

# REACTION TO FIRE CLASSIFICATION REPORT N° 2021/129-1

According to EN 13501-1 (2018)

Notification by the French Government to the European Commission under n° NB 2401

Regulation (UE) n° 305/2011

Sponsor:

FORBO-NOVILON BV

De Holwert 12

7741 KC COEVORDEN

**NETHERLANDS** 

Product name:

**ETERNAL** 

Description:

Heterogeneous polyvinyl chloride floor coverings

(EN ISO 10582 family)

(see detailed description in paragraph 2)

Date of issue:

02/07/2021

The indicated classification does not prejudge the conformity of marketed materials with the samples submitted to the tests and under no circumstances, this document should not be considered as type approval or certification of the product in the sense of the L 115-27 article of the consumption's code of the law dated June 3<sup>rd</sup> 1994.

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#### 1. Introduction

This classification report defines the classification assigned to the above-mentioned product in accordance with the procedures given in the NF EN 13501-1 standard (2018).

# 2. Details of classified product

#### 2.1. Product standard

NF EN 14041 (2005): "Resilient, textile and laminate floor coverings - Essential characteristics".

#### 2.2. Product description

Heterogeneous polyvinyl chloride floor covering (EN ISO 10582 family).

Tested loose laid over a wood panel particle board without flame retarded classified  $C_{fl}$ -s1 with a density (680 ± 50) kg/m<sup>3</sup> and thickness (20 ± 2) mm.

Use surface: PVC

Nominal mass per unit area: 2800 g/m² Nominal total thickness: 2,00 mm Nominal total wear layer: 0,70 mm

### 3. Test reports and tests results in support of this classification

### 3.1. Tests reports

Name of laboratory	Name of sponsor	Test report N°	Test method
C.R.E.T.	FORBO-NOVILON BV De Holwert 12 7741 KC COEVORDEN NETHERLANDS		NF EN ISO 9239-1

### 3.2. Tests results

Classes of reaction to fire for resilient floor coverings, classified without further testing.

Test method	The flooring « ETERNAL » meets the requirements of table 3 of the standard NF
NF EN ISO 11925-2	EN 14041 (2005) and is classified Eff without further testing (CWFT)

			44	Results
Test method	Product	Number of tests	Parameters	Continuous
				parameters :
				mean value
NF EN ISO 9239-1	ETERNAL	3	Critical heat flux (kW/m²)	10,1
			Smoke (% X min)	178,0

#### 4. Classification and field of application

# 4.1. Reference of classification

This classification has been carried out in accordance with EN 13501-1 (2018).

#### 4.2. Classification

Fire behaviour		Smoke production
$\mathrm{B}_{\mathrm{fl}}$	-	s1

Classification: B<sub>fl</sub>-s1

# 4.3. Field of application

This classification is valid for the following end use applications:

Loose laid and glued over a wood panel particle board without flame retarded classified  $C_{\rm ff}$ -s1 with a density  $\geq 510~{\rm kg/m^3}$  and over a fibre-cement  $A1_{\rm fl}$  or  $A1_{\rm fl}$  class with a density  $\geq 1350~{\rm kg/m^3}$ .

This classification is valid for the following product parameters:

• A nominal mass per unit area of: 2800 g/m<sup>2</sup>

• A nominal thickness of: 2,00 mm

• A nominal thickness wear layer: 0,70 mm

### 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 of AVCP and CE marking under the Regulation 305/2011/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 2011 laying down harmonised conditions for the marketing of constructions products.

The manufacturer has made a declaration, which is held on file. This confirms that the products design requires no specific processes, procedures or stages (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 attestation 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."

Head of Tests
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For the SARL C.R.E.T. The Technical Director Marc WELCOMME

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