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### **TEST REPORT**

for

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Impact Sound Transmission Test ASTM E 492 – 09 / ASTM E 989 – 06 On

6 Inch (152 mm) Concrete Slab Floor-Ceiling Assembly
Overlaid with;
Laminated Flooring on Kronoswiss ProVent Underlayment

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Test Method:

This test method is in accordance with American Society for Testing and Materials Standard Test Method for Laboratory Measurement of Sound Transmission Through Floor-Ceiling Assemblies Using the Tapping Machine - Designation: E 492–09 / E 989-06.

The uncertainty limits of each tapping machine location met the precision requirements of

section A1.4 of ASTM E 492-09.

Specimen Description:

6 inch (152.4mm) concrete slab floor-ceiling assembly overlaid with laminate wood flooring on, according to client, Kronoswiss ProVent underlayment.

The test specimen was a floor-ceiling assembly consisting of the following:

- 1 layer of laminate wood flooring, nominal plank size: 8mm (0.315 in.) thick, 199.6 mm (7.86 in.) wide, 1208.0 mm (47.56 in.) long. Sample weight was 7.08 kg/m<sup>2</sup> (1.45 PSF).

1 layer of, according to client, Kronoswiss ProVent underlayment.
 Observed to be:

3.15mm (0.124 in.) thick, weighing 0.1 kg/m<sup>2</sup> (0.02 PSF). The seams were butted and taped together.

- 6 inch (152.4 mm) thick reinforced concrete slab 366.2 kg/m<sup>2</sup> (75.0 PSF).

The overall weight of the test assembly is 373.3 kg/m<sup>2</sup> (76.47 PSF).

The perimeter of the concrete slab was sealed with a rubber gasket and a sand filled trough. The test assembly is structurally isolated from the receiving room.

Specimen size:

3657.6 mm x 4876.8 mm (12 ft. x 16 ft.)

Conditioning:

Concrete slab cured for a minimum of 28 days.

Test Results:

The results of the tests are given on pages 3 and 4.

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| Normalized impact sound pressure level  |          |  |  |  |  |
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Specimen Size [m²]: 17.8

Source room Receiving room

 Volume [m³]:
 63.9

 Rm Temp [°C]:
 17

 Humidity [%]:
 40

 Humidity [%]:
 56

Impact Insulation Class IIC [dB]: 50

Sum of Unfavorable Deviations [dB]: 28

Max. Unfavorable Deviation [dB]: 6 at 400 Hz

| Frequency | Ln   | L2   | d      | Corr. | u.Dev. | $\Delta L_n$ |
|-----------|------|------|--------|-------|--------|--------------|
| [Hz]      | [dB] | [dB] | [dB/s] | [dB]  | [dB]   |              |
| 50        | 54   | 60.5 | 12.28  | -6.5  |        | 4.67         |
| 63        | 55   | 59.6 | 19.76  | -4.6  |        | 2.48         |
| 80        | 54   | 60.8 | 12.26  | -6.8  |        | 1.69         |
| 100       | 58   | 63.7 | 14.76  | -5.7  |        | 3.14         |
| 125       | 65   | 70.5 | 3.67   | -5.5  | 3      | 2.89         |
| 160       | 67   | 72.6 | 3.95   | -5.6  | 5      | 2.11         |
| 200       | 66   | 71.6 | 3.94   | -5.6  | 4      | 1.22         |
| 250       | 67   | 71.7 | 3.40   | -4.7  | 5      | 1.06         |
| 315       | 65   | 70.3 | 3.27   | -5.3  | 3      | 0.50         |
| 400       | 67   | 71.6 | 3.12   | -4.6  | 6      | 0.32         |
| 500       | 62   | 66.2 | 3.01   | -4.2  | 2      | 0.30         |
| 630       | 51   | 55.7 | 2.82   | -4.7  |        | 0.23         |
| 800       | 45   | 49.3 | 2.76   | -4.3  |        | 0.28         |
| 1000      | 41   | 44.7 | 2.54   | -3.7  |        | 0.21         |
| 1250      | 37   | 40.5 | 2.27   | -3.5  |        | 0.17         |
| 1600      | 33   | 36.5 | 2.16   | -3.5  |        | 0.26         |
| 2000      | 30   | 33.1 | 1.97   | -3.1  |        | 0.26         |
| 2500      | 31   | 33.7 | 1.80   | -2.7  |        | 0.40         |
| 3150      | 29   | 31.1 | 1.61   | -2.1  |        | 0.22         |
| 4000      | 25   | 25.8 | 1.38   | -0.8  |        | 0.38         |
| 5000      | 18   | 19.6 | 1.18   | -1.6  |        | 0.26         |

L<sub>n</sub> = Normalized Sound Pressure Level, dB

L2 = Receiving Room Level, dB d = Decay Time, dB/second

 $\Delta L_n$  = Uncertainty for 95% Confidence Level

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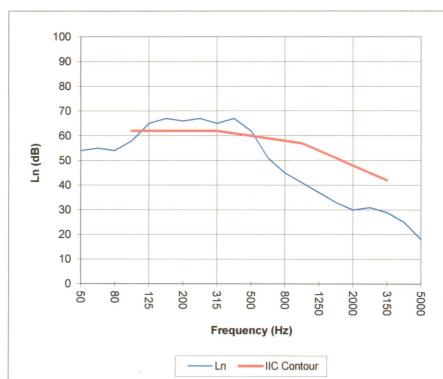
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Specimen Size [m²]:

17.8

#### Impact Insulation Class IIC [dB]: 50

| Frequency | L <sub>n</sub> |
|-----------|----------------|
| [Hz]      | [dB]           |
| 50        | 54             |
| 63        | 55             |
| 80        | 54             |
| 100       | 58             |
| 125       | 65             |
| 160       | 67             |
| 200       | 66             |
| 250       | 67             |
| 315       | 65             |
| 400       | 67             |
| 500       | 62             |
| 630       | 51             |
| 800       | 45             |
| 1000      | 41             |
| 1250      | 37             |
| 1600      | 33             |
| 2000      | 30             |
| 2500      | 31             |
| 3150      | 29             |
| 4000      | 25             |
| 5000      | 18             |



\* Due to high insulating value of specimen, background levels limit results at these frequencies.

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