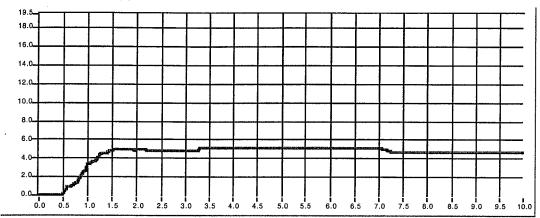
Time to Ignition of Last Red Oak (sec): 38

Red Oak Smoke Area (%A\*min): 96.00

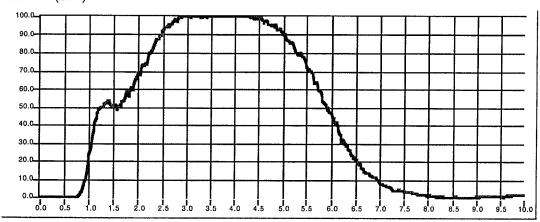
Red Oak Fuel Area (°F\*min): 8587

Glass Fiber Board Fuel Area (°F\*min): 5396

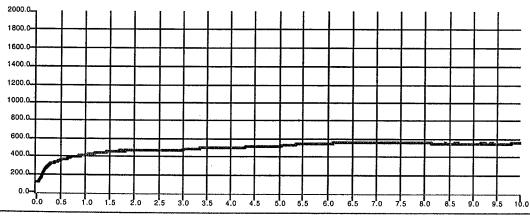




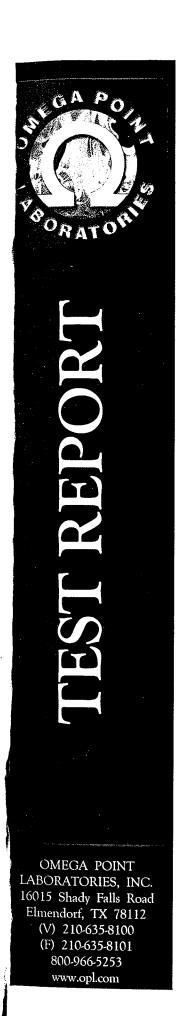
#### Smoke (%A)



#### Temperature (°F)



Time (min)



## **ASTM E84-03**

# SURFACE BURNING CHARACTERISTICS

Report No. 16888 - 122552

0.090" Class "A" Varietex

December 9, 2004

Prepared for: Kemlite Florence 8015 Dixon Drive Florence, KY 41042



#### ABSTRACT

Test Specimen: 0.090" Class "A" Varietex

Test Standard:

**ASTM E84-03** 

Test Date:

November 29, 2004

Test Sponsor:

Kemlite Florence

Test Results:

FLAME SPREAD INDEX

SMOKE DEVELOPED INDEX = 450

122552

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E84 Operator

Reviewed and approved:

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December 9, 2004



#### **I INTRODUCTION**

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#### **II PURPOSE**

The ASTM E84-03 (25 foot tunnel) test method is intended to compare the surface flame spread and smoke developed measurements to those obtained from tests of mineral fiber cement board and select grade red oak flooring. The test specimen sur-face (18 inches wide and 24 feet long) is exposed to a flaming fire exposure during the 10 minute test duration, while flame spread over its surface and den-sity of the resulting smoke are measured and recorded. Test results are presented as the computed comparisons to the standard calibration materials.

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Date Received:

11/10/2004

Date Prepared:

11/10/2004

Conditioning (73°F & 50% R.H.):

19 days

Specimen Width (in):

24

Specimen Length (ft):

24

Specimen Thickness:

0.0865-in.

Material Weight:

N/A oz./sq. yd

Total Specimen Weight:

37.60-lbs.

Adhesive or coating application rate:

N/A

#### Mounting Method:

The specimen was self-supporting and was placed directly on the inner ledges of the tunnel.

#### Specimen Description:

The Test specimen was described by the client as the "0.090" Class "A" Varietex." The specimen consisted of (3) 8-ft. long x 24-in. wide x 0.0865-in. thick, fiberglass reinforced plastic panels. The specimen was white in color. The specimen was identified by the client as "0.090 Class A Varietex".



#### IV TEST RESULTS

The test results, computed on the basis of observed flame front advance and electronic smoke density measurements are presented in the following table. In recognition of possible variations and limitations of the test method, the results are computed to the nearest number divisible by five, as outlined in the test method.

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	Flame Spread	Smoke
Test Specimen	Index	Developed Index
Mineral Fiber Cement Board	0	0
Red Oak Flooring	100	100
0.090" Class "A" Varietex	25	450

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## **APPENDIX**

E84 Data Sheets



## **ASTM E84 DATASHEETS**

Client: KEMLITE (FLORENCE)

Date: 11/29/04 Time: 05:11 PM

Test Number: 6

Project Number: 16888-122552

Operator: EH/TA

Specimen ID: "0.090" CLASS A VARIETEX, 0.090" CLASS A VARIETEX". THE SPECIMEN WAS

SELF-SUPPORTING.

#### **TEST RESULTS**

FLAMESPREAD INDEX: 25

SMOKE DEVELOPED INDEX: 450

#### SPECIMEN DATA ...

Time to Ignition (sec): 38

Time to Max FS (sec): 202

Maximum FS (feet): 5.1

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Unrounded FSI: 23.6

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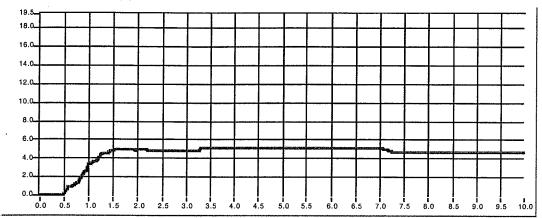
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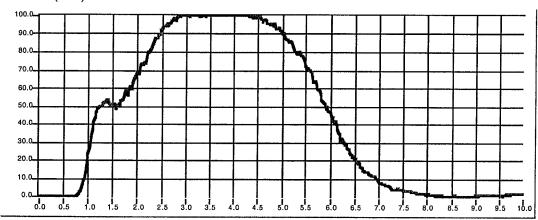
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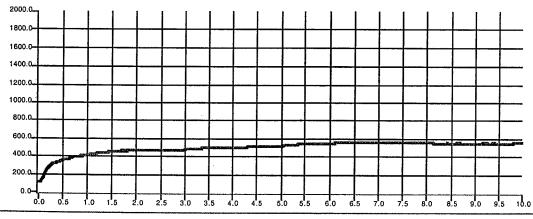




#### Smoke (%A)



## Temperature (°F)



Time (min)



## **ASTM E84-04**

## SURFACE BURNING CHARACTERISTICS OF BUILDING MATERIALS

Report No. 16888 - 123812

0.090" Matrex / Varietex

February 22, 2005

Prepared for: Kemlite Florence 8015 Dixon Drive Florence, KY 41042



#### **ABSTRACT**

Test Specimen: 0.090" Matrex / Varietex

Test Standard:

**ASTM E84-04** 

Test Date:

February 15, 2005

Test Sponsor:

Kemlite Florence

Test Results:

FLAME SPREAD INDEX

SMOKE DEVELOPED INDEX = 350

123812

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Eric G. Hutchinson

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Reviewed and approved:

February 22, 2005

William E Fitch PE No. 55296

February 22, 2005



#### **I INTRODUCTION**

This report describes the results of the ASTM E84-04 Standard Test Method for SURFACE BURNING CHARACTERISTICS OF BUILDING MATERIALS, a method for determining the comparative surface burning behavior of building materials. This test is applicable to exposed surfaces, such as ceilings or walls, provided that the material or assembly of materials, by its own structural quality or the manner in which it is tested and intended for use, is capable of supporting itself in position or being supported during the test period.

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#### II PURPOSE

The ASTM E84-04 (25 foot tunnel) test method is intended to compare the surface flame spread and smoke developed measurements to those obtained from tests of mineral fiber cement board and select grade red oak flooring. The test specimen sur-face (18 inches wide and 24 feet long) is exposed to a flaming fire exposure during the 10 minute test duration, while flame spread over its surface and den-sity of the resulting smoke are measured and recorded. Test results are presented as the computed comparisons to the standard calibration materials.

The furnace is considered under calibration when a 10 minute test of red oak decking will pass flame out the end of the tunnel in five minutes, 30 seconds, plus or minus 15 seconds. Mineral fiber cement board forms the zero point for both flame spread and smoke developed indexes, while the red oak flooring smoke developed index is set as 100.

#### III DESCRIPTION OF TEST SPECIMEN

Specimen Identification: 0.090" Matrex / Varietex

Date Received: 2/8/2005

Date Prepared: 2/8/2005

Conditioning (73°F & 50% R.H.): 7 days

Specimen Width (in): 24 Specimen Length (ft): 24

Specimen Thickness: 0.087-in.

Material Weight: N/A oz./sq. yd

Total Specimen Weight: 34.00-lbs.

Adhesive or coating application rate: N/A

#### Mounting Method:

The specimen was self-supporting and was placed directly on the inner ledges of the tunnel.

#### Specimen Description:

The Test specimen was described by the client as the "0.090" Matrex / Varietex." The specimen consisted of (3) 8-ft. long x 24-in. wide x 0.087-in. thick, fiberglass reinforced plastic panels. The FRP panels were white in color. The specimen was identified by the client as "0.090 Matrex / Varietex".



#### IV TEST RESULTS

The test results, computed on the basis of observed flame front advance and electronic smoke density measurements are presented in the following table. In recognition of possible variations and limitations of the test method, the results are computed to the nearest number divisible by five, as outlined in the test method.

While no longer a part of this standard test method, the Fuel Contributed Value has been computed, and may be found on the computer printout sheet in the Appendix.

Test Specimen	Flame Spread Index	Smoke Developed Index
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Mineral Fiber Cement Board	0	0
Red Oak Flooring	100	100
0.090" Matrex / Varietex	135	350

The data sheets are included in the Appendix. These sheets are actual print-outs of the computerized data system which monitors the ASTM E84-04 apparatus, and contain all calibration and specimen data needed to calculate the test results.

#### **V OBSERVATIONS**

During the test, the specimen was observed to behave in the following manner: The fiberglass reinforced plastic panels ignited at 0:58 (min:sec.). The flames passed out the end of the apparatus at 3:16 (min:sec.). The test continued for the 10:00 duration.

After the test the specimen was observed to be damaged as follows: The resin was consumed from 0-ft. - 24-ft. The fiberglass was charred from 0-ft. - 24-ft.



## **APPENDIX**

ASTM E84-04 Data Sheets



## **ASTM E84 DATASHEETS**

Client: KEMLITE FLORENCE

Date: 2/15/05 Time: 09:30 AM

Test Number: 1

Project Number: 16888-123812

Operator: EH/TA

Specimen ID: " 0.090" MATREX / VARIETEX, 0.090" MATREX / VARIETEX." THE SPECIMEN

WAS SELF-SUPPORTING.

#### **TEST RESULTS**

FLAMESPREAD INDEX: 135

SMOKE DEVELOPED INDEX: 350

#### SPECIMEN DATA ....

Time to Ignition (sec): 58

Time to Max FS (sec): 185

Maximum FS (feet): 19.5

Time to 980 °F (sec): 197

Max Temperature (°F): 1102

Time to Max Temperature (sec): 351

Total Fuel Burned (cubic feet): 51.39

FS\*Time Area (ft\*min): 159.2

Smoke Area (%A\*min): 349.3

Fuel Area (°F\*min): 7638.4

Fuel Contributed Value: 70

Unrounded FSI: 136.7

## CALIBRATION DATA . . .

Time to Ignition of Last Red Oak (sec): 3

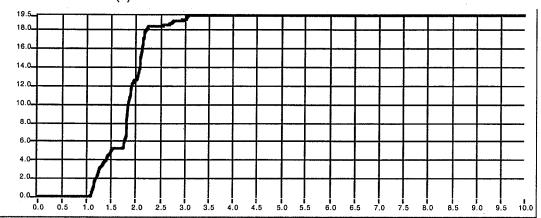
Red Oak Smoke Area (%A\*min): 96.00

Red Oak Fuel Area (°F\*min):

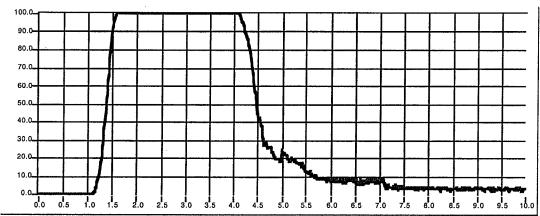
: 8587 : 5396

Glass Fiber Board Fuel Area (°F\*min):

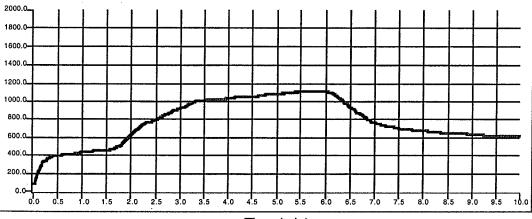
## FLAME SPREAD (ft)



## Smoke (%A)



## Temperature (°F)



Time (min)

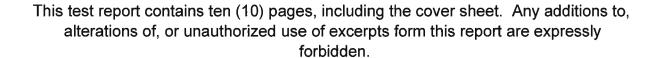


## Progressive Engineering Inc.

#### **CRANE COMPOSITES**

FMVSS and CMVSS 302 Flammability of Interior Materials Test

5/12/2014



2014-772

#### 1. TITLE

FMVSS and CMVSS 302 Flammability of Interior Materials Test

#### 2. OBJECTIVE

To test the interior finish materials of the motor vehicle per the safety standards mentioned in Section 6 of this report.

This test report pertains only to the specimens tested. It remains the sole responsibility of the manufacturer to provide a product consistent to that which was tested.

#### 3. TESTED FOR

Crane Composites 2424 E. Kercher Road Goshen, IN 46526

#### 4. TESTING ORGANIZATION

Progressive Engineering Inc.

58640 State Road 15 Goshen, IN 46528 www.p-e-l.com

See IAS Evaluation Report TL-178 for ISO 17025 Accreditation.

#### 5. TESTING PERSONNEL

Director of Testing - Jason R. Holdeman

Technician - Todd Miller

#### 6. REFERENCE STANDARDS

**Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) 302** - as stated in the Code of Regulations Title 49, Volume 5, Section S571.302 (10-1-12 Edition).

Canadian Motor Vehicle Safety Standards (CMVSS) Standard 302 - Date Modified: 2012-02-06

#### 7. TEST EQUIPMENT

- A. Pre-Conditioning Room
- B. Burn Chamber (PEI No. 269)
- C. Stop Watch

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#### 8. TEST SPECIMEN

See attached data pages for specimen descriptions.

#### 9. TEST SPECIMEN CONSTRUCTION

The test specimens were cut into a 4" x 14" x 1/2" thick (maximum) piece for testing. (Where ideal specimen size could not be attained, the closest matching specimen size was used or the actual shape of the finished product.)

#### 10. TEST SPECIMEN CONDITIONING

The test specimens were conditioned at 70 °F and 50% RH for a minimum of twenty-four (24) hours prior to testing.

#### 11. TEST PROCEDURE

- A. Test specimen is mounted in between matching "U" brackets.
- B. Test specimen is then placed in metal cabinet.
- C. Bunsen burner flame is then exposed to end of test sample for fifteen (15) seconds.
- D. The time required for the flame to travel from 1-1/2" in from the open end of the "U" bracket to 1-1/2" in from the closed end of the "U" bracket is measured and recorded.
- E. The rate of burn is then calculated and recorded.

#### 12. TEST RESULTS

See the attached data sheets for test results.

## Progressive Engineering Inc. **FMVSS & CMVSS 302 FLAMMABILITY TEST**

**Client:** Crane Composites

Sample STC 090 skin material with an average measured thickness of

Description: 0.086". Specimen details provided by Marcus Ulmer of Crane

Composites.

Samples

**Received on: 5/9/2014** 

#### **PRECONDITIONING**

	Date	Time	Temp.	Rel. Hum.
Start	5/9/2014	6:39	72deg.F.	52%
Stop	5/12/2014	1:05	72deg.F.	51%

#### **TEST DATA**

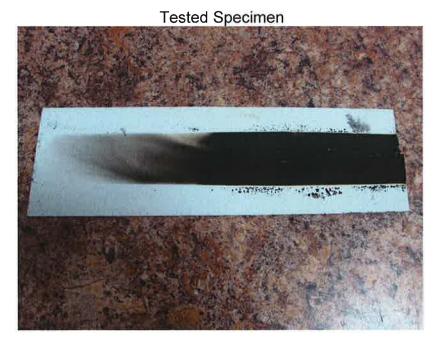
Date	Travel Time (s)	Travel Distance	Comments / Observations
5/12/2014	600.0 sec	4.8"	The specimen burned slowly producing lots of black smoke with no flaming drips.

#### **TEST RESULTS**

Based on the data above the following Burn Rate (Br) was obtained. Burn rate is defined as "Travel Distance" divided by the "Travel Time" (in minutes)

Burn Rate	Pass	Fail
0.48"/min	>	

A PASS is considered a Burn Rate (B<sub>r</sub>) of LESS than 4" per minute.



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PEI Report No. 2014-772



## **ASTM E84-04**

## SURFACE BURNING CHARACTERISTICS OF BUILDING MATERIALS

Report No. 16888 - 123812

0.090" Matrex / Varietex

February 22, 2005

Prepared for: Kemlite Florence 8015 Dixon Drive Florence, KY 41042



#### **ABSTRACT**

Test Specimen: 0.090" Matrex / Varietex

Test Standard:

**ASTM E84-04** 

Test Date:

February 15, 2005

Test Sponsor:

Kemlite Florence

Test Results:

FLAME SPREAD INDEX

SMOKE DEVELOPED INDEX = 350

123812

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February 22, 2005



#### **I INTRODUCTION**

This report describes the results of the ASTM E84-04 Standard Test Method for SURFACE BURNING CHARACTERISTICS OF BUILDING MATERIALS, a method for determining the comparative surface burning behavior of building materials. This test is applicable to exposed surfaces, such as ceilings or walls, provided that the material or assembly of materials, by its own structural quality or the manner in which it is tested and intended for use, is capable of supporting itself in position or being supported during the test period.

The purpose of the method is to determine the relative burning behavior of the material by observing the flame spread along the specimen. Flame spread and smoke density developed are reported, however, there is not necessarily a relationship between these two measurements.

"The use of supporting materials on the underside of the test specimen may lower the flame spread index from that which might be obtained if the specimen could be tested without such support... This method may not be appropriate for obtaining comparative surface burning behavior of some cellular plastic materials... 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 testing materials that remain in place."

This test method is also published under the following designations:

ANSI 2.5 NFPA 255 UBC 8-1 (42-1) UL 723

This standard should be used to measure and describe the properties of materials, products, or assemblies in response to heat and flame under controlled laboratory conditions and should not be used to describe or appraise the fire hazard or fire risk of materials, products, or assemblies under actual fire conditions. However, results of this test may be used as elements of a fire risk assessment which takes into account all of the factors which are pertinent to an assessment of the fire hazard of a particular end use.



#### II PURPOSE

The ASTM E84-04 (25 foot tunnel) test method is intended to compare the surface flame spread and smoke developed measurements to those obtained from tests of mineral fiber cement board and select grade red oak flooring. The test specimen sur-face (18 inches wide and 24 feet long) is exposed to a flaming fire exposure during the 10 minute test duration, while flame spread over its surface and den-sity of the resulting smoke are measured and recorded. Test results are presented as the computed comparisons to the standard calibration materials.

The furnace is considered under calibration when a 10 minute test of red oak decking will pass flame out the end of the tunnel in five minutes, 30 seconds, plus or minus 15 seconds. Mineral fiber cement board forms the zero point for both flame spread and smoke developed indexes, while the red oak flooring smoke developed index is set as 100.

#### III DESCRIPTION OF TEST SPECIMEN

Specimen Identification: 0.090" Matrex / Varietex

Date Received: 2/8/2005

Date Prepared: 2/8/2005

Conditioning (73°F & 50% R.H.): 7 days

Specimen Width (in): 24 Specimen Length (ft): 24

Specimen Thickness: 0.087-in.

Material Weight: N/A oz./sq. yd

Total Specimen Weight: 34.00-lbs.

Adhesive or coating application rate: N/A

#### Mounting Method:

The specimen was self-supporting and was placed directly on the inner ledges of the tunnel.

#### Specimen Description:

The Test specimen was described by the client as the "0.090" Matrex / Varietex." The specimen consisted of (3) 8-ft. long x 24-in. wide x 0.087-in. thick, fiberglass reinforced plastic panels. The FRP panels were white in color. The specimen was identified by the client as "0.090 Matrex / Varietex".



#### IV TEST RESULTS

The test results, computed on the basis of observed flame front advance and electronic smoke density measurements are presented in the following table. In recognition of possible variations and limitations of the test method, the results are computed to the nearest number divisible by five, as outlined in the test method.

While no longer a part of this standard test method, the Fuel Contributed Value has been computed, and may be found on the computer printout sheet in the Appendix.

Test Specimen	Flame Spread Index	Smoke Developed Index
	madi	Severopeu muex
Mineral Fiber Cement Board	0	0
Red Oak Flooring	100	100
0.090" Matrex / Varietex	135	350

The data sheets are included in the Appendix. These sheets are actual print-outs of the computerized data system which monitors the ASTM E84-04 apparatus, and contain all calibration and specimen data needed to calculate the test results.

#### **V OBSERVATIONS**

During the test, the specimen was observed to behave in the following manner: The fiberglass reinforced plastic panels ignited at 0:58 (min:sec.). The flames passed out the end of the apparatus at 3:16 (min:sec.). The test continued for the 10:00 duration.

After the test the specimen was observed to be damaged as follows: The resin was consumed from 0-ft. - 24-ft. The fiberglass was charred from 0-ft. - 24-ft.



## **APPENDIX**

ASTM E84-04 Data Sheets



## **ASTM E84 DATASHEETS**

Client: KEMLITE FLORENCE

Date: 2/15/05 Time: 09:30 AM

Test Number: 1

Project Number: 16888-123812

Operator: EH/TA

Specimen ID: " 0.090" MATREX / VARIETEX, 0.090" MATREX / VARIETEX." THE SPECIMEN

WAS SELF-SUPPORTING.

#### **TEST RESULTS**

FLAMESPREAD INDEX: 135

SMOKE DEVELOPED INDEX: 350

#### SPECIMEN DATA ....

Time to Ignition (sec): 58

Time to Max FS (sec): 185

Maximum FS (feet): 19.5

Time to 980 °F (sec): 197

Max Temperature (°F): 1102

Time to Max Temperature (sec): 351

Total Fuel Burned (cubic feet): 51.39

FS\*Time Area (ft\*min): 159.2

Smoke Area (%A\*min): 349.3

Fuel Area (°F\*min): 7638.4

Fuel Contributed Value: 70

Unrounded FSI: 136.7

## CALIBRATION DATA . . .

Time to Ignition of Last Red Oak (sec): 3

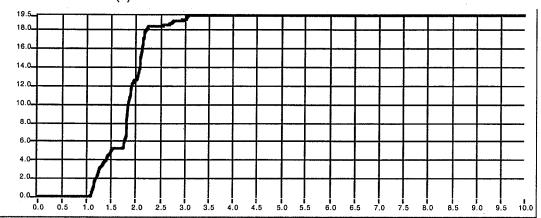
Red Oak Smoke Area (%A\*min): 96.00

Red Oak Fuel Area (°F\*min):

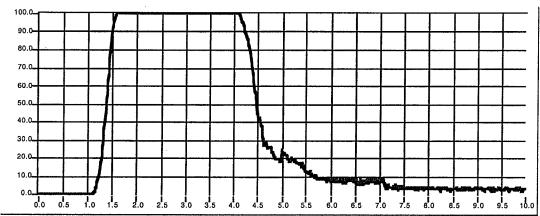
: 8587 : 5396

Glass Fiber Board Fuel Area (°F\*min):

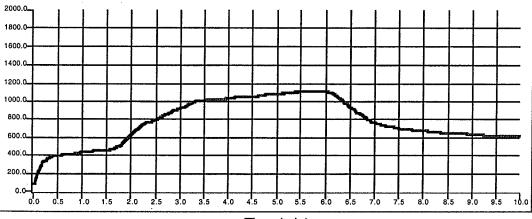
## FLAME SPREAD (ft)



## Smoke (%A)



## Temperature (°F)



Time (min)



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Crane Composites 8015 Dixon Drive Florence, KY 41042

Attn: Chris Eschenburg

The following sample was submitted and identified by the client as:

0.09" Class C Varietex

Color

White

Country of Origin

USA

Sample Receiving Date

Jan 11, 2007

Test Performing Date

Jan 18, 2007

Test Performed

Selected test as requested by applicant against

test request form, date Jan 08, 2007

Test Results

Please refer to page 2.

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#### Test Results:

#### Flammability Test of Interior Materials FMVSS 302-10-01-04

Burn Time (seconds)		Burn Distance (mm)		Burn (mm/	
Length	Width	Length	Width	Length	Width
600 *	600 *	101	115	10.1	11.5
600 *	600 *	98	117	9.8	11.7
600 *	600 *	115	113	11.5	11.3

<sup>\*</sup> Test discontinued after 10 min.

#### Requirements:

The material shall not burn or transmit a flame front across its surface, at a rate of more than 102 mm per minute. However, if a material stops burning before it has burned for 60 seconds from the start of timing and has not burned more than 51 mm from the point where timing was started, it shall be considered to meet this requirement.

#### Conclusion:

The submitted sample meets the requirement of the Department of Transportation Motor Vehicle Safety Standard 302 "Flammability Test of Interior Materials".

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