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SOUND ABSORPTION TEST REPORT NO. AB07-131 revision 1

5000 Series SKU 5316-6 Perforated Wood Tiles with SoundTex ("A" mounting)

CLIENT:

9Wood

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TEST DATE:

13 March 2007

INTRODUCTION

The methods and procedures used for this test conform to the provisions and requirements of ASTM Procedure C 423-02a, Standard Test Method for Sound Absorption and Sound Absorption Coefficients by the Reverberation Room Method. Copies of the test standard are available at www.astm.org. The test chamber volume is 275 cubic meters. Western Electro-Acoustic Laboratory is accredited by the United States Department of Commerce, National Institute of Standards and Technology under the National Voluntary Accreditation Program (NVLAP) Lab Code 100256-0 for this test procedure. This test report relates only to the item(s) tested. Any advertising that utilizes this test report or test data must not imply product certification or endorsement by WEAL, NVLAP, NIST or the U.S. Government.

DESCRIPTION OF TEST SPECIMEN

The test specimen was a 9Wood Perforated Wood Tile assembly. The specimen consisted of 20 tiles. 16 of the tiles were approximately 24 inches (610 mm) by 24 inches (610 mm) by 3/4 inch (19.1 mm) thick and 4 of the tiles were approximately 24 inches (610 mm) by 12 inches (305 mm) by 3/4 inch (19.1 mm) thick. The perforations were 6 mm (1/4 inch) diameter holes on 16 mm (5/8 inch) diamond centers. Adhered to the back of the tiles was SoundTex. The tiles were laid side by side directly on the test chamber floor. According to the manufacturer the specimen was:

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The net dimensions of the tile assembly were 106-1/4 inches (2.70 m) by 94-1/2 inches (2.40 m) by 3/4 inches (19.1 mm) thick. The percent open area was 11.0%. The overall weight of the specimen was 181 lbs. (82.1 kg).

Test results are presented on the following page.

Respectfully submitted, Western Electro-Acoustic Laboratory

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Mounting per ASTM E 795-00: Type A Area tested: $69.73 \text{ ft}^2 (6.48 \text{ m}^2)$

Temperature: 69.2° F

Humidity: 43%

TEST RESULTS

1/3 Octave Band Absorption Data

Frequency in Hz	Absorption in Sabins	Absorption Coefficients
100	0.0	0.00
125	2.0	0.03
160	2.9	0.04
200	6.3	0.09
250	9.7	0.14
315	11.2	0.16
400	11.7	0.17
500	13.9	0.20
630	19.2	0.28
800	22.6	0.32
1000	26.5	0.38
1250	32.5	0.47
1600	39.2	0.56
2000	48.7	0.70
2500	57.3	0.82
3150	51.3	0.74
4000	34.4	0.49
5000	23.1	0.33

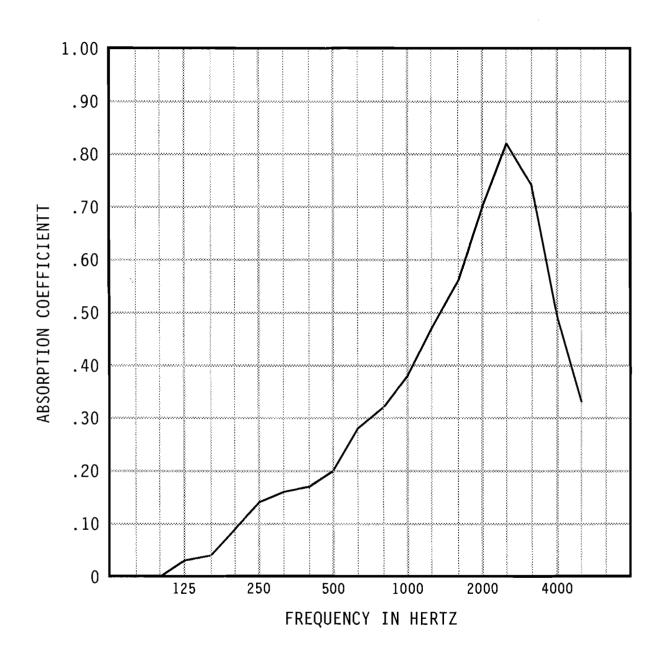
NRC 0.35

SAA 0.36

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Specimen Area: 69.73 sq.ft. Temperature: 69.2 deg. F Relative Humidity: 43 %

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