

# Bulletin

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## Roof System Dynamic Wind Uplift Resistance Results

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### MODIFIED BITUMEN MEMBRANE SYSTEM; XPRESS BOARD HD / INSULATION / XPRESS BOARD HD SANDED ADHERED

### (AARS) ADHESIVE APPLIED ROOFING SYSTEM

#### Roofing System Summary

Cap sheet membrane:	Modified bitumen membrane / Torch applied
Base sheet membrane:	N/A
Cover board:	Composite board consisting of a modified bitumen membrane laminated to a rockwool board / Adhered
Insulation:	Polyisocyanurate foam insulation board / Adhered
Vapour barrier:	N/A
Thermal barrier:	Composite board consisting of a modified bitumen membrane laminated to a rockwool board / Adhered
Decking:	Steel deck

#### Dynamic Uplift Resistance (DUR) as per CSA A123.21

System Designation	Measured Value	Computed Value (To include 1.5 Experimental Factor)
A	-5,0 kPa (-105 psf)	-3,4 kPa (-70 psf)

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### Products

CAP SHEET MEMBRANE			
TESTED PRODUCT: Membrane composed of a non-woven polyester reinforcement and SBS modified bitumen.			
System	Application Method		
A	Torch applied		
ELIGIBLE PRODUCT(S)			
Soprema	Sopralene Flam 250 GR		

BASE SHEET MEMBRANE			
TESTED PRODUCT: N/A			
Included to cover board			

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COVER BOARD				
<b>TESTED PRODUCT:</b> Composite board consisting of a non-woven polyester reinforced modified bitumen membrane factory-applied to a high-density insulation rockwool board.				
System	Application Method		Fastening Rate	
A	Adhered		Ribbons at 305 mm (12 in)	
ELIGIBLE THICKNESS(ES)				
12,7 mm (½ in)				
FASTENING METHOD				
Duotack adhesive				
FASTENING PATTERN				
<p><b>System A</b></p>				
ELIGIBLE PRODUCT(S)				
Soprema	Xpress Board HD			

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INSULATION (Top Row)			
<b>TESTED PRODUCT:</b> Polyisocyanurate foam insulation board laminated on both sides with fiber reinforced organic felt.			
System	Application Method	Fastening Rate	
A	Adhered	Ribbons at 305 mm (12 in)	
ELIGIBLE THICKNESS(ES)			
38 to 102 mm (1½ to 4 in)			
FASTENING METHOD			
Duotack adhesive			
FASTENING PATTERN			
<p><b>System A</b></p>			
ELIGIBLE PRODUCT(S)			
Soprema	Sopra-ISO		

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<b>INSULATION (Bottom Row)</b>
<b>TESTED PRODUCT: N/A</b>

<b>VAPOUR BARRIER</b>
<b>TESTED PRODUCT: N/A</b>
<b>Included to thermal barrier</b>



THERMAL BARRIER				
<b>TESTED PRODUCT:</b> Composite board consisting of a non-woven polyester reinforced modified bitumen membrane factory-applied to a high-density insulation rockwool board, the top surface is sanded.				
System	Application Method			Fastening Rate
A	Adhered			Ribbons at 305 mm (12 in)
ELIGIBLE THICKNESS(ES)				
15,9 mm (5/8 in)				
FASTENING METHOD				
Duotack adhesive				
FASTENING PATTERN(S)				
<p><b>System A</b></p> <p>The diagram shows a rectangular fastening pattern on a board. The total width is 2,440m. The total height is 0,914m. There are two horizontal fastening ribbons. The distance between the two ribbons is 0,305m. The distance from the top edge to the top ribbon is 0,152m. The distance from the bottom edge to the bottom ribbon is 0,152m. The distance from the left edge to the start of the ribbons is 0,076m. The distance from the right edge to the end of the ribbons is 0,076m.</p>				
ELIGIBLE PRODUCT(S)				
Soprema	Xpress Board HD Sanded			

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FASTENERS	
TESTED PRODUCT(S): N/A	

ADHESIVE			
TESTED PRODUCT: Low-rise, two-component, polyurethane adhesive.			
System	Ribbon's spacing		Primer
A	305 mm (12 in)		N/A
ELIGIBLE PRODUCT(S)			
Soprema	Duotack		

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### General Notes

#### 1. Decking:

Tests were performed over a standard roll formed steel deck profile, with a galvanized or aluminum / zinc alloy coating finished, as per ASTM A653, A792, A1008 or CSSBI 10M standards, bearing a thickness of 0.76 mm (0.03 inch) minimum (commonly defined as 22 gauge), corresponding to the ASTM A653M grade SS 230, having a yield point of 230 MPa (33 ksi) and a tensile strength of 310 MPa (45 Ksi). Tests could be performed on concrete deck or standard 4' x 8' x 5/8" plywood deck to assess eligibility for possible equivalencies.

The deck's fastening to the supporting structure must be strong enough to resist wind uplift loads (as defined per NBC requirements).

#### 2. Deck equivalency products:

18 to 22 gage steel deck. Wood or concrete deck which testing gave equivalent or superior uplift resistance than the value specified in the "Fasteners Pull Out Resistance" section.

#### 3. Fasteners Pull Out Resistance:

Testing were conducted in laboratory according to ANSI/SPRI FX-1 2011 standard, over a minimum of 10 test samples on a **Com-Ten** apparatus over steel deck (unless stated otherwise).

#### 4. Adhesive Pull Resistance:

Testing were conducted in laboratory over 3 test samples, according to ANSI/SPRI IA-1 2010 standard on a **Com-Ten** apparatus over steel deck (unless stated otherwise) or, according to ASTM D1623 standard over a universal press testing bench, for in-between materials.

#### 5. Note on adhesive:

Follow all guide lines or supplementary instructions from the manufacturer regarding adhesive application.

#### 6. Equivalent products:

Only the products listed in this report under eligible products are deemed acceptable as substitute to the tested products. Any other modifications must be requested in written, on **EXP** application form, to be studied for approval.

#### 7. Optional components:

Any components of this roofing system listed as optional, may be removed from the roof design. Inclusion or exclusion of the said component having no effect on the published dynamic uplift resistance results. (DUR).

#### 8. Experimental factor:

In accordance with CSA A123.21 standard, the published dynamic uplift resistance (DUR) include a computed experimental factor of 1,5.

#### 9. Building Wind Load Calculation:

An online calculator is available at <http://www.exp.com/fr/roofesting>.

The calculator will compute, the Wind Load of any given building, for field, perimeter and corners, as per 2015 CNB requirement, without experimental factor. It will also compute perimeter's and corner's zone dimensions.



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### 10. Technical Advisories:

This roof system assessment reports must be read in conjunction with any issued technical advisories from **EXP**.

### 11. Notice :

**EXP** reserves the right to withdraw, without prior notice, any Bulletin of Roof System Dynamic Wind Uplift Resistance Results published and/or make any necessary corrections.

### 12. Version tracking table:

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