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## **Reaction to fire tests for floorings - Part 1: Determination of the burning behaviour using a radiant heat source - EN ISO 9239-1 and ignitability according to EN ISO 11925-2**

(2 appendices)

### **Introduction**

SP has by request of Berteco AB performed fire tests according to EN ISO 9239-1 and EN ISO 11925-2. The purpose of the tests is basis for technical fire classification.

### **Product**

According to client:

Floor covering called "Scan-lock", consisting of polyvinyl chloride, plasticizers and fillers (Norvinyl GB.80.10.00750.FB). The product has a nominal thickness of 6.25 mm and a nominal density of 1 310 kg/m<sup>3</sup>.

### **Manufacturer**

Berteco AB, Stenkullen, Sweden.

### **Sampling**

The sample was delivered by the client. It is not known to SP Fire Research if the product received is representative of the mean production characteristics.

The sample was received on October 21, 2015 at SP Fire Research.

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**Test results**

The test results are given in appendix 1- 2.

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.

**Note**

The accreditation referred to is valid for EN ISO 9239-1 and EN ISO 11925-2.

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**Appendices**

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## Appendix 1

## Test results – EN ISO 9239-1:2010

### Product

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### Application

The specimen was loosely put on to a particle board, having a density of 680 kg/m<sup>3</sup> approximately.

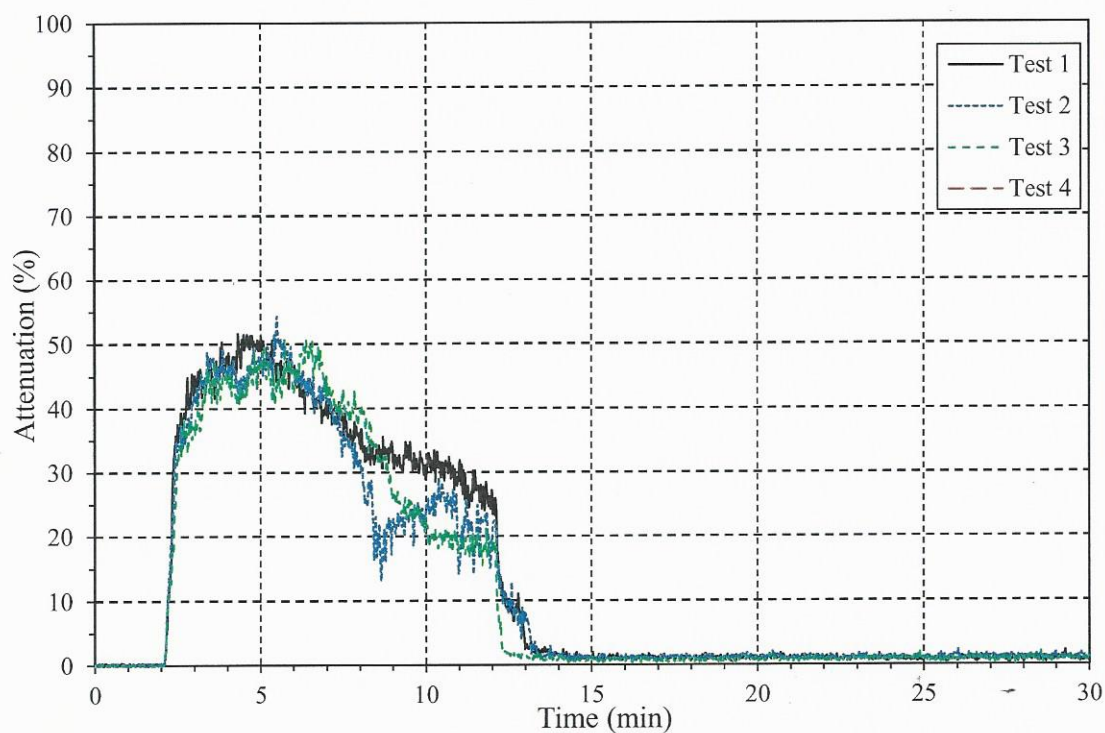
### Test results

Test no	1	2	3
Direction	none	none	none
Flame spread distance, mm	Time, min:s	Time, min:s	Time, min:s
60	2:32	2:32	2:48
110	4:05	5:03	4:49
160	-	-	-
Flames at flame front extinguished	5:06	5:20	5:20

Test no	1	2	3
Direction	none	none	none
Time, min	Flame spread distance, mm	Flame spread distance, mm	Flame spread distance, mm
HF-10	110	80	110
HF-20	-	-	-
HF-30	-	-	-

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Test no	1	2	3	Average value
Direction	none	none	none	
Maximum flame spread, mm	120	120	130	-
Critical radiant flux (CHF), kW/m <sup>2</sup>	10.9	10.9	10.8	<u>10.9</u>
Peak smoke production, %	52	54	51	<u>52</u>
Light absorption (area under curve), % x min	401	366	356	<u>374</u>

**Smoke generation sample no 1 to 3**


## Appendix 1

**Measured data**

Thickness 4.94 – 5.78 mm.

Area weight 5.03 kg/m<sup>2</sup>.

**Conditioning**

According to EN 13238:2010.

Temperature (23 ± 2) °C.

Relative humidity (50 ± 5) %.

**Date of test**

November 4, 2015.



## Appendix 2

### Test results – EN ISO 11925-2:2010

#### Product

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Floor covering called "Scan-lock", consisting of polyvinyl chloride, plasticizers and fillers (Norvinyl GB.80.10.00750.FB). The product has a nominal thickness of 6.25 mm and a nominal density of 1 310 kg/m<sup>3</sup>.

#### Test preparation

The specimen was loosely put onto a particle board having a density of 680 kg/m<sup>3</sup> approximately.

#### Application

Surface exposure. Flame exposure time was 15 seconds.

#### Test results

Test no	1	2	3	4	5	6
Direction	↑	↑	↑	→	→	→
The sample ignited, s	NI	NI	NI	NI	NI	NI
The flames reach 150 mm, s	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burning droplets	No	No	No	No	No	No
Time when filter paper ignited, s	-	-	-	-	-	-

NI = No ignition.

#### Measured data

Thickness 4.94 – 5.78 mm.

Area weight 5.0 kg/m<sup>2</sup>.

Density 905 – 1000 kg/m<sup>3</sup>.

#### Conditioning

According to EN 13238:2010.

Temperature (23 ± 2) °C.

Relative humidity (50 ± 5) %.

#### Date of test

November 5, 2015.