# VT-U38

Agglomerated corc combined with recycled foam







#### DDODUCT CDECIFICATION

"... mm resilient acoustic underscreed made of agglomerated cork and recycled polyurethane foams (PU) with PU elastomer bonding agent for impact noise insulation of floating screeds, with a density of 274KG/m³ and an impact noise reduction  $\Delta L_{\rm w}$  of ... dB."

#### **KEY FEATURES**

- Impact noise reduction and thermal insulation properties
- · High load capacity with low deflection
- · Long-term resilience
- Produced from recycled and natural materials
- Very light and flexible material, easy to handle

# THERMAL PROPERTIES

Thermal Conductivity: 0,0546 W/(m.°C) - as per ISO 8301

# PHYSICAL AND MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

Specific Weight (1)	274Kg/m³
Tensile Strength (2)	207 KPa
Cp level <sup>(3)</sup>	2 <sup>(4)</sup>

(1)ASTM F1315 • (2)ASTM F152 • (3)ISO 092/19 • (4)For both thicknesses 12/6 and 17/8

STANDARD DIMENSIONS		
Thickness (mm)	12/6	17/8
Width (m) x Length (m)	1X11	1X8

Others sizes available upon request

## FIRE CLASSIFICATION

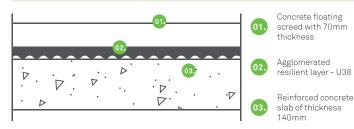
E/Efl - as per EN 13501-1 and ISO 11925

### ACOUSTICAL RESULTS

Thickness (mm)	12/6	17/8
$\Delta L_{w}(dB)$ (1)	29	31

(1) as per ISO 10140-3 and ISO 717-2

# TEST APPARATUS (ΔL<sub>w</sub>)

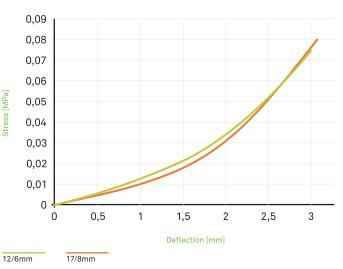


# DYNAMIC STIFFNESS

Thickness (mm)	12/6	17/8
Dynamic Stiffness (MN/m3)	14	12

# PHYSICAL AND MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

### LOAD DEFLECTION @ 0.0045MPA (% OF START HEIGHT)



Note: Following ISO8013-1998 measured in Cantilever Test System

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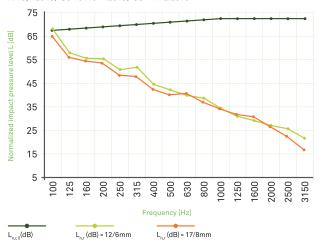
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#### **ACOUSTICAL RESULTS**

Test procedure as per ISO 10140-1:2016; ISO 10140-3:2010; ISO 10140-3:2010/ Amd.1:2015; ISO 10140-4:2010; ISO 717-2:2013



L<sub>n,r,0</sub> – Normalized impact sound pressure level of the Lab reference floor; L<sub>n,r</sub> – Normalized impact sound pressure level of the reference floor with the floor covering under test.

Ref. Test Report	ACL 183/19	ACL 182/19
Thickness (mm)	12/6	17/8
$L_{n,r,w}\left(C_{t,r}\right)$	49 dB	47 dB
$\Delta L_{_{\infty}}\left(C_{_{l,\Delta}}\right)$	29 dB	31 dB

#### INSTALLATION





Reinforced concrete slab



Agglomerated cork combined with recycled foam, with vapour barrier - U38



Concrete floating screed



Perimeter insulation barrier



Adhesive tape

#### GENERAL INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

The following installation instructions are recommended by Amorim Cork Composites, but are not intended as a definitive project specification. They are presented in an attempttobeusedwithrecommendedinstallation procedures of the flooring manufacturers and screed.

#### **Room Conditions**

Temperature > -5°C / Room moisture content < 75%.

#### Subfloo

All subfloor work should be structurally sound, clear and level. The moisture content of the subfloor should not be more than 2.5% (CM) by weight measured on concrete subfloors.

#### Perimeter Insulation Barrier

Install a perimeter insulation barrier vertically around the entire perimeter of the room with width equal to that of the floor build up. This is highly recommended in order to avoid lateral propagation of impact noise. The barrier must also be applied in the perimeter of pipes, ducts or any other component protruding from the floor. Spot adhere the strips to the wall using acrylic glue or a bead of silicone sealant.



Mini-rolls of perimeter barrier (PB U38) available upon request.

#### Installation Instruction for Acousticork U38

Unpack the Acousticork **U38** at least 24h before the installation and store it in the room where the installation will take place. Cut and trim the Acousticork **U38** to the desined size to fit the installation. Apply directly over the subfloor with the dimple side down. Always ensure that material is installed to fit the application avoiding the creation of waves in the material.

Place the Acousticork **U38** directly against the insulation perimeter barrier already installed. Proceed to cover the entire floor making sure that the joints are butted tight and use an adequate tape to fix it. After completion, the Acousticork **U38** should cover the entire flooring area without gaps and with joints securely taped. Never mechanically fasten the Acousticork **U38** and/or the PE foil barrier with screws, nails or staples as this will severely diminish the performance of the insulation barrier.

## Screed and Final Flooring

Cast a suitable screed over **U38** previously installed over the product.

Always follow manufacturers recommended installation instructions.

For detailed installation instructions, please contact us.







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