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Tubolit DG Plus

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BREEAM International New Construction 2013

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BREEAM Category	Issue	BREEAM Requirements	Credits	Product compliance
Insulation	Mat 04	Construction materials should be responsibly sourced. A responsibly sourced confirmation of „supply chain process“ and „key process“ should be provided.	1•	Tubolit DG Plus is responsibly sourced which may be confirmed with ISO14001 ² certificates for: - supply chain process (polymer) - key process (insulation production). 
Thermal comfort	Hea 03	A thermal comfort analysis should be carried out to assess if the indoor environment maintains comfortable conditions for building users in terms of appropriate thermal comfort level according to ISO 7730:2005.	2••	Tubolit DG Plus is a part of building's systems. Adjusting proper design parameters will enable to improve energy efficiency and its supply to the system appliances. For energy efficiency the main parameter of Tubolit DG Plus is thermal conductivity $\lambda_{40^\circ\text{C}} \leq 0,04 \text{ W/mK}^1$.
Reduction of energy use and carbon emissions	Ene 01	An energy performance should be carried out to assess building energy consumption during operation in comparison with the notional building (parameters defined by national standards).	15••	
Energy efficient cold storage	Ene 05	Greenhouse gas emissions from cold storage systems should be reduced by improving their energy efficiency.	3••	

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Indoor air quality: Minimising sources of air pollution	Hea 02	At least four of five finishing materials should meet appropriate volatile organic compounds (VOC) emission levels and confirm compliance with testing standards ISO 10580, ISO 16000-9, CEN/TS 16516 or CDPH Standard Method v1.1. VOC emission limits for insulation were listed in Tables 17 and 18 of BREEAM International NC 2016 Manual.	3•	Sampling, testing and evaluation were performed according to ISO 16000-9. Insulation meets exemplary level emission limits ² : - Formaldehyde < 0,01 mg/m ³ - Total volatile organic compounds < 0,3 mg/m ³ - Total semi-volatile organic compounds < 0,1 mg/m ³ - Category 1A and 1B carcinogens < 0,001 mg/m ³	
Responsible sourcing of construction	Mat 03	Construction materials should be responsibly sourced. A responsibly sourced confirmation of „supply chain process“ and „key process“ should be provided.	4•	Tubolit DG Plus is responsibly sourced which may be confirmed with ISO14001 ³ certificates for: - supply chain process (polymer) - key process (insulation production).	
Material efficiency	Mat 06	In order to minimise materials' environmental impact more efficient materials should be used during building design, procurement, construction, maintenance and end of life.	1••	Tubolit DG Plus as a part of building energy system has the following efficiency features: - a service life is more than 50 years, - it may be damaged only by extraordinary impacts or during installation.	
Thermal comfort	Hea 04	A thermal comfort analysis should be carried out to assess if the indoor environment maintains comfortable conditions for building users in terms of appropriate thermal comfort level according to ISO 7730:2005.	3••	Tubolit DG Plus is a part of building's systems. Adjusting proper design parameters will enable to improve energy efficiency and its supply to the system appliances. For energy efficiency the main parameter of Tubolit DG Plus is thermal conductivity $\lambda_{40^{\circ}\text{C}} \leq 0,04 \text{ W/mK}^1$.	
Reduction of energy use and carbon emissions	Ene 01	An energy performance should be carried out to assess building energy consumption during operation in comparison with the following requirements: notional building (parameters defined by national standards) and BREEAM best practice building (BREEAM defined parameters).	15••		
Energy efficient cold storage	Ene 05	Greenhouse gas emissions from cold storage systems should be reduced by improving their energy efficiency.	3••		

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LEED 2009

for Green Building Design and Construction

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LEED Issue	Credit	LEED Requirements	Points	Product compliance
EA Prerequisite 2	Minimum Energy Performance	Building's energy performance calculated using computer simulation model should demonstrate a 10% improvement for new buildings, or a 5% for major renovations in comparison to the baseline as a compulsory achievement by using energy efficient measures.	-	Tubolit DG Plus is a part of building's systems. Adjusting proper design parameters will enable to improve energy efficiency and its supply to the system appliances. For energy efficiency the main parameter of the Tubolit DG Plus is thermal conductivity $\lambda_{40^{\circ}\text{C}} \leq 0,040 \text{ W/mK}^1$. 
EA Credit 1	Optimize Energy Performance	Building's energy performance calculated using computer simulation model should demonstrate an improvement in comparison to the baseline. Number of points awarded depends on percentage improvement and building type.	21**	
IEQ Credit 3.2	Construction Indoor Air Quality Management Plan – before occupancy	A building flush-out or IAQ testing should be conducted prior to occupancy to demonstrate contaminant limits are not exceeded. The maximum concentration of formaldehyde in air is: 27 parts per billion while volatile organic compounds (VOC): 500 micrograms per cubic meter.	1**	Tubolit DG Plus may contribute reducing air contamination. Sampling, testing and evaluation of the product determine low levels of formaldehyde and VOC ² . 

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EA Prerequisite Minimum Energy Performance	Option 1. Whole-building energy simulation	An energy calculation should be carried out based on a simulation model in accordance to the ANSI/ASHRAE/IESNA Standard 90.1-2010, Appendix G with errata. An improvement of 5% (new construction projects), 3% (major renovations projects), 2% (core and shell projects) over a baseline should be demonstrated.	-	Tubolit DG Plus is a part of building's systems. Adjusting proper design parameters will enable to improve energy efficiency and its supply to the system appliances. For energy efficiency the main parameter of the Tubolit DG Plus is thermal conductivity $\lambda_{40^{\circ}\text{C}} \leq 0,040 \text{ W/mK}^1$.
EA Optimize Energy Performance	Option 1. Whole-building energy simulation	Building's energy performance calculated using computer simulation model should demonstrate an improvement in comparison to the baseline. Number of points awarded depends on percentage improvement.	18**	
EQ Thermal Comfort	Thermal Comfort Design Option 2. ISO and CEN Standards	A thermal comfort analysis should be carried out in accordance to the standards: ISO 7730:2005 and EN 15251:2007.	1**	
MR Building Product Disclosure and Optimization – Material Ingredients	Option 2. Material Ingredient Optimization	At least 25%, by cost, of the total value of permanently installed products should have a confirmation of using one of the paths for material ingredient optimization, as below: - GreenScreen v1.2 Benchmark, - Cradle to Cradle Certified, - International Alternative Compliance Path - REACH Optimization - USGBC approved program	1*	Tubolit DG Plus is using the International Alternative Compliance Path - REACH Optimization. Tubolit DG Plus does not contain substances meeting REACH criteria for substances of very high concern, listed on the REACH Authorisation or Candidate list ² . 
EQ Low-Emitting Materials	Option 1. Product category calculations	Up to 7 product categories of finishing materials should be compliant with relevant volatile organic compounds (VOC) emission levels and testing standards: - CDPH Standard Method (2010) or - German AgBB Testing and Evaluation Scheme (2010) or - ISO 16000-3/6/9/11:2010 in conjunction with AgBB or French legislation on VOC emission class labeling or the DIBt testing method (2010).	3*	Tubolit DG Plus has been tested ³ in accordance to: ISO 16000-3/6/9/11:2010 in conjunction with the German AgBB Testing and Evaluation Scheme (2012), DIBt (2010) and French legislation on VOC emission class. Product complies with limit values of the AgBB and DIBt regulations. For the French regulation emission class is A+. 

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