



## TEST REPORT N° RL 2021/738

**DELIVERY:** 

15/11/2021

MATERIAL RECEIVED: 27/10/2021

**ORIGIN:** 

**BELGOTEX FLOORS** 

20 Chesterfield Road Willowton

Pietermaritzburg 3201 **SOUTH AFRICA** 

NAME OF QUALITY: TULLE (Solution Dyed Nylon Tufted Broadloom)

TESTS TYPE:

Reaction to fire tests for floorings according to

NF EN ISO 9239-1 (February 2013)

Part 1: Determination of the burning behaviour using a

radiant heat source

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### **ORIGIN OF THE SAMPLE TO CONSIDER:**

Sample provided by the applicant of the test.

### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION DETERMINED BY THE LABORATORY:

Tufted cut/loop pile carpet (EN 1307 family product).

## **INFORMATIONS GIVEN BY THE CUSTOMER:**

Composition of use-surface : 100% polyamide Type of primary backing : woven polypropylene

Type of backing: woven polypropylene + synthetic needled fleece

Total mass per unit area: 1887 g/m<sup>2</sup>

Total thickness: 8,7 mm
Total pile thickness: 5,0 mm

**Colouring: Brown** 

Flame retardant : no

### **Description of test specimens:**

\*Substrate: fibres-cement board

Density (1800  $\pm$  200) kg /m<sup>3</sup> Dimensions 105 cm x 23 cm Thickness (8  $\pm$  2) mm

Installation: loose laid

Cleaning: none

**Conditioning:** 

At least 14 days (23  $\pm$  2)°C and (50  $\pm$  5) % relative humidity.

**Eventual deviations from the test method:** 

None

Date of test:

15/11/2021

#### **Duration of the test:**

The radiation is maintained for 30 minutes.

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## **RESULTS:**

## 1) HEAT FLUX

| Specimen    | Flame front distance (mm) |        |        | Heat flux (kW/m²) |       |       | Duration<br>of flaming<br>(min/s) | Maximum<br>flame front<br>distance<br>(mm) | Critical Heat<br>flux<br>CHF (kW/m²) |
|-------------|---------------------------|--------|--------|-------------------|-------|-------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
|             | 10 min                    | 20 min | 30 min | HF 10             | HF 20 | HF 30 |                                   |                                            |                                      |
| 1 (L)*      | 210                       | 330    | 360    | 9,1               | 6,5   | 5,9   | 30 min 00 s                       | 360                                        | 5,9                                  |
| 1 (T)*      | 280                       | 300    | 300    | 7,6               | -     | -     | 14 min 00 s                       | 300                                        | 7,2                                  |
| 2 (L)       | 250                       | 290    | 290    | 8,2               | -     | -     | 17 min 00 s                       | 290                                        | 7,4                                  |
| 3 (L)       | 270                       | 340    | 340    | 7,8               | -     | -     | 19 min 10 s                       | 340                                        | 6,3                                  |
| Average (L) |                           |        |        |                   |       |       |                                   |                                            | 6,5                                  |

(L)\*  $\rightarrow$  Longitudinally direction (T)\*  $\rightarrow$  Transversally direction

**Observation:** None

|                     | Time for each specimen to burn in minutes (min) and seconds (s) |             |            |             |  |  |  |  |
|---------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|------------|-------------|--|--|--|--|
| Distance burnt (mm) | 1 (L)*                                                          | 1 (T)*      | 2 (L)      | 3 (L)       |  |  |  |  |
| 50                  | 3 min 10 s                                                      | 2 min 40 s  | 2 min 50 s | 2 min 40 s  |  |  |  |  |
| 100                 | 4 min 20 s                                                      | 3 min 40 s  | 4 min 20 s | 3 min 50 s  |  |  |  |  |
| 150                 | 5 min 40 s                                                      | 5 min 00 s  | 5 min 40 s | 5 min 20 s  |  |  |  |  |
| 200                 | 9 min 20 s                                                      | 5 min 50 s  | 7 min 00 s | 6 min 40 s  |  |  |  |  |
| 250                 | 14 min 50 s                                                     | 6 min 40 s  | 9 min 50 s | 7 min 50 s  |  |  |  |  |
| 300                 | 18 min 20 s                                                     | 13 min 30 s |            | 14 min 20 s |  |  |  |  |
| 350                 | 22 min 00 s                                                     |             |            |             |  |  |  |  |
| 400                 |                                                                 |             |            |             |  |  |  |  |
| 450                 |                                                                 |             |            |             |  |  |  |  |
| 500                 |                                                                 |             |            |             |  |  |  |  |
| 550                 |                                                                 |             |            |             |  |  |  |  |
| 600                 |                                                                 |             |            |             |  |  |  |  |
| 650                 |                                                                 |             |            |             |  |  |  |  |
| 700                 |                                                                 |             |            |             |  |  |  |  |
| 750                 |                                                                 |             |            |             |  |  |  |  |
| 800                 |                                                                 |             |            |             |  |  |  |  |
| 850                 |                                                                 |             |            |             |  |  |  |  |
| 900                 |                                                                 |             |            |             |  |  |  |  |
| 950                 |                                                                 |             |            |             |  |  |  |  |
| 1000                |                                                                 |             |            |             |  |  |  |  |

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## 2) SMOKE DENSITY

| Specimen    | Maximum light attenuation (%) | Smoke development<br>(% X min)<br>95,2 |  |  |
|-------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------------|--|--|
| 1 (L)*      | 9,4                           |                                        |  |  |
| 1 (T)*      | 18,8                          | 83,2<br>69,6                           |  |  |
| 2 (L)       | 15,7                          |                                        |  |  |
| 3 (L)       | 14,0                          | 89,1                                   |  |  |
| Average (L) | 13,0                          | 84,6                                   |  |  |

(L)\* → Longitudinally direction

(T)\* → Transversally direction

The test results relate to the behaviour of the test specimens of a product under the particular conditions of the test; they are not intended to be the sole criterion for assessing the potential fire hazard of the product in use.

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