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TEST REPORT

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EXPERIMENTAL DETERMINATION OF THE BREAKING STRENGTH (EN ISO 10545-4) OF A MULTI-LAYER TILE NAMED "SICIS COLLECTION: VETRITE/GEMGLASS", OF THE FIRM "SICIS S.R.L.", RAVENNA (RA) - ITALY.

| PLACE AND DATE OF ISSUE: | Faenza, 08/07/2019 |
|--------------------------------|--|
| COMPANY: | Sicis S.r.I. |
| ADDRESS: | Via Canala 85 – 48123 Ravenna (RA) Italy |
| TYPE OF PRODUCT: | Multi-layer tile for raised access floor |
| STANDARD APPLIED: | EN 10545-4 |
| DATE OF RECEIPT IN LABORATORY: | 31/05/2019 |
| TESTS EXECUTED: | 25/06/2019 |
| TESTS EXECUTED BY: | CertiMaC, Faenza |

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1 Test execution and results

This Test Report describes the determination of the breaking strength of a multi-layer tile for raised access floor, requested to CertiMaC Laboratory in Faenza by the Customer "Sicis S.r.l.", Ravenna (RA), Italy (Offer 19032/lab of 07/02/2019). Tests were performed on 7 samples (600 x 600 x 25 mm) (Figure 1), subjected standard condition (23°C and 50% r.h.) for 7 days.



Figure 1. Tile for raised access floor

1.1 Breaking strength

The determination of the breaking strength was performed according to UNI EN 10545-4 standard (Figure 2 and Table 1). Failure modes are reported in Figure 3.

| Sample | Span [mm] | Samples width [mm] | Thickness [mm] | Breaking load [N] | Breaking strenght [N] | Modulus of rupture [N/mm ²] |
|--------|--------------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|--|
| 1 | 580,0 | 600,00 | 24,98 | 14275 | 13799 | 33,2 |
| 2 | 580,0 | 600,00 | 25,03 | 15044 | 14543 | 34,8 |
| 3 | 580,0 | 600,00 | 24,96 | 14719 | 14228 | 34,3 |
| 4 | 580,0 | 600,00 | 25,09 | 13958 | 13493 | 32,2 |
| 5 | 580,0 | 600,00 | 24,91 | 15502 | 14986 | 36,2 |
| 6 | 580,0 | 600,00 | 24,97 | 14921 | 14423 | 34,7 |
| 7 | 580,0 | 600,00 | 24,93 | 14075 | 13606 | 32,8 |
| | | | Average | 14642 | 14154 | 34,0 |
| | | | St.Dev. | 564 | 545 | 1,4 |

Table 1. Results of the breaking strength test

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Figure 2. Test lay-out



Figure 3. Example of tile fracture (front and back sides)

2 Conclusions

The product "Sicis Collection: Vetrite / Gemglass" shows the following results:

- Braking load: 14642 N;
- Breaking strength: <u>14154 N</u>;
- Modulus of rupture: **<u>34.0 MPa</u>**.

3 Distribution list

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