

CLASSIFICATION OF REACTION TO FIRE PERFORMANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH EN 13501-1:2018

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Sponsor	Vescom B.V. Sint Jozefstraat 20 5753 AV Deurne The Netherlands
Product name	Dale wallcovering
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1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 PRODUCT NAME

This classification report defines the classification assigned to **Dale wallcovering** in accordance with the procedures given in EN 13501-1:2018.

2. DETAILS OF CLASSIFIED PRODUCT

2.1 GENERAL

The product, **Dale wallcovering**, is defined as a wallcovering.

2.2 MANUFACTURER

Vescom B.V.
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The Netherlands

2.3 PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

According to the sponsor the product is composed of:

- Woven textile, wool, polyester and polyamide, with a thickness of 0.65 mm and a mass per unit area of 205 g/m²;
- Adhesive with a thickness of 0.05 mm and a mass per unit area of 15 g/m²;
- Nonwoven backing, cellulosic/polyester, with a thickness of 0.2 mm and a mass per unit area of 90 g/m²;
- Glued with adhesive Vescom 2000 with a wet mass per unit area of approx. 200 g/m² (wet, liquid before application)
- Woven texture and grey colour.

The product has a total thickness of 0.9 mm and a mass per unit area of approx. 310 g/m².

3. STANDARDS, REPORTS, RESULTS AND CRITERIA IN SUPPORT OF THIS CLASSIFICATION

3.1 APPLICABLE (PRODUCT) STANDARDS

EN ISO 11925-2:2020	Reaction to fire tests - Ignitability of products subjected to direct impingement of flame - Part 2: Single-flame source test
EN 13823:2020	Reaction to fire tests for building products - Building products, excluding floorings exposed to the thermal attack by a single burning item
EN 13238:2010	Reaction to fire tests for building products - Conditioning procedures and general rules for selection of substrates
EN 13501-1:2018	Fire classification of construction products and building elements Part 1: Classification using data from reaction to fire tests
EN 15102:2019	Decorative wallcoverings – Roll and panel form products

3.2 REPORTS

Name of Laboratories	Name of sponsor	Report ref. no.	Test method
Efectis Nederland BV THE NETHERLANDS	Vescom B.V. THE NETHERLANDS	2022-Efectis-R000976 2020-Efectis-R000977	EN ISO 11925-2:2020 EN 13823:2020

3.3 TEST RESULTS

Test method and test number	Parameter	No. tests	Results	
			Continuous parameter – maximum	Compliance with parameters
EN ISO 11925-2				
Surface flame impingement	Fs ≤150 mm	6	60	-
	Ignition of filter paper		-	Compliant
Edge flame Impingement	Fs ≤150 mm	6	60	-
	Ignition of filter paper		-	Compliant

Test method and test number	Parameter	No. tests	Results	
			Continuous parameter – mean (m)	Compliance with parameters
EN 13823				
	FIGRA _{0.2MJ} [W/s]	3	296	-
	FIGRA _{0.4MJ} [W/s]		155	-
	THR _{600s} [MJ]		1.8	-
	LFS < edge		-	Compliant
	SMOGRA [m ² /s ²]		0.0	-
	TSP _{600s} [m ²]		25	-
	Flaming debris - flaming ≤ 10 s - flaming > 10 s		- -	Compliant Compliant

3.4 CLASSIFICATION CRITERIA

Fire classification of construction products and building elements Excluding floorings and linear pipe thermal insulation products			
Classification criteria			
Class	B	C	D
Test method(s)			
EN ISO 11925-2 Exposure = 30 s	$F_s \leq 150$ mm within 60 s Ignition of the paper in EN ISO 11925-2 results in a d2 classification.		
EN 13823	$FIGRA_{0.2 MJ} \leq 120$ W/s LFS < edge of specimen $THR_{600s} \leq 7.5$ MJ	$FIGRA_{0.4 MJ} \leq 250$ W/s LFS < edge of specimen $THR_{600s} \leq 15$ MJ	$FIGRA_{0.4 MJ} \leq 750$ W/s
Additional classification			
Smoke production	s1 = SMOGRA ≤ 30 m ² /s ² and TSP _{600s} ≤ 50 m ² ; s2 = SMOGRA ≤ 180 m ² /s ² and TSP _{600s} ≤ 200 m ² ; s3 = not s1 or s2		
Flaming Droplets/particles	d0 = no flaming droplets/ particles in EN 13823 within 600 s ; d1 = no flaming droplets/ particles persisting longer than 10 s in EN 13823 within 600 s ; d2 = not d0 or d1.		

4. CLASSIFICATION AND FIELD OF APPLICATION

4.1 REFERENCE OF CLASSIFICATION

This classification has been carried out in accordance with clause 11 of EN 13501-1:2018.

4.2 CLASSIFICATION

The product, **Dale wallcovering**, in relation to its reaction to fire behaviour is classified:

C

The additional classification in relation to smoke production is:

s1

The additional classification in relation to flaming droplets / particles is:

d0

Reaction to fire classification: C – s1, d0

4.3 FIELD OF APPLICATION

This classification is valid for the following product parameters:

Thickness	0.9 mm
Surface density	310 g/m ²
Colour	Grey

This classification is valid for the following end use applications:

Substrate	Non-combustible (class A1/A2, 870 ± 50 kg/m ³ , according to EN 13238:2010)
Application	Wallcovering
Air gap	Not applicable
Methods and means of fixing	Glued to the substrate according to the manufacturer's instructions using the special adhesive Vescom 2000
Joints	Vertical

4.4 DURATION OF THE VALIDITY OF THIS CLASSIFICATION REPORT

Consult classification standard and national laws and regulations for limitations on the period of validity of the classification.

5. LIMITATIONS

This classification document does not represent type approval or certification of the product.

The classification assigned to the product in this report is appropriate to a declaration of conformity by the manufacturer within the context of system 3 **Assessment and Verification of Consistency of Performance (AVCP)** and **CE marking** under the **Construction Products Regulation**.

The manufacturer has made a declaration, which is held on file. This confirms that the product's design requires no specific processes, procedures or stages (e.g. no addition of flame-retardants, limitation of organic content, or addition of fillers) that are aimed at enhancing the fire performance in order to obtain the classification achieved. As a consequence the manufacturer has concluded that system 3 AVCP is appropriate.

The test laboratory has, therefore, played no part in sampling the product for the test, although it holds appropriate references, supplied by the manufacturer, to provide for traceability of the samples tested.



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