

ISTANBUL UNIVERSITY
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TEST REPORT

16/11/2016
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Arslan Foreign Trade Industry Corporation / İzmir

SUBJECT: Your application regarding test report on linear thermal expansion coefficient of ARLINE® hollow wood plastic composite decks to Istanbul University, Forestry Faculty with the petition with the number of 106894 on 19.09.2016.

TEST METHODS: The linear thermal expansion coefficient of ARLINE® hollow wood plastic composite decks produced by Arslan Foreign Trade Industry Corporation in İzmir, Turkey, based on the EN 15534-1.

EN 15534-1 (2014): Composites made from cellulose-based materials and thermoplastics (usually called wood-polymer composites (WPC) or natural fibre composites (NFC)) - Part 1: Test methods

TEST RESULTS

The test results performed on the ARLINE® hollow wood plastic composites are presented in Table 1.

Table 1: The linear thermal expansion coefficient results of ARLINE® hollow wood plastic composite decks.

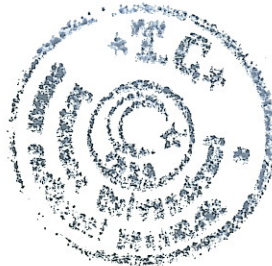
Test Type	Standard	Unit	Product type		Standard value
			14024	14025	
Linear thermal expansion coefficient (between 60 °C and -20 °C)	DIN 53752	K ⁻¹	34.10 ⁻⁶	42.10 ⁻⁶	≤ 50.10 ⁻⁶

* the values specified in EN 15534-4 (2014).

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SUBJECT: Your application regarding test report on bending strength of ARLINE[®] hollow wood plastic composite decks to Istanbul University, Forestry Faculty with the petition with the number of 106894 on 19.09.2016.

TEST METHODS: The bending strength of ARLINE[®] hollow wood plastic composite decks produced by Arslan Foreign Trade Industry Corporation in İzmir, Turkey, based on the EN ISO 15534-1.

EN 15534-1 (2014): Composites made from cellulose-based materials and thermoplastics (usually called wood-polymer composites (WPC) or natural fibre composites (NFC)) - Part 1: Test methods

TEST RESULTS

The test results performed on the ARLINE[®] hollow wood plastic composites are presented in Table 1.

Table 1: Bending strength of ARLINE[®] hollow wood plastic composite decks.

Test Type			Standard	Unit	Product type		Standard value
					14024	14025	
Bending strength (3 point)	Span (inside to inside)	300 mm	EN 310	N/mm ²	23,2	27,6	-
		350 mm	EN 310	N/mm ²	21,1	26,9	-
		400 mm	EN 310	N/mm ²	21,3	26,3	-

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SUBJECT: Your application regarding test report on density measurement of ARLINE[®] hollow wood plastic composite decks to Istanbul University, Forestry Faculty with the petition with the number of 106894 on 19.09.2016.

TEST METHODS: The density measurement of ARLINE[®] hollow wood composite decks produced by Arslan Foreign Trade Industry Corporation in İzmir, Turkey, based on the EN 15534-1.

EN 15534-1 (2014): Composites made from cellulose-based materials and thermoplastics (usually called wood-polymer composites (WPC) or natural fibre composites (NFC)) - Part 1: Test methods

TEST RESULTS

The test results performed on the ARLINE[®] hollow wood plastic composites are presented in Table 1.

Table 1: The density results of ARLINE[®] hollow wood plastic composite decks.

Test Type	Standard	Unit	Product type		Standard value
			14024	14025	
Density	EN ISO 1183-1	g/cm ³	1,129	1,125	-

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SUBJECT: Your application regarding test report on falling mass impact resistance of ARLINE® hollow wood plastic composite decks to Istanbul University, Forestry Faculty with the petition with the number of 106894 on 19.09.2016.

TEST METHODS: The falling mass of ARLINE® hollow wood plastic composite decks produced by Arslan Foreign Trade Industry Corporation in İzmir, Turkey, based on the EN 15534-1.

EN 15534-1 (2014): Composites made from cellulose-based materials and thermoplastics (usually called wood-polymer composites (WPC) or natural fibre composites (NFC)) - Part 1: Test methods

TEST RESULTS

The test results performed on the ARLINE® hollow wood plastic composites are presented in Table 1.

Table 1: The falling mass results of ARLINE® hollow wood plastic composite decks.

Test Type		Standard	Unit	Product type		Standard value
				14024	14025	
Falling mass Impact resistance	H: (700 ± 5) mm Ms: (1 000 ± 5) g	EN 477	mm	no failure with a crack; the depth of residual indentation 0,35 mm	no failure with a crack; the depth of residual indentation 0,29 mm	None of 10 test specimens shall show a failure with a crack length ≥ 10 mm or a depth of residual indentation ≥ 0,5 mm.

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SUBJECT: Your application regarding test report on slip resistance of ARLINE® hollow composite decks to Istanbul University, Forestry Faculty with the petition with the number of 106894 on 19.09.2016.

TEST METHODS: The dry and wet slip resistance of ARLINE® hollow wood plastic composite decks produced by Arslan Foreign Trade Industry Corporation in İzmir, Turkey, based on the EN ISO 15534-1.

EN 15534-1 (2014): Composites made from cellulose-based materials and thermoplastics (usually called wood-polymer composites (WPC) or natural fibre composites (NFC)) - Part 1: Test methods

TEST RESULTS

The test results performed on the ARLINE® hollow wood plastic composites are presented in Table 1.

Table 1: Slip resistance of ARLINE® hollow wood plastic composite decks.

Test Type			Standard	Unit	Product type		Standard values
					14024	14025	
Slip resistance (pendulum method)	Dry	Top	CEN/TS 15676	Value	55	69	≥ 36
		Bottom	CEN/TS 15676	Value	54	46	≥ 36
	Wet	Top	CEN/TS 15676	Value	45	55	≥ 36
		Bottom	CEN/TS 15676	Value	22	21	≥ 36

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SUBJECT: Your application regarding test report on flame spread of ARLINE® hollow wood plastic composite decks to Istanbul University, Forestry Faculty with the petition with the number of 106894 on 19.09.2016.

TEST METHODS: The flame spread of ARLINE wood plastic composite decks produced by Arslan Foreign Trade Industry Corporation in İzmir, Turkey, based on the EN ISO 11925-2 and EN 15534-1.

EN 15534-1 (2014): Composites made from cellulose-based materials and thermoplastics (usually called wood-polymer composites (WPC) or natural fibre composites (NFC)) - Part 1: Test methods for characterisation of compounds and products.

TEST RESULTS

The test results performed on the ARLINE® hollow wood plastic composites are presented in Table 1.

Table 1: Flame spread of ARLINE® hollow wood plastic composite decks.

Test Type	Standard	Unit	Product type		Standard value*
			14024	14025	
Flame spread	ISO 11925-2 t = 15 s (20 s)	mm	110 mm	105 mm	Fs (flame spread) ≤ 150 mm

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SUBJECT: Your application regarding test report on dimensional stability of ARLINE® hollow composite decks in wet conditions to Istanbul University, Forestry Faculty with the petition with the number of 106894 on 19.09.2016.

TEST METHODS: The dimensional stability in wet conditions of ARLINE® hollow wood plastic composite decks produced by Arslan Foreign Trade Industry Corporation in İzmir, Turkey, based on the EN ISO 15534-1.

EN 15534-1 (2014): Composites made from cellulose-based materials and thermoplastics (usually called wood-polymer composites (WPC) or natural fibre composites (NFC)) - Part 1: Test methods

TEST RESULTS

The test results performed on the ARLINE® hollowwood plastic composites are presented in Table 1.

Table 1: Dimensional stability of ARLINE® hollow wood plastic composite decks.

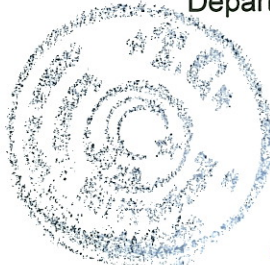
Test Type	Standard	Unit	Product type		Standard value*	
			14024	14025		
Dimensional stability and water absorption after 28 days immersion in normal water (23 °C)	Water absorption	EN 317	%	4,91	4,4	≤ 7
	Thickness swelling	EN 317	%	1,32	1,56	≤ 4
	Expansion in Width	EN 317	%	0,25	0,34	≤ 0.8
	Expansion in Length	EN 317	%	0,1	0,17	≤ 0.4
Water absorption after boiling in water for 5 h	Water absorption	EN 1087-1	%	2,28	2,13	≤ 7

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SUBJECT: Your application regarding test report on maximum load at break and deflection of ARLINE[®] hollow composite decks to Istanbul University, Forestry Faculty with the petition with the number of 106894 on 19.09.2016.

TEST METHODS: The maximum load at break and deflection of ARLINE[®] hollow wood plastic composite decks produced by Arslan Foreign Trade Industry Corporation in Izmir, Turkey, based on the EN ISO 15534-1.

EN 15534-1 (2014): Composites made from cellulose-based materials and thermoplastics (usually called wood-polymer composites (WPC) or natural fibre composites (NFC)) - Part 1: Test methods

TEST RESULTS

The test results performed on the ARLINE[®] hollow wood plastic composites are presented in Table 1 and Table 2.

Table 1: Maximum load at break of ARLINE[®] hollow wood plastic composite decks.

Test Type		Standard	Unit	Product type		Standard value	
				14024	14025		
maximum load at break	Span (inside to inside)	300 mm	EN 310	N	4562	4991	≥ 3300
		350 mm	EN 310	N	3673	4196	≥ 3300
		400 mm	EN 310	N	3148	3595	≥ 3300

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Table 2. Deflection values of ARLINE® hollow wood plastic composite decks under 500 N load.

Test Type			Standard	Unit	Product type		Standard value
					14024	14025	
Deflection under 500 N load	Span (inside to inside)	300 mm	EN 310	mm	0,99	0,89	≤ 2,0 mm
		350 mm	EN 310	mm	1,33	1,17	≤ 2,0 mm
		400 mm	EN 310	mm	1,67	1,64	≤ 2,0 mm

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