# **Evidence of Performance**

Joint sound reduction of filling material

**Test Report** No. 16-001466-PR01 (PB Z1-K02-04-en-01)



Client Hilti Entwicklungsgesellschaft mbH

> Hiltistr. 6 86916 Kaufering Germany

Gunned Acrylate - Sealant, joint was sealed on both sides

HILTI CFS-S ACR / HILTI CP 606 Designation

0.5 kg/running metres

Special features

Weighted sound reduction index of joints R<sub>s.w</sub> Spectrum adaptation terms C and Ctr



 $[R_{sw}(C; C_{tr}) \ge 64 (-2; -7) dB]$ 

Determined for 25 mm width of joint

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### Basis

EN ISO 10140-1: 2010 +A1: 2012 + A2:2014 EN ISO 10140-2: 2010 EN ISO 717-1: 2013 16-001466-PR01 (PB Z1-K02-

04-de-01) dated 12.05.2016

Representation



#### Instructions for use

This procedure is suitable for the comparison of construction products designed for sealing (e.g. gaskets/seals, fillers for joints). The results can be used to evaluate the sound power ratio  $\tau_e$  according to EN 12354-3 Annex B.

Using the calculated sound reduction of the joint for the calculation of the overall sound reduction is not a substitute for the sound reduction verification of the overall construction.

### Validity

The data and results given relate solely to the tested and described specimen.

Testing the sound insulation does not allow any statement to be made on any further characteristics of the construction submitted regarding performance and quality.

### Notes on publication

The ift Guidance Sheet "Conditions and Guidance for the Use of ift Test Documents" applies.

The cover sheet can be used as an abstract

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The test report contains a total of 9 pages:

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- Procedure
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### 1 Obect

# 1.1 Description of test specimen

Product Gunned Acrylate - Sealant, joint was sealed on

both sides

Date of manufacturing of test specimen 2<sup>nd</sup> of May 2016

Product designation HILTI CFS-S ACR / HILTI CP 606

Item code 435859

Dimension

Length of joint I 1,200 mm

Depth of joint d 100 mm

Width of joint w 25 mm

Joint cover without

Joint sealing material Joint filled with mineral wool and sealed on both

sides with Acrylate - Sealant

Density Not specified

Sealant thickness (nominal dimensions) 12 mm Curing time 1 week

Density 0.5 kg/running metres

The description is based on inspection of the test specimen at the **ift** Laboratory for Building Acoustics. Item designations / numbers as well as material specifications were provided by the client. Additional data provided by the manufacturer are marked with \*.

# 1.2 Mounting to test rig

The sound reduction index  $R_S$  of the joint was measured in a mobile joint measuring apparatus as per EN ISO 10140-1:2010 + A1:2012 + A2:2014 (see Figs. 1 and 2). This mobile measuring apparatus consists of a high-performance sound insulating element made of metal profiles and Bondal sheet with slide-in cassettes. The profiles of the slide-in cassettes are filled with sand. Using these cassettes, a great variety of joints with varying joint widths w can be created (Fig. 1).

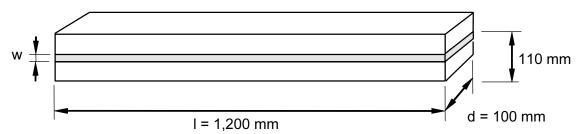


fig 1 slide-in cassettes

These slide-in cassettes were produced by the **ift** Laboratory for Building Acoustic and employees of the client 1 week before the date of test using the filling material to be test-ed. After hardening the material was cut on the edges and mounted in the highly sound insulating element (Fig. 2), which was mounted in the test opening of the window-test rig

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(Z-wall) acc. to EN ISO 10 140-5. The joints to the test opening were filled with cellular material and sealed with plastic sealant on both sides.

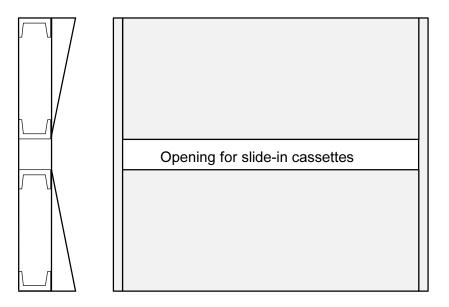


fig 2 Set-up of joint testing apparatus (high performance sound insulating element)



fig 3 Photo(s) of the mounted element, taken by ift Laboratory for Building Acoustics

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# 2 Procedure

# 2.1 Sampling

Sampling The samples were selected by the client. The slide-in cassettes were

filled by the ift Laboratory for Building Acoustics with the filler to be

tested according to the instructions of the manufacturer.

Quantity

Manufacturer Hilti AG, BU Chemicals, Feldkircher Straße 100, FL-9494 Schaan

Manufacturing plant Hilti Plant 4a

Date of manufacture / 29<sup>th</sup> of April 2016

Date of sampling

Charge No. 7223672
Responsible for sampling Mr. Schulze

Delivery at **ift** 2<sup>nd</sup> of May 2016 by the client

ift registration number 41374/1

# 2.2 Process

**Basis** 

EN ISO 10140-1:2010 + A1 : 2012 + A2 : 2014 Acoustics; Laboratory measurement of

sound insulation of building elements - Part 1: Application rules for specific products (ISO 10140-1: 2010 +

Amd. 1: 2012 + Amd. 2: 2014)

EN ISO 10140-2:2010 Acoustics; Laboratory measurement of sound insulation of

building elements - Part 2: Measurement of airborne sound

insulation (ISO 10140-2:2010)

EN ISO 717-1: 2013 Acoustics; Rating of sound insulation in buildings and of

building elements - Part 1: Airborne sound insulation

Corresponds to the national German standard/s:

DIN EN ISO 10140-1:2014-09, DIN EN ISO 10140-2:2010-12 and DIN EN ISO 717-

1:2013-06

Additional basis

ASTM E 90-09 Standard test method for laboratory measurement of air-

borne sound transmission loss of building partitions and el-

ements

ASTM E 413-10 Classification for rating sound insulation

ASTM E 1332-10a Standard Classification for Determination of Outdoor-Indoor

**Transmission Class** 

Boundary conditions As specified by the standard.

Deviation There are no deviations from the test method/s and/or test

conditions acc. to EN ISO 10140.

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The volume of the test room falls below the minimum volume

of 80 m<sup>3</sup> as defined in ASTM E 90-09.

Test noise Pink noise

Measuring filter One-third-octave band filter

Measurement limits

Low frequencies The dimensions of the receiving room are smaller than rec-

ommended for testing in the frequency range from 50 Hz to 80 Hz as per EN ISO 10140-4:2010 Annex A (informative).

A moving loudspeaker was used.

Background noise level 
The background noise level in the receiving room was de-

termined during measurement and the receiving room level  $L_2$  corrected by calculation as per EN ISO 10140-4: 2010

Clause 4.3.

Maximum insulation The maximum insulation of the test rig is partly within the

range of the test results. Therefore the tested values are minimum values. A correction by calculation was performed

for maximum sound insulation.

Measurement of

reverberation time Arithmetical mean: two measurements each of 2 loudspeak-

er and 3 microphone positions (a total of 12 independent

measurements).

Measurement equation A  $A = 0.16 \cdot \frac{V}{T} \text{ m}^2$ 

Measurement of sound level

difference Minimum of 2 loudspeaker positions and rotating micro-

phones.

Measurement equation  $R_S = L_1 - L_2 + 10 \log \frac{S_N \cdot l}{A \cdot l_N}$  dB

KEY

R<sub>ST</sub> Joint sound reduction index in dB
L<sub>1</sub> Sound pressure level source room in dB

Sound pressure level receiving room in dB

Length of joint in m
S<sub>N</sub> Reference area (1 m²)

I<sub>N</sub> Reference length (1 m)

A Equivalent absorption area in m<sup>2</sup>
Volume of receiving room in m<sup>3</sup>

T Reverberation time in s

This sound reduction index of joints is comparable to the linear sound reduction index of a building component with 1 m joint length for each m<sup>2</sup> area and where the sound is transmitted only through the joint.

If the joint is combined with a building component (e.g. window with area S and sound reduction index R) and assuming the building component's area  $S_1 >>$  than the opening area of the joint (w · I, w = joint width), for the associated joint length I the resulting sound reduction index  $R_{res}$  is calculated as follows:

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$$R_{res} = -10\log\left(10^{-\frac{R}{10}} + \frac{l}{S} \cdot 10^{-\frac{R_S}{10}}\right) \text{ dB}$$

# 2.3 Test apparatus

Device	Туре	Manufacturer
Integrating sound meter	Type Nortronic 121	Co. Norsonic-Tippkemper
Microphone preamplifiers	Type 1201	Co. Norsonic-Tippkemper
Microphone unit	Type 1220	Co. Norsonic-Tippkemper
Calibrator	Type 1251	Co. Norsonic-Tippkemper
Dodecahedron loudspeakers	Own design	-
Amplifier	Type E120	Co. FG Elektronik
Rotating microphone boom	Own design / Type 231-N-360	Co. Norsonic-Tippkemper

The **ift** Laboratory for Building Acoustics participates in comparative measurements at the Physikalisch-Technische Bundesanstalt (PTB) in Braunschweig every three years, the last one was in April 2013. The sound level meter used, Series No. 31423, was DKD calibrated by the company Norsonic Tippkemper (DKD - Deutscher Kalibrierdienst "German Calibration\_Service") on 22<sup>nd</sup> of June 2015.

# 2.4 Testing

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# 3 Detailed results

The values of the measured sound reduction index  $R_{\text{S}}$  of the joint for the tested seals are plotted against frequency in the data sheets (Annex). Based on EN ISO 717 - 1, this is used to calculate the weighted sound reduction index  $R_{\text{S,w}}$  of the joint and the spectrum adaptation terms C and  $C_{\text{tr}}$ , related to joint length I = 1,200 mm , for the frequency range 100 Hz to 3,150 Hz.

The diagram includes the maximum sound reduction of the test set-up (related to I = 1,200 mm), with a maximum weighted sound reduction index  $R_{S,w max}$  (C;  $C_{tr}$ ) = 63 (-2;-7) dB.

The resulting sound reduction indices for joints are within the range for maximum sound insulation; in these cases the values obtained are minimum values. For maximum insulation, it has been corrected by calculation as per EN ISO 10140-1:2010 + A1:2012+A2:2014. Table 1 lists the weighted sound reduction indices of the different joint designs.

**Table 1** Test results, Depth of joint d = 100 mm

Weighted joint sound reduction index  R <sub>S,w</sub> (C; C <sub>tr</sub> ) in dB	Measures taken, comments	
63 (-2;-7)	Maximum sound insulation	
≥ 64 (-2;-7)	Joint width 25 mm, filled with HILTI CFS-S ACR / HILTI CP 606	

On order of the client supplementary to the rating as per EN ISO 717-1 an evaluation according to ASTM E 413-10 and ASTM E 1332-10a was carried out. The sound transmission class STC according to ASTM E 413-10 was determined for the frequency range from 125 Hz up to 4,000 Hz

# **STC 64**

The Outdoor-Indoor transmission class OITC according to ASTM E 1332-10a for the frequency range from 80 Hz up to 4000 Hz was calculated to

# **OITC 55**

The rating was done with spectrum of joint sound reduction index which is tabled in annexed data sheet.

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## 4 Instructions for use

### General remarks:

The method is suitable for comparing construction products designed for sealing purposes (e.g. seals/gaskets, fillers to seal joints). The results can be used to evaluate the sound power ratio  $\tau_e$  as per EN 12354-3 Annex B. Using the calculated sound reduction of the joint for the calculation of the overall sound reduction is not a substitute for the verification of the overall construction

In practice, e.g. when combining the sound insulation of a window with that of a joint in an existing opening, the following must be taken into account:

- a) for physical reasons, the sound reduction index of joints must be corrected by approx.
  -3 dB in the area of corners and edges;
- b) the existing thickness of the window frame profile (joint depth d) must be adapted with a correction between -1 dB and -2 dB.
- c) experience shows that the filling of window niches in edges and difficult reachable areas are weak points by handling

### Remark on transfer of the test results

Assessments as per ASTM E 413-10 and ASTM E 1332-10a were based on sound insulation testing as per EN ISO 10140-1. For some details there are deviations from test standard ASTM E 90-09, in particular as regards the required room volume (min. 80 m³) and regards the sound reduction index of joints (length related sound reduction index)

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# Joint sound reduction index according to ISO 10140-1

Determination of sound reduction index of joints

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Product designation HILTI CFS-S ACR / HILTI CP 606



### Design of test specimen

Gunned Acrylate - Sealant, joint was sealed on both

sides Joint size

f in Hz

50

63

80

100

125

160

200

250

315

400

500

630

800

1,000

1,250

1,600

2,000

2,500

3,150

4,000

5,000

Length I 1,200 mm
Depth d 100 mm
Width w 25 mm

Density 0.5 kg/running metres

# Drawing of the test arrangement

R<sub>s</sub> in dB

 $(\geq 38.5)$ 

 $(\geq 38.4)$ 

 $(\geq 46.6)$ 

 $(\geq 45.4)$ 

 $(\geq 46.4)$ 

 $(\geq 49.4)$ 

 $(\geq 46.4)$ 

 $(\geq 52.5)$ 

 $(\geq 56.0)$ 

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 $(\geq 63.6)$ 

 $(\geq 66.2)$ 

65.7

 $(\geq 67.5)$ 

 $(\geq 68.3)$ 

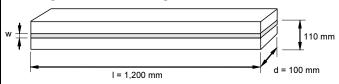
 $(\geq 70.4)$ 

 $(\geq 70.4)$ 

 $(\geq 69.8)$ 

 $(\geq 71.3)$ 

 $(\geq 70.3)$ 



Test date 9th of May 2016

Test length I 1.2 m

Test rig as per EN ISO 10140-5
Partition wall Double-leaf concrete wall,

insert frame

Test noise pink noise

Volumes of test rooms  $V_s = 104 \text{ m}^3$ 

 $V_R = 67.5 \text{ m}^3$ 

Maximum sound reduction index of joints  $R_{S,w,max} = 63dB$  (related to test length)

Mounting conditions

Mounting of the cassette in high performance

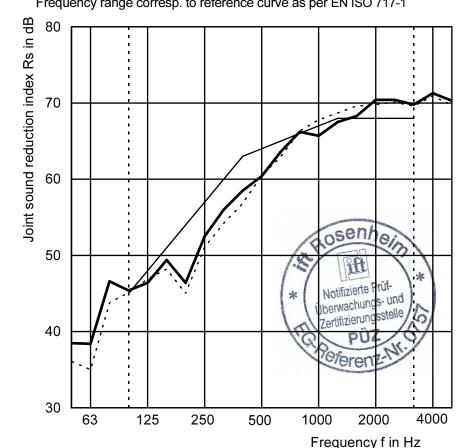
sound insulating element.

Climate of test rooms 19°C / 50 % RH

Static air pressure 957 hPa

# Shifted reference curve

Measurement curve\_ \_ \_ \_ \_ maximum joint sound reduction Frequency range corresp. to reference curve as per EN ISO 717-1



(≥ = Minimum value)

Rating according to EN ISO 717-1 (in third octave bands):

 $[R_{s,w} (C; C_{tr}) \geq \ 64 \ (-2; -7) \ dB] \quad C_{50-3,150} = \ -3 \ dB; \ C_{100-5,000} = \ -2 \ dB; \ C_{50-5,000} = \ -2 \ dB \\ C_{tr,50-3,150} = \ -9 \ dB; \ C_{tr,100-5,000} = \ -7 \ dB; \ C_{tr,50-5,000} = \ -9 \ dB$ 

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