

## Reaction to fire extended application report Nr 15090C

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## Normative references

This extended application report concerns test results obtained in accordance with test method EN 13823: 2002/2010 and EN ISO 1716: 2010.

The extended application process is carried out in conformity with the following extended application standard: DD CEN/TS 15117: 2005: Guidance on direct and extended application.

This extended application report consists of 18 pages, including 3 annexes.



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#### 1. DETAILS OF PRODUCT CONCERNED

#### a) <u>Nature</u>

Product Technical Specifications: EN 12467+A2: 2006 Product family: Fibre cement boards Intended use / End-use application: Internal and external wall and ceiling finishes.

#### b) Description

	Nominal value				
ETER-BOARD MD, OPERAL, PAINTBOARD (MD), PAINTBOARD PRIM					
Material	The material consists of a fibre cement board, composed of Portland cement, mineral fillers, organic reinforcement fibres and functional additives. For Operal and Paintboard Prim, on the front side the board is finished by a water based acrylic paint. Paintboard was made hydrophobic through silanes.				
Manufacturer	Eternit nv				
Total thickness (mm)	9				
Total density (kg/m³)	1358 (*)				
Nominal density (kg/m³)	1230				
BLUCLAD					
Material	The material consists of a fibre cement board, composed of Portland cement, mineral fillers, organic reinforcement fibres and functional additives. The material was made hydrophobic through silanes.				
Manufacturer	Eternit nv				
Total thickness (mm)	10				
Nominal density (kg/m³)	1230				



CEDRAL-SIDINGS, CEDRAL CLIC	CEDRAL-SIDINGS, CEDRAL CLICK				
	The material consists of a decorative fibrocement sheet. The				
Material	base sheet is a semi compressed fibre cement board consisting essentially of a crystalline calcium silicate matrix formed by a chemical reaction of pre-cured Portland cement and silica sand in an autoclave. The matrix is reinforced with homogeneously dispersed cellulose fibres. The boards are finished on one side with a water based acrylic primer and paint (75 g/m <sup>2</sup> ).				
Manufacturer	Eternit nv				
Total thickness Cedral-Sidings (mm)	10				
Total thickness Cedral Click (mm)	12				
Nominal density (kg/m³)	1230				
ETER-BACKER HD					
Material	The material consists of a fibre cement board, composed of Portland cement, mineral fillers, organic reinforcement fibres and functional additives.				
Manufacturer	Eternit nv				
Total thickness (mm)	8				
Total density (kg/m³)	1600				
ETER-BOARD HD, ETER-COLOR					
Material	The material consists of a fibre cement board, composed of Portland cement, mineral fillers, organic reinforcement fibres and functional additives. The surface of the material is polished.				
Manufacturer	Eternit nv				
Total thickness (mm)	8				
Total density (kg/m³)	1600				



EPDM JOINT PROFILE WITH RIDGES 45/90MM						
Material	EPDM-rubber used as joint strip					
Manufacturer	Nes BV					
Thickness (mm)	1					
Surface mass (g/m²)	87 & 167					
Colour	Grey					
MOUNTING & FIXING EN 13823						
Substrate	According to EN 12467+A2: 2006, the fibre cement boards were screwed onto a wooden frame with a 40mm air gap between fibre cement and thermal insulation. See annex 1 (pages 2 and 3 of 3) for the dimensions of the frame and the screws. The products Cedral-Sidings and Cedral Click are mounted with a metal profile in the corner.					
Joints	The material was tested with a vertical joint (width 10mm) at 200mm from the corner and a horizontal joint (width 10mm) at 500mm from the inner edge of the specimen.					
EPDM	If EPDM joint profile with ridges is used, a strip of 45mm is placed between the vertical members of the wooden frame and the board (thickness of 1mm, surface mass of 87 g/m <sup>2</sup> ) and a strip of 90mm is placed behind the vertical joint onto the vertical members of the wooden frame (thickness of 1mm, surface mass of 167 g/m <sup>2</sup> ).					
Insulation	A mineral wool insulation having a thickness of 50mm and a density of 70 kg/m <sup>3</sup>					
Backing	Calcium silicate backing board (12,5mm; 870 kg/m³)					

(\*) Measured by the laboratory



## 2. <u>TEST REPORTS AND TEST RESULTS IN SUPPORT OF THIS EXTENDED</u> APPLICATION

#### a) Test reports

Name of the laboratory	Name of the sponsor	Test report Nr.	Test method
WFRGENT nv Ghent, Belgium	ETERNIT nv Kapelle-op-den-Bos, Belgium	11649G 11649H 12047B 12048B	EN ISO 1716 (February 2002)
WFRGENT nv Ghent, Belgium	ETERNIT nv Kapelle-op-den-Bos, Belgium	15090A	EN ISO 1716 (June 2010)
WFRGENT nv Ghent, Belgium	ETERNIT nv Kapelle-op-den-Bos, Belgium	11649K 12047A 12048A 12049A 12059A	EN 13823 (February 2002)
WFRGENT nv Ghent, Belgium	ETERNIT nv Kapelle-op-den-Bos, Belgium	15090B	EN 13823 (July 2010)

Deviations from the test standard:

EN 13823: 15090B: two tests on each product have been carried out instead of the standard three replicates.



## b) Test samples

Test report ref. Nr.	Sampling procedure	Conditioning	Number of samples tested
11649G	System of attestation 3	For fixed period	3
11649H	System of attestation 3	For fixed period	3
11649K	System of attestation 3	For fixed period	3
12047A	System of attestation 3	To constant mass	3
12047B	System of attestation 3	To constant mass	3
12048A	System of attestation 3	To constant mass	3
12048B	System of attestation 3	To constant mass	3
12049A	System of attestation 3	To constant mass	3
12059A	System of attestation 3	To constant mass	3
15090A	System of attestation 3	For fixed period	3
15090B	System of attestation 3	To constant mass	2 x 2



c) Test results

			Res	sults	0-1	ta -la		
Test method	Daramotor	Number of tests	Continuous parameters	Compliance parameters	Criteria for Class A2-s1,d0			
			Mean		Continuous parameters	Compliance parameters		
TER-BOARD MD, OPERAL, PAINTBOARD (MD), PAINTBOARD PRIM								
EN ISO 1716	PCS (MJ/kg) (1)	3	1,2	(-)	≤ 3,0	(-)		
	PCS (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> ) (2)	3	1,4	(-)	≤ 4,0	(-)		
	PCS (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> ) (3)	3	2,5	(-)	≤ 4,0	(-)		
	PCS (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> ) (4)	3	0,6	(-)	≤ 4,0	(-)		
	PCS (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> ) (5)	3	2,5	(-)	≤ 4,0	(-)		
1. Base sheet - Based o	PCS (MJ/kg) (6)	(-)	1,7	(-)	≤ 3,0	(-)		
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Total Product = 1,7 CEDRAL-SIDINGS, CE			Sile 1- Sec		25 - 14 S. F.			
EN ISO 1716	PCS (MJ/kg) (1)	3	0,8	(-)	≤ 3,0	(-)		
	PCS (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> ) (2)	3	1,4	(-)	≤ 4,0	(-)		
	PCS (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> ) (3)	3	2,5	(-)	≤ 4,0	(-)		
	PCS (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> ) (4)	3	0,6		≤ 4,0			
			0,0	(-)	≤4,0	(-)		
		3	2,5	(-) (-)	≤ 4,0 ≤ 4,0	(-) (-)		
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BLUCLAD	A Carlos and a carlos	En Yes		14. X. A. S. S.		
EN ISO 1716	PCS (MJ/kg) (1)	3	1,0	(-)	≤ 3,0	(-)
	PCS (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> ) (2)	3	2,5	(-)	≤ 4,0	(-)
	PCS (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> ) (3)	3	0,6	(-)	≤ 4,0	(-)
	PCS (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> ) (4)	3	2,5	(-)	≤ 4,0	(-)
	PCS (MJ/kg) (5)	(-)	1,4	(-)	≤ 3,0	(-)
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eport Nr. 15090A						
FPDM as external	non substantial compone	ent (10mm v	/isible) – Based	on the results o	btained in test re	port Nr. 15090
I. EPDM as internal r	non substantial compone	nt (40mm o	n the other side	e of the joint) – Ba	ased on the resu	Ilts obtained in
est report Nr. 15090/						
5. Product as a whole	);					
Substantial compo	onent = 1,0 MJ/kg X 1230	$\frac{12}{2}$	2,3 MJ/m²	1/1002		
Internal non subst	antial component = 34,3	MJ/Kg X 74	$2 g/m^2 = 2,5 W$	1J/M* 1 1/m2		
External non subs	tantial component = 34,3	8 WJ/KG X 10	8,6 g/m² = 0,6 M	//J/111 <sup>-</sup> 1.1/m²		
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Total Product = 1,4		i sunace me	33 12401 ym			
ETER-BACKER HD	morky				Sec. 2. 2. 2	
EN ISO 1716	PCS (MJ/kg) (1)	3	1,0	(-)	≤ 3,0	(-)
	PCS (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> ) (2)	3	2,5	(-)	≤ 4,0	(-)
	PCS (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> )(3)	3	0,6	(-)	≤ 4,0	(-)
	PCS (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> ) (4)	3	2,5	(-)	≤ 4,0	(-)
	PCS (MJ/kg) (5)	(-)	1,4	(-)	≤ 3,0	(-)
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report Nr. 15090A		111 (4011111 0		lo jointy Duccu		
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4. EPDM as internal i	non substantial compone	nt (40mm o	on the other side	e of the joint) – B	ased on the resu	ults obtained in
test report Nr. 15090		,				
5. Product as a whole	ə:					
Substantial comp	onent = 1,0 MJ/kg X 128	00 g/m² = 11	2,8 MJ/m²			
Internal non subs	tantial component = 34,3	MJ/kg X 74	l,2 g/m² = 2,5 №	IJ/m²		
External non subs	stantial component = 34,3	3 MJ/kg X 1	8,6 g/m² = 0,6 l	VIJ/m²		
Internal non subs	tantial component = 34,3	MJ/kg X 74	$1,2 g/m^2 = 2,5 N$	1J/m²		
	nents = 18,4 MJ/m² / tota	l surface m	ass 12967 g/m <sup>-</sup>	2		
Total Product = "	1 4 M.I/ka					

Total Product = 1,4 MJ/kg



ETER-BOARD HD, ET	ER-COLOR		1. 1. A. A. A.			
EN ISO 1716	PCS (MJ/kg) (1)	3	1,2	(-)	≤ 3,0	(-)
al and a second	PCS (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> ) (2)	3	2,5	(-)	≤ 4,0	(-)
	PCS (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> ) (3)	3	0,6	(-)	≤ 4,0	(-)
	PCS (MJ/m <sup>2</sup> ) (4)	3	2,5	(-)	≤ 4,0	(-)
	PCS (MJ/kg) (5)	(-)	1,6	(-)	≤ 3,0	(-)
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Total Product = 1,6 MJ EN 13823 (1)	FIGRA 0,2 MJ (W/s)		21	(-)	≤ 120	(-)
	LFS <sub>edge</sub>		(-)	Yes	(-)	Yes
	THR <sub>600s</sub> (MJ)		1,4	(-)	≤ 7,5	(-)
	SMOGRA (m <sup>2</sup> /s <sup>2</sup> )		2	(-)	≤ 30	(-)
	TSP <sub>600s</sub> (m <sup>2</sup> )	3	33	(-)	≤ 50	(-)
	Flaming	-				3.5
	droplets/particles					
	f<10s		(-)	Yes	(-)	Yes
	f>10s		(-)	No	(-)	No
1. Operal (without use o	of EPDM) – Based on t	he results o	btained in test	report Nr. 12048	4	

(-) Not applicable

	FIGRA (W/s)	THR <sub>600S</sub> (MJ)	SMOGRA (m²/s²)	TSP <sub>600S</sub> (m²)	
Bluclad	1	0,6	0	24	
Cedral-Sidings	4	0,9	2	21	
Eter-Backer HD	5	0,7	1	26	
Eter-Board HD, Eter-Color	4	0,6	2	26	
Operal	21	1,4	2	33	

Based on the results obtained in test reports Nrs. 12047A, 11649K, 12049A, 12059A and 12048A.



	FIGRA (W/s)	THR <sub>600S</sub> (MJ)	SMOGRA (m²/s²)	TSP <sub>600S</sub> (m²)
Operal without EPDM				
1A	25	1,5	2	33
1B	18	1,3	2	34
Average Operal without EPDM	22	1,4	2	34
Operal with EPDM				
2A	0	0,6	2	19
2B	0	0,4	2	18
Average Operal with EPDM	0	0,5	2	19

Based on the results obtained in test report Nr. 15090B: two tests on each product have been carried out instead of the standard three replicates.

#### d) Additional supporting data used in the extended application process (if any)

None



#### 3. EXTENDED APPLICATION

#### a) Principles applied for the extension of the field of application

This extended application procedure is based on:

Additional test results on one product/end-use parameter in accordance with DD CEN/TS 15117 § 6.2.1

b) Procedure

#### Preliminary examination

Based on the results in test reports Nr. 11649K, 12047A, 12048A, 12049A and 12059A, the product Operal can be considered the worst case product over the products Eter-Board MD, Paintboard MD, Paintboard Prim, Bluclad, Cedral-Sidings, Eter-Backer HD, Eter-Board HD and Eter-Color, and can therefore cover this entire range of products. See the graphs in Annex 2.

The sponsor has declared that the only difference between the products Cedral Click and Cedral-Sidings is thickness of the materials and the mechanical fixation. Since EN 12467+A2: 2006 states that any mechanical fixing is covered if tested mechanically fixed and the smallest thickness automatically covers all greater thicknesses, Cedral Click (with thickness 12mm) can be added to Cedral-Sidings (with thickness 10mm) without testing.

#### Extended application

To evaluate the product parameter *Use of EPDM joint profile with ridges 45/90mm covering the joints* tests were performed according to EN 13823 on the product Operal with and without EPDM (presented to the laboratory).

As a conclusion, the product **without EPDM** obtained the worst case results over the other product.

Therefore this worst case result can be considered the upper limit for results of the range Operal with and without EPDM presented to the laboratory. See the graphs in Annex 3.



#### 4. EXTENDED APPLICATION RESULTS

#### a) Application range - product family

This extended application for the product as described in §1b, is valid for the following end-use applications:

The classification applies to fibre cement flat sheets of the same mix formulation as the base sheet, same thickness, same density and same facing or coating thickness as used for the test and within a field determined by the normal manufacturing tolerances.

This extended application for the product as described in §1b, is valid for the following product parameters and end use conditions:

- Fibre cement boards of the same type, but with different dimensions of length and width
- With a thickness of 9 mm or higher for the products Eter-Board MD, Operal, Paintboard (MD) and Paintboard Prim
- With a thickness of 10 mm or higher for the products Bluclad and Cedral- Sidings
- With a thickness of 12 mm or higher for the product Cedral Click
- With a thickness of 8 mm or higher for the products Eter-Backer HD, Eter-Board HD and Eter-Color
- With a different surface texture (smooth or embossed)
- Total density of 1358 kg/m<sup>3</sup>, within a range of ± 150 kg/m<sup>3</sup> for the products Eter-Board MD, Operal, Paintboard (MD), Paintboard Prim, Bluclad, Cedral Click and Cedral-Sidings
- Nominal density of 1600 kg/m<sup>3</sup>, within a range of ± 150 kg/m<sup>3</sup> for the products Eter-Backer HD, Eter-Board HD and Eter-Color
- With vertical joints having a width of 10 mm or smaller covered or uncovered with EPDM joint profile with ridges 90mm (1mm; 167 g/m<sup>2</sup>) or other jointing material for a similar or higher fire classification
- With uncovered horizontal joints having a width of 10mm or smaller
- Fixed with all other types of mechanical devices such as metal nails or rivets
- Fixed at different (wider or closer) horizontal or vertical fixing centres
- Fixed to wooden or metallic profiles covered or uncovered with EPDM joint profile with ridges 45mm (1mm; 87 g/m<sup>2</sup>)
- Without thermal insulation in the cavity or with other types of insulation having a minimum class A2 (acc. EN13501-1), a minimum nominal thickness of 50 mm and a minimum nominal density of (70 ± 20) kg/m<sup>3</sup> as long as a ventilated air gap behind the sheets is present
- Without finishes or with different finishes or coatings
- All colours
- Cedral-Sidings and Cedral Click: with a metal profile in the corner



#### b) Fire performance parameters

All products as described in §1b and within the field of application as defined in §4a, can be considered to obtain reaction to fire test results that are lower than or equal to the results obtained in §2c.

#### 5. ADDITIONAL STATEMENT

The extended application results relate to the behaviour of a product/product family 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/product family in use.

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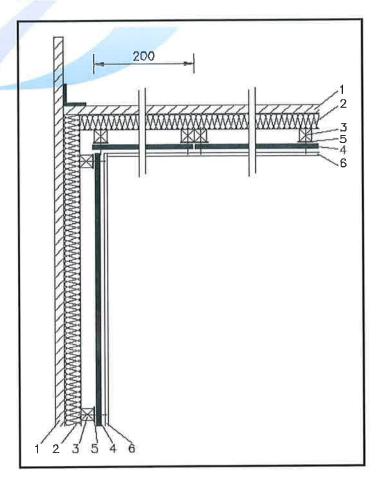
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## Mounting specifications (\*)

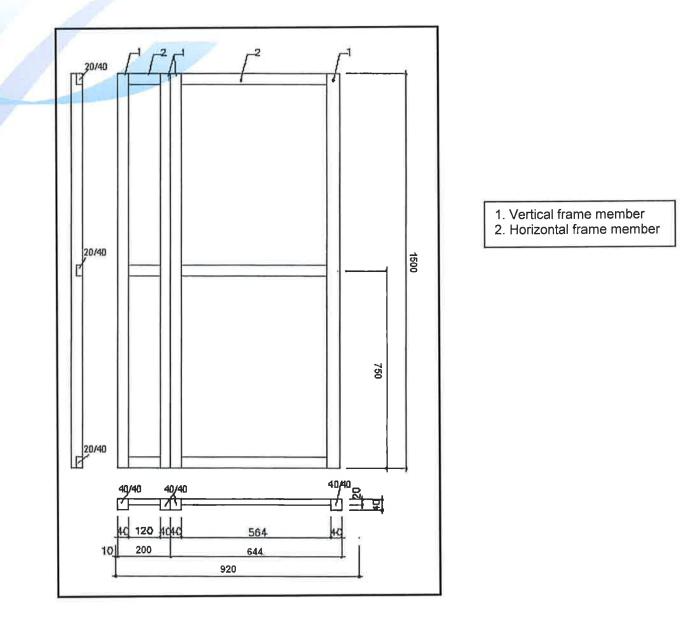


- 1. Backing board
- 2. Insulation
- 3. Vertical member
- (timber)
- 4. Sheet
- 5. EPDM if used
- 6. U-channel

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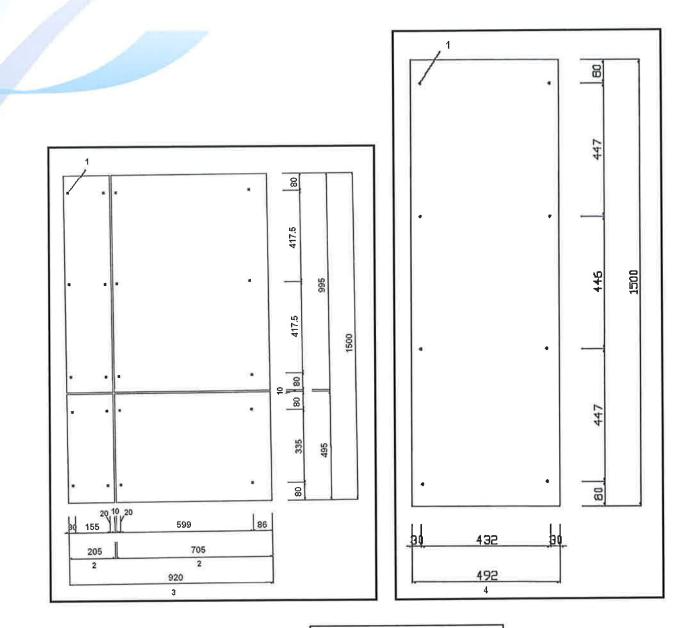




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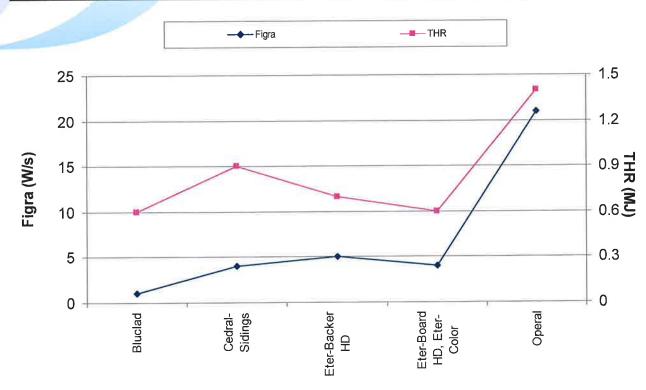


- 1. Screw
- 2. Width of the sheet
- 3. Width of the long wing
- 4. Width of the short wing

(\*) Drawing not to scale

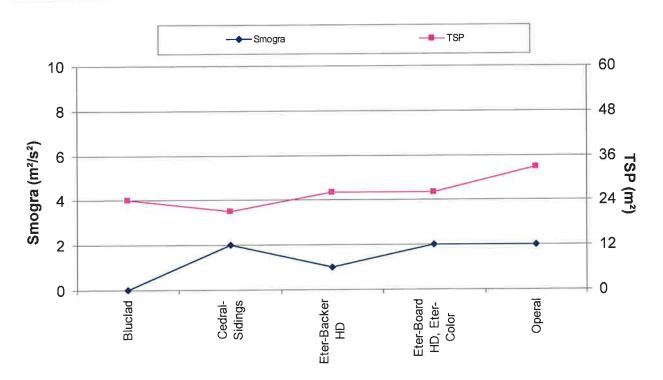
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### Graph of the influence of sort of product on the Figra and THR value

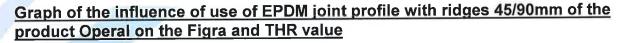
Graph of the influence of sort of product on the Smogra and TSP value

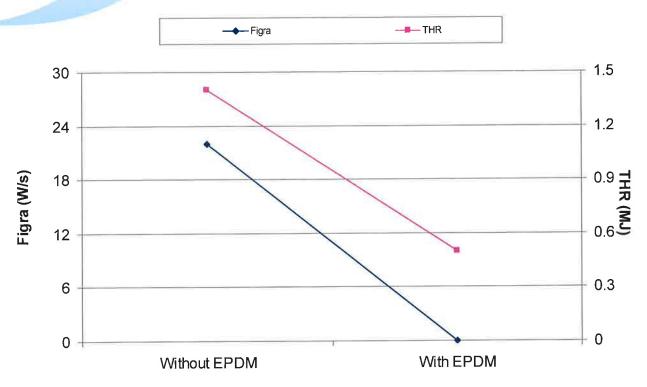


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Annex 3





# <u>Graph of the influence of use of EPDM joint profile with ridges 45/90mm of the product Operal on the Smogra and TSP value</u>

