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# ISO 5658-2:2006+A1:2011



## Reaction to Fire Tests – Spread of Flame - Lateral Spread of flame test on Building and Transport Products in Vertical Configuration

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## Executive Summary

### Objective

To determine the performance of the following product when tested in accordance with ISO 5658-2:2006+A1:2011

Generic Description	Product reference	Thickness	Weight per unit area, density or specific gravity
Coated glass reinforced phenolic	"PPG R50059/698/2"	4mm	4.47kg/m <sup>2</sup> *
<b>Individual components used to manufacture composite:</b>			
Coating	"Selemix Aqua 8-110/8-111"	2 x 30-40μ (Total 60-80μ)	1.9
Substrate	Unable to provide	4mm	1.3g/cm <sup>3</sup>
<b>*determined by Exova Warringtonfire</b>			
<b>Please see page 6 of this test report for the full description of the product tested</b>			

### Test Sponsor

PPG Italia, Via Comasina 121, Milan, Italy

### Summary of Test Results:

Parameter	Units	Specimen Number			Average
		1	2	3	
Heat for Sustained Burning (Q <sub>sb</sub> )	MJm <sup>-2</sup>	4.07	5.27	3.14	4.2
Critical flux at Extinguishment (CFE)	kW/m <sup>2</sup>	26.00	30.00	30.00	28.7
Flaming droplets with sustained flaming (>10s)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A


### Date of Test

27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> February 2018

### Reason for Revision


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## Test Details

### Introduction

A test has been conducted in accordance with the procedure specified in ISO 5658-2:2006+A1:2011 Reaction to Fire Tests – Spread of Flame – Part 2: Lateral Spread on Building and Transport Products in Vertical Configuration on the specimens detailed in this report. The test was conducted using an impinging propane flame. It is advised that this report is read in conjunction with the aforementioned document.

### Scope of test

ISO 5658-2:2006+A1:2011 specifies a method of test for measuring the lateral spread of flame along the surface of a specimen of a product orientated in the vertical position. It provides data suitable for comparing the performance of essentially flat materials, composites or assemblies, which are used primarily as the exposed surfaces of walls.

### Instruction to test

The test was conducted on the 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> February 2018 at the request of PPG Italia, the sponsor of the test.

### Conditioning of specimens

The specimens were received on the 16<sup>th</sup> February 2018.

Prior to test the specimens were conditioned to constant mass at a temperature of  $23 \pm 2^\circ\text{C}$  and a relative humidity of  $50 \pm 5\%$ .

### Exposed face

The coated face of the specimens was exposed to the radiant heat of the test when the specimens were mounted in the test position.

### Condition of specimen edges

Coating applied to test face and reverse face, not applied to edges

### Photograph of specimen



### Substrate

The specimens were tested with a 12mm thick calcium silicate based backing board present.

### Provision of test specimens

The specimens were supplied by the sponsor of the test. **Exova Warringtonfire** was not involved in any selection or sampling procedure.

## Description of Test Specimens

The description of the system given below has been prepared from information provided by the sponsor of the test. This information has not been independently verified by **Exova Warringtonfire**.

All values quoted are nominal, unless tolerances are given.

General description		Coated glass reinforced phenolic
Product reference		"PPG R50059/698/2"
Overall thickness		4mm (stated by sponsor) 3.58mm (determined by <b>Exova Warringtonfire</b> )
Overall weight per unit area		4.47kg/m <sup>2</sup> (determined by <b>Exova Warringtonfire</b> )
Coating	Generic type	Waterborne 2-pack polyurethane coating
	Product reference	"Selemix Aqua 8-110 / 8-111"
	Name of manufacturer	PPG Industries
	Colour reference	"Ral 7035" "Grey" (observed by <b>Exova Warringtonfire</b> )
	Number of coats	2
	Application thickness per coat	30-40µ (Total 60-80µ)
	Specific gravity	1.9
	Application method	Conventional high volume low spray
	Curing process per coat	20 minutes air dry between coats at 20°C
Flame retardant details		<b>See Note 1 Below</b>
Glass reinforced phenolic	Generic type	Glass reinforced phenolic  The sponsor was unable to provide specific details of the glass reinforcement and resin
	Product reference	<b>See Note 2 Below</b>
	Name of manufacturer	Pro Test Panels
	Thickness	4mm
	Density	1.3g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Flame retardant details		<b>See Note 1 Below</b>
Brief description of manufacturing process		<b>See Note 2 Below</b>

**Note 1:** The sponsor of the test has confirmed that no flame retardants were used in the production of this component.

**Note 2:** The sponsor of the test was unable to provide this information.

## Test Results

### Applicability of test results

The test results relate only to the behaviour of the specimens of the 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.

The test results relate only to the specimens of the manufactured product in the form in which they are tested. Small differences in the composition or thickness of the product may significantly affect the performance during the test and may therefore invalidate the test results. Care should be taken to ensure that any product which is supplied or used is fully represented by the specimens which were tested.

The test results relating to the spread of flame parameters for the individual specimens together with observations made during the test and comments on any difficulties encountered during the test are given in Table 1.

### Test results

A total of three specimens were tested and the following results were obtained

Parameter	Units	Specimen Number			Average
		1	2	3	
Heat for Sustained Burning ( $Q_{sb}$ )	MJm <sup>-2</sup>	4.07	5.27	3.14	4.16
Critical flux at Extinguishment (CFE)	kW/m <sup>2</sup>	26.00	30.00	30.00	28.67
Flaming droplets with sustained flaming (>10s)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

### Validity

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The specification and interpretation of fire test methods are the subject of ongoing development and refinement. Changes in associated legislation may also occur. For these reasons it is recommended that the relevance of test reports over five years old should be considered by the user. The laboratory that issued the report will be able to offer, on behalf of the legal owner, a review of the procedures adopted for a particular test to ensure that they are consistent with current practices, and if required may endorse the test report.

**Appendix 1 – Observations during test**

Specimen No:	1		Heat for Sustained Burning (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> )	2		Heat for Sustained Burning (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> )	3		Heat for Sustained Burning (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> )
Time to Ignition: (min:sec)	00:02			00:05			00:05		
Time to Travel	min	sec		min	sec		min	sec	
50mm	00	15	0.76	00	17	0.86	00	05	0.25
100mm	01	33	4.60	01	15	3.71	01	04	3.17
150mm	01	37	4.57	01	53	5.32	01	05	3.06
200mm	01	38	4.22	02	00	5.17	01	06	2.84
250mm	01	38	3.70	02	21	5.33	01	33	3.52
300mm	02	02	3.77	03	28	6.43	01	49	3.37
350mm									
400mm									
450 mm									
500mm									
550mm									
600mm									
650mm									
700mm									
750mm									
800mm									
Duration of Test (min:sec)	26:17			25:56			22:51		
Final Travel (mm)	330			300			300		
C.F.E. (kw/m <sup>2</sup> )	26.00			30.00			30.00		

**OBSERVATIONS:**

None

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