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# TESTS REPORT LZP02-01036/23/R756NZP/ENG

Product manufacturer / System	ALUPROF S.A.	
provider / Client:	ul. Warszawska 153	
	43-300 Bielsko-Biała	
Product name:	Curtain wall straight specimen in full cofiguracion of	
(as specified by the Client)	Aluprof MB-SR50N EI EI60 system, heating from the	
	outside	
Date of issue:	07.11.2023	

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## 1. Information on the tests

Basis for the report: Regulation (EU) No. 305/2011 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 2011 laying down harmonised conditions for the marketing of construction products and repealing Council Directive 89/106/EEC.

This Test Report contains the results of tests covered by the scope of accreditation as well as the results of non-accredited tests. Test results outside the scope of accreditation are marked as "outside the scope of accreditation".

Test method:	EN 1364-3:2014, no deviations. External heating curve.
Test completion date:	24-08-2023
Test start date:	24-08-2023

#### **Test location:**

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## 2. Test specimen

## 2.1. Information provided by the Client

Number of the relevant harmonised	EN 13830:2003
product standard:	

Declared range of application (in	iration
accordance with the harmonised standard):	

#### **General information:**

Curtain wall of Aluprof MB-SR50N EI type EI60 heated form the outside was manufactured of Aluprof MB-SR50N system elements and mounted on the test site by Aluprof S.A., ul. Warszawska 153, 43-300 Bielsko Biała.

The structure of the test specimen is shown in figs. in Appendix A.

The list of materials used is presented in table A.1 in Appendix A.

#### **Dimensions:**

The test specimen had following dimensions: (width × height):

- 3998 x 5130 mm (total dimentions),
- 3998 x 4500 mm (test specimen heated dimentions),
- 4500 mm (span length between slabs).

#### Structure:

MB-SR50N EI type EI60 curtain wall had mullion-transom structure. The specimen was manufactured with system aluminium profiles:

- mullions (cat. No. K431525X) with 145 × 50 mm cross-section, and
- transoms (cat. No. K431531X with 149,5 × 50 mm cross-section.

Load-bearing profiles (mullions and transoms) were reinforced with aluminium inserts (cat. No. K440824X) insulated with fire retardant elements made of type Palstop Pax boards with dimensions 9 x 84 x 2000 mm (cat. No. 8G00366X) and 9 x 64 x 2000 (nr kat. 8G00365X).

The reinforcement inserts were connected to mullions and transoms with steel connectors cat. No. 80312107 (transom) and 80312108 (mullion). The mullions and transoms were connected with overlap and by additional steel connectors cat. No. 80376051 and 80376052 (one-sided and doublesided respectively) mounted to mullions on which transoms were shoved.

In the case of the side mullins of the structure and for the upper transom, Palstop Pax board inserts (cat. No. 80462158) with dimensions of 10x64x2000 mm were additionally used in the place of glass mounting.

#### Infills

The specimen was infilled with:

- Pyrobel 25 EI60 TGU glazing units with thickness of 71,36 mm (D)/ 70,7 -71,8 (M) mm with following structure (listed form the outside): VSG 44.2 mm / spacer frame 14 mm/ ESG 6 mm / spacer frame 16 mm / Pyrobel 25 EI60 manufactured by AGC with thickness 26,6 mm. The details of the glass dimensions and placement are shown in fig. 2A in Appendix A.
- in area of the inter-stoyer belt, panels with following structure: glazing unit: ESG 6 mm/ spacer frame 16 mm/ ESG 6 mm; 100 mm rock wool with density of 80 kg/m<sup>3</sup> type WENTIROCK manufactured by ROCKWOOL/ 0,80 mm steel sheet / 12,5 mm type F plasterboard.

#### **Infills fixing**

The clamp beads K417890X were used as external glass mounting, connected to the wall structure with steel clamps cat. No. 80322091 in 250 mm and M6×60 steel bolts (cat. No. 80371326) in 250 mm spacing.

The glass panes were supported on steel glass supports cat. No. 8A01001X, and set on hardwooden setting blocks cat. no. 8A01055X and 8A01056X

EPDM gaskets cat. No. 120480, 120481, 120484, 120485 and intumescent tape type PUD cat. No. 127109 manufactured by Carboline were used as structural sealing.

The tape was circumferentially glued to the mullions and transoms in the vicinity of infills and glazing units.

#### Spandrel

Opaque inter-storey spandrel was built into the structure of the specimen – Fig. 11A in Appendix A.

Layers of the opaque spandrel (listed from the outside):

- glazed unit: 6 mm ESG glass / 16 mm spacer frame/ 6 mm ESG glass;
- 100 mm rock wool (with additional layer of 50 mm in the level of the slab) with density of • 80 kg/m<sup>3</sup>, Wentirock type manufactured by Rockwool

Steel sheet angles with 0,80 mm thickness were screwed with 3.5×16 screws spaced by 400 mm to transoms limiting the inter-storey spandrel, and cladded with 12,5 mm type F plasterboard.

The structure was bind on the inside with 1,5 mm steel angles mounted with steel rivets (cat. No. 87252403) in 400 mm spacing.

Load-bearing mullions were divided in the floor level with 10 mm dilatation allowing mullion expanding. The dilatation was made with system aluminium profile cat. No. K432147X, which was filled and cladded with type Promatect H insulation boards and spaced by insulators cat. No. 009020.

#### Test specimen fixing to the supporting construction

The connection of the curtain wall of the MB-SR50N EI type EI60 system with the steel frame was made by means of aluminum sliding brackets cat. No. 80002128 (at the bottom) and fixed brackets cat. No. 80002127 (at the top), connected to the mullions through steel sleeves with M12 x 95 mm screws. The aluminum brackets were connected to the steel C-section with M12 x 45 mm steel bolts, washers and nuts.

Associated walls made of aerated concrete blocks density of  $600 \text{ kg/m}^3$  and a thickness of 240 mm were built along the vertical edges of the test specimen.

Vertical gaps of about 20 mm width, between the steel frame and the associated walls of aerated concrete, were filled with a layer of ceramic wool.

## 2.2. Information obtained based on visual inspection in the Laboratory

#### Acceptance of the test item into the laboratory:

Date:	24-08-2023
Acceptance protocol:	LZP02-01036/23/R756NZP
Preparations of the test specimen:	
Supporting construction preparation date:	2008-2023
Test specimen inSteellation in the supporting construction date:	24-08-2023
Conditioning:	test specimen did not require conditioning.
Selection of test specimens:	laboratory was involved in selection.
Size of the test specimen:	full-size.

#### Receipt of the test specimen mounted on the test site:

Object mounted on the test site in ITB Fire Testing Laboratory in Pionki by ALUPROF® S.A., ul. Warszawska 153, 43-300 Bielsko-Biała.

#### **Condition of the test specimen:**

The test specimen was provided in condition and quantity sufficient for the test. The test specimen was mounted in the supporting construction in a manner allowing for test execution.

## 2.2.1. Verification of the test specimen

Verification (in practicable scope) of conformity of the specification data provided by the Client with the test specimen was made before and after the test. Verification measurements are not encompassed by accreditation.

Total overall dimensions of the heated part of the test piece:

# the 3997 x 4500 mm (width × height)

Mullion and transom profiles:

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Thickness of fire-resistant glazed units (average of 4 measurements)

according to Client's documentation.

Pole nr.(9) 1238x1426	1		Pole nr. 10 1238x1426	2	Î	Pole nr. (1) 1400x2800	3	
		1426			1426			
- 12	38		-	1238				2800
Pole nr. 13 2500x1350				4				
					1350			
-		25	00			-	1400	
Pole nr. 14 1238x1246	5		Pole nr. (15) 1238x1246	6	Ì	Pole nr. 16 1400x1246	7	İ
		1246			1246			1246
12	38		-	1238		-	1400	

Glass nr 1	71,5
Glass nr 2	71,4
Glass nr 3	71,3
Glass nr 4	71,4
Glass nr 5	71,2
Glass nr 6	71,0
Glass nr 7	71,4



Fig. 1. Test specimen before the test – exposed side (before facing the furnace)



Fig. 2. Test specimen before the test - detail



Fig. 3 Test specimen before the test - exposed side

#### 3. Fire resistance test

## 3.1. Test method

## 3.1.1. General

**Method:** EN 1364-3:2014

**Deviations:** no deviations

# Standards referenced in the method, relevant for the test:

EN 1363-1:2020

#### Field of application of the method:

This report details the method of construction, the test conditions and the results obtained when the specific element of the construction described herein was tested following the procedure outlined in EN 1363-1, and where appropriate EN 1363-2. Any significant deviation with respect to size, constructional details, loads, stresses, edge or end conditions other than those allowed under the field of direct application in the relevant test method is not covered by this report.

#### Compliance of the test with the method:

Execution of the test, ambient conditions and accuracy of utilized measuring devices were in accordance with requirements of the method.

The uncertainties of the measurements made during this test are within ranges required by appropriate test methods.

## 3.1.2. Test conditions

Location of measurement points:	Fig. 4
Furnace temperature:	fig. 5, external curve
Initial temperatures:	
furnace:	25,6°C, (25,6°C ≤ 50°C)
test specimen:	24,4°C, $(10^{\circ}C \le 24,4^{\circ}C \le 40^{\circ}C)$
unexposed surface:	24,4°C
Heating tolerance:	Fig. 6
Furnace pressure:	Fig. 7, measurement at the reference point 20 Pa
Ambient temperature:	fig. 8





Fig. 3. Location of measurement points on unexposed side of the test specimen





Fig. 5. Temperature of furnace heating conditions



Fig. 6. Tolerance of heating



Fig. 7. Furnace pressure





#### **3.2. Test resuts**

Test duration:	68m 36s
Temperature rised on the unexposed surface:	Fig. 9 -23
Field of application of test results:	wg EN 1364-3:2014 p. 13

Tab. 1. 4.2.2.2. Measurements and observations during the test

Time	Record
0m 0s	Commencement of the test
1m 41s	Internal layers of glass panes 1-7 break and fell into the furnace (glass numberin as in point 2.2.1.);
36m 23s	Bubbles appear on the outer surface of the glass panes;
68m 36s	Termination of the test (reason: in agreement with the Client)

# 3.2.1. Graphs of temperature increases on the exposed surface of the test specimen



Fig. 9. Temperature rise on the unexposed surface of the test specimen – average and maximum temperature thermoelements



Fig. 10. Temperature rise on the unexposed surface of the test specimen – average and maximum temperature thermoelements



Fig. 11. Temperature rise on the unexposed surface of the test specimen – average and maximum temperature thermoelements



Fig. 12. Temperature rise on the unexposed surface of the test specimen – average and maximum temperature thermoelements



Fig. 13. Temperature rise on the unexposed surface of the test specimen – average and maximum temperature thermoelements



Fig. 14. Temperature rise on the unexposed surface of the test specimen – average and maximum temperature thermoelements



Fig. 15. Temperature rise on the unexposed surface of the test specimen – average and maximum temperature thermoelements



Fig. 16. Temperature rise on the unexposed surface of the test specimen – average and maximum temperature thermoelements



Fig. 17. Temperature rise on the unexposed surface of the test specimen – average and maximum temperature thermoelements



Fig. 18. Temperature rise on the unexposed surface of the test specimen – average and maximum temperature thermoelements



Fig. 19. Temperature rise on the unexposed surface of the test specimen – maximum temperature thermoelements



Fig. 20. Temperature rise on the unexposed surface of the test specimen – maximum temperature thermoelements



Fig. 21. Temperature rise on the unexposed surface of the test specimen – maximum temperature thermoelements

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#### **3.2.2. Deflection**

The places of measurement of deflection of the curtain wall perpendicular to its surface are shown in Fig. 5. The values of the measured displacements are shown in Fig. 23 below.

Displacements towards the inside of the furnace – negative displacements. Movements towards the outside of the furnace – positive displacements.



Fig. 23. Test specimen deflections



## 3.2.3. Photographic documentation during the test

Fig. 24. Unexposed side of the test specimen, t = 4 m



Fig. 25. Unexposed side of the test specimen, t = 15 m





Fig. 26. Unexposed side of the test specimen, t = 41 m



Fig. 27. Unexposed side of the test specimen, t = 61 m





Fig. 28. Unexposed side of the test specimen after the test



Fig. 29. Exposed side of the test specimen after the test

## 3.2.4. Measurement uncertainty

Due to the nature of the fire resistance test and the resulting difficulty in quantifying the uncertainty of the fire resistance measurement, it is not possible to determine a fixed level of accuracy of the results.

## 3.2.5. Fire resistance criteria

Tab. 2. Szczelność ogniowa

Integrity performance (E)	Time	Location	
Sustained flaming	68 min no failure	-	
Cotton pad	68 min no failure	-	
6 mm gap gauge	68 min no failure	_	
25 mm gap gauge	68 min no failure	_	

#### Tab. 3. Izolacyjność ogniowa

Insulation performance (I)	Time	Location
Average temperature rise (140K)	68 min no failure	-
Maximum temperature rise – normal procedure	68 min no failure	-

In accordance with the provisions given in EN 13501-2:2016, the assessment of the compliance of the results with the criteria is included in a separate document (classification report), provided that the owner of this report requested such a document.

## 3.2.5.1. Field of direct application of test results (DIAP)

According to EN 1364-3:2014 Clause 13.

## 4. Assessment of product performance

The assessment of the product's performance is presented in a Classification Report in accordance with the standard EN 13501-2:2016 issued on the basis of this test report.

Factors influencing the risk associated with the performance assessment carried out:

- the uncertainty of measurement as presented in section 3 of this report,
- the uncertainty of the test method not presented in the test standard,
- the level of representativeness of the sample tested by the laboratory in relation to the product population knowledge of the variability of the product population and the representativeness of the sample provided to the laboratory is held by the manufacturer.

## Annex A Technical documentation of the Client

Tab. A.1. List of materials

Profiles			
Code	Description	Material	
K431525X	Mullion 145 mm	Aluminium	
K431531X	Transom 149,5 mm	Aluminium	
K417890X	Clamping strip	Aluminium	
K417891X	Concealing strip 15 mm	Aluminium	
K417892X	Concealing strip 20 mm	Aluminium	
K440824X	Reinforcement of mullion 89 mm	Aluminium	
K432147X	Reinforcement of mullion 122 mm	Aluminium	
K417914X	Spacer 5 mm	Aluminium	
K417916X	Spacer 20 mm	Aluminium	
K434037X	Spacer 15 mm	Aluminium	

Gasketss				
Code	Description	Material		
120480	Gasket 4 mm	EPDM		
120485	Gasket 9mm	EPDM		
120484	Gasket 8 mm	EPDM		
120481	Gasket 5 mm			

Accessories				
Code	Description	Material		
80122119	Connector 50x10 mm	Aluminium		
80311079	Tightening insert for a mullion-mullion connection	Inox/EPDM		
80312107	Steel pivot ø10x55 mm	Steel		
80312108	Steel pivot ø10x73 mm	Steel		
8A01001X	Glass support 78x100 mm	Steel		
80322091	Steel washer	Steel		
80371208	Screw 3,9x13 mm	Steel		
80371260	Bolt M6x12 mm	Steel		
80371275	Bolt M6x70 mm	Steel		
80371318	Bolt M6x50 mm	Steel		
80371336	Bolt M6x16 mm	Steel		
80375322	Conical washer 14x6,5 mm	Steel		
80376051	Steel pivot ø10,5x50 mm	Steel		
80376052	Steel pivot ø10,5x100 mm	Steel		

80957034	Wooden packer 1x40x80 mm		Wood		
80957035 Wooden packer 2x40x80 mm		Wood			
87252405 Screw 4,2x19 mm		Steel			
87252722	Screw 5,5x19 mm		Steel		
DIN7504P 4,2x19 Screw DIN7504P 4.2x19		Steel			
804XXXX1 Fixing inserts plate		Steel			
80379962 Steel pivot			Steel		
80379980	30379980 Protective ring		Steel		
80379961	30379961 Steel pivot		Steel		
87222204 Screw DIN7982 3.5x16			Steel		
Infills					
Nominal thickness	Description	Dii	mensions		
Nominal thickness 71,36 mm	Description ESG 44.2 mm / frame 14 mm / ESG 6 mm / frame 16 mm / Pyrobel 25 EI60 26,6 mm	<b>Di</b> 1238 x 1	mensions 426 mm		
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Fig. 1A. General view of the test piece, dimensions, section designation





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#### Szyba Pyrobel 25

- 26,6 mm Pyrobel 25 1.
- 2. Spacer 16mm
- 6 toughened glass Spacer 14mm 3.
- 4. 5.
  - 8.76mm laminated glass (44.2)
    - 4mm annealed glass
       2x PVB films of 0.38mm each
    - 4mm annealed glass



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Fig. 2A. Transparent fillings



Fig. 3A. Glass panes in non transparent fillings



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Fig. 4A. Section 1-1





Fig. 5A. Section 2-2'



Fig. 6A. Section 3-3



Fig. 7A. Section 3'-3'



Fig. 8A. Section 4'-4'



Fig. 9A. Section 5-5



Fig. 10A. Section 6-6



Fig. 11. Section 7-7



Fig. 12A. Section 8-8



Fig. 13A. Section 9-9

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