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Specimen 70 mm precast concrete slab on 25 mm SonusWave™ placed on top of a glulam decking (131 mm)

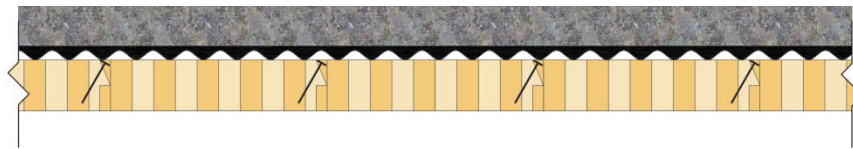
Specimen ID A1-008253-14F

Construction Date: February 17, 2016 to February 24, 2016

Specimen Description

Topping: A 70 mm (2-3/4”) precast concrete slab was placed on 25 mm Regupol® SonusWave™ which was placed on the glulam decking. The edge of the precast concrete slab was filled with insulation and taped.

Glulam Decking: The specimen was composed of 13 glued-laminated timber (glulam) decking panels nominally 384 mm wide x 89 mm thick x 3890 mm long (15” x 3-1/2” x 153”). The combined panels filled the entire floor opening of the test frame. The glulam decking panels were joined using 90 mm (3-1/2”) long common nails spaced 300 mm (12”) on centre along the joints. The glulam decking floor was resting on the lip of the test frame and was not fastened to the test frame. The air gaps between the edges of the glulam decking floor and the test frame were filled with glass fiber insulation and covered with cloth tape. Duct putty was installed around the lower perimeter of the test frame and the glulam.



Cross-section of A1-008253-14F

Specimen Properties

Element	Actual thickness (mm)	Mass (kg)	Mass/length, area or volume
70 mm Precast Concrete Slab	70	3 202	165.8 kg/m ²
25 mm Regupol® SonusWave™	25	195	10.1 kg/m ²
89 mm Glulam Decking	89	971	50.2 kg/m ²
Total	184	4 368	226.1 kg/m²

Test Specimen Installation

- The exposed area of the floor specimen used for the calculations of the airborne sound transmission loss was 17.85 m² (4.71 m x 3.79 m).
- The total area of the floor assembly resting on top of the lip was 19.32 m² (4.88 m x 3.96 m).
- The mass per area of the elements above the lip was calculated using the total area (19.32 m²).

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ASTM E90 Test Results – Airborne Sound Transmission Loss

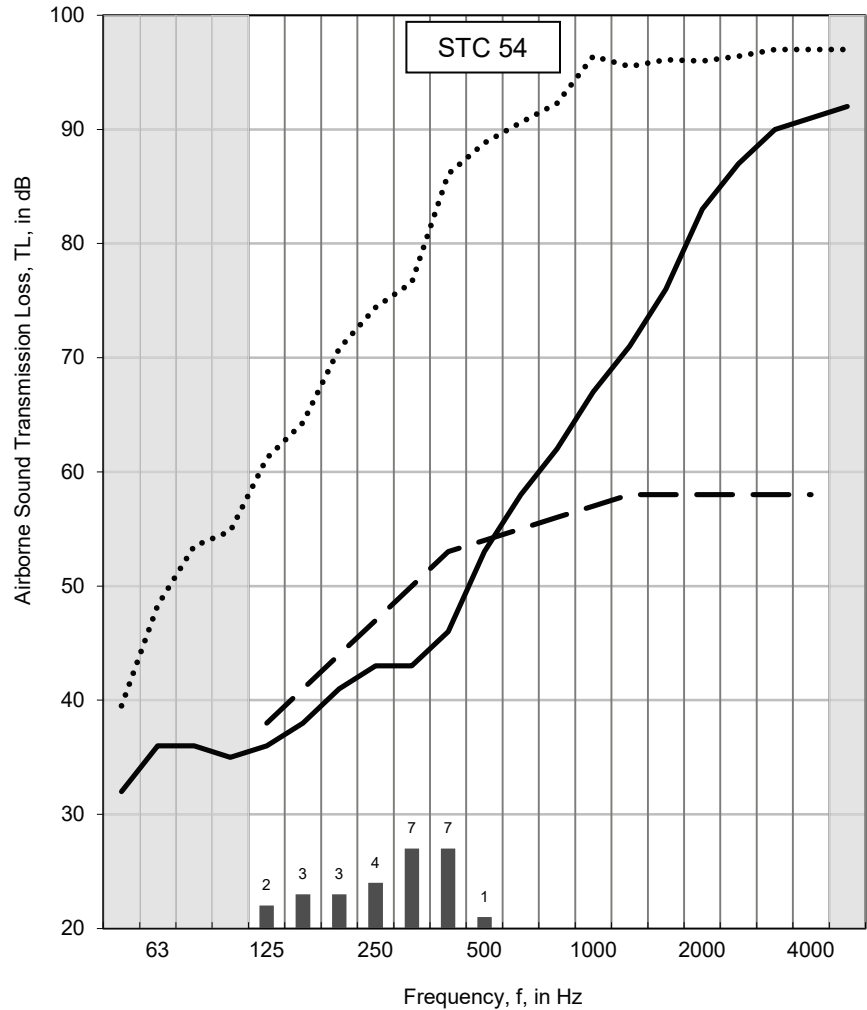
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Specimen ID: A1-008253-14F

Test ID: TLF-16-011
Date of Test: February 25, 2016

Room	Volume (m³)	Air Temperature (°C)	Humidity (%)
Upper	176.2	25.0 to 25.0	33.9 to 35.6
Lower	177.1	21.0 to 21.3	37.4 to 37.7

Area S of test specimen:	17.85 m²
Mass per unit area:	226.1 kg/m²

f (Hz)	Airborne TL (dB)
50	32
63	36
80	36
100	35
125	36
160	38
200	41
250	43
315	43
400	46
500	53
630	58
800	62
1000	67
1250	71
1600	76
2000	83
2500	87 c
3150	90 *
4000	91 *
5000	92 *
Sound Transmission Class (STC)	54



Sum of Deficiencies (dB)	27
Max. Deficiency (dB)	7 dB at 315 and 400 Hz

For a description of the test specimen and mounting conditions see text pages before. The results in this report apply only to the specific sample submitted for measurement. No responsibility is assumed for performance of any other specimen. **Airborne sound transmission loss measurements were conducted in accordance with the requirements of ASTM E90-09, “Standard Test Method for Laboratory Measurement of Airborne Sound Transmission Loss of Building Partitions and Elements”.**

In the graph:

The solid line is the measured sound transmission loss for this specimen. The dashed line is the STC contour fitted to the measured values according to ASTM E413-10. The dotted line (may be above the displayed range) is 10 dB below the flanking limit established for this facility. For any frequency band where the measured transmission loss is above the dotted line, the reported value is potentially limited by flanking transmission via laboratory surfaces, and the true value may be higher than that measured. Bars at the bottom of the graph show deficiencies where the measured data are less than the reference contour as described in the fitting procedure for the STC, defined in ASTM E413-10. The shaded cells in the table and areas in the graph are outside the STC contour range.

In the table:

Values marked “c” indicate that the measured background level was between 5 dB and 10 dB below the combined receiving room level and background level. The reported values have been corrected according to the procedure outlined in ASTM E90-09. Values marked “*” indicate that the measured background level was less than 5 dB below the combined receiving room level and background level, in which case, the corrected values provide an estimate of the lower limit of airborne sound transmission loss.

ASTM E492 Test Results – Normalized Impact Sound Pressure Levels

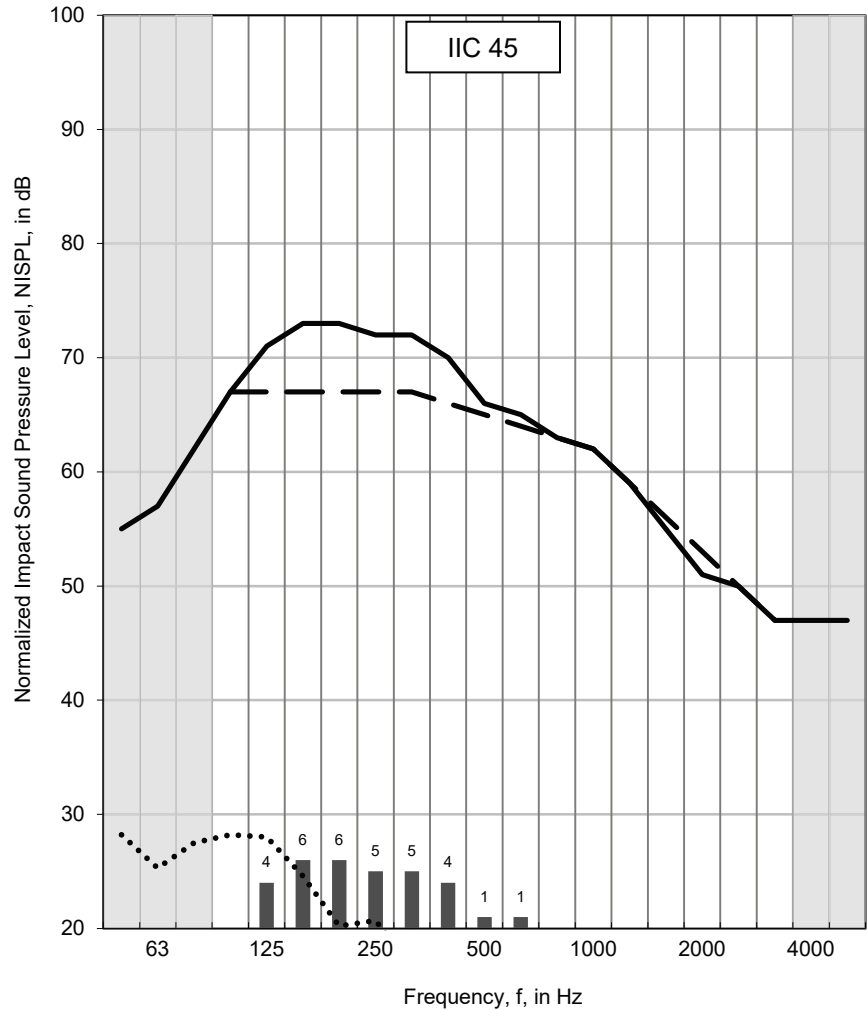
Client: Nordic Engineered Wood
Specimen ID: A1-008253-14F

Test ID: IIF-16-010
Date of Test: February 26, 2016

Room	Volume (m³)	Air Temperature (°C)	Humidity (%)
Upper	176.2	23.9 to 24.0	29.4 to 30.7
Lower	177.1	18.4 to 18.6	40.0 to 40.3

Area S of test specimen:	17.85 m²
Mass per unit area:	226.1 kg/m²

f (Hz)	NISPL (dB)
50	55
63	57
80	62
100	67
125	71
160	73
200	73
250	72
315	72
400	70
500	66
630	65
800	63
1000	62
1250	59
1600	55
2000	51
2500	50
3150	47
4000	47
5000	47
Impact Insulation Class (IIC)	45



Sum of Positive Differences (dB)	32
Max. Positive Difference (dB)	6 dB at 160 and 200 Hz

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In the graph:

The solid line is the measured normalized impact sound pressure level (NISPL) for this specimen. The dashed line is the IIC contour fitted to the measured values according to ASTM E989-06. The dotted line is the background sound level measured in the receiving room during this test (may be below the displayed range). For any frequency where the measured NISPL is less than 10 dB above the dotted line, the reported values were adjusted as noted below. Bars at the bottom of the graph show positive differences; where the measured data are greater than the reference contour as defined in ASTM E989-06. Shaded cells in the table and areas in the graph are outside the IIC contour range.

In the table:

Values marked “c” indicate that the measured background level was between 5 dB and 10 dB below the combined receiving room level and background level. Values marked “**” indicate that the measured background level was less than 5 dB below the combined receiving room level and background level and the reported values of NISPL provide an estimate of the upper limit of normalized impact sound pressure level, according to the procedure outlined in ASTM E492-09. The reported values of NISPL have been corrected according to the procedure outlined in ASTM E492-09.