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ROCK MINERAL WOOL

LEEDv4.1 (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) is a voluntary standard that defines high performance green buildings which are healthier, more environmentally responsible, and more profitable structures. Credits for certification can be earned in various categories, each with a unique focus on sustainable design: sustainable sites, water efficiency, energy and atmosphere, materials and resources, indoor environmental quality, innovation and design process.

KNAUF INSULATION products can put you on the right track for the highest result into the certification!

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<td>Energy and Atmosphere (EA)</td>
<td>To achieve increasing levels of performance beyond the prerequisite standard to reduce environmental and economic harms associated with excessive energy use.</td>
<td>Rock Mineral Wool products help reducing energy demand through very high insulation efficiency (building envelop, partition walls, HVAC equipment, floors and ceilings).</td>
<td>18 points</td>
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<td>Materials and Resources (MR)</td>
<td>To encourage the use of products where Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) is available and have environmentally, economically and socially preferable LCA. To reward project including products with verified LCA.</td>
<td>Third party verified Environmental Product Declarations (EPDs) are available on line for Rock Mineral Wool products¹.</td>
<td>2 points</td>
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<td>Materials and Resources (MR)</td>
<td>To reward project including products verified to be extracted or sourced in a responsible manner</td>
<td>Rock Mineral Wool products, (ex: from Nová Baňa plant in Slovakia) are manufactured with up to 30% of recycled content² (pre-consumer and post-consumer waste).</td>
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<td><strong>Materials and Resources (MR)</strong> Building Product Disclosure and Optimization – Material Ingredients</td>
<td>To reward project for which the products chemical ingredients are inventoried</td>
<td>Rock Mineral Wool products contains no ingredients listed on the REACH Authorization or Candidate list or Substances of Very High Concern list³.</td>
<td>1 point</td>
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<td><strong>Indoor Environmental Quality (EQ)</strong> Acoustic Performance</td>
<td>To provide workspaces and classrooms that promote occupants’ well-being, productivity, and communications through effective acoustic design.</td>
<td>Rock Mineral Wool products have high performance acoustic properties. Products reduce HVAC background noise levels, increase sound insulation of building envelope, partitions, ceilings and aid in controlling reverberation time⁴.</td>
<td>1 point</td>
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<td><strong>Indoor Environmental Quality (EQ)</strong> Thermal Comfort</td>
<td>To promote occupants productivity, comfort, and well-being by providing quality thermal comfort.</td>
<td>Insulation is a design alternative strategy. Heat radiation and air-conditioning will be minimized which will have positive comfortability feel and increase productivity for workers.</td>
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Annex 1: Materials and Resources: Sourcing of Raw Materials

Here below additional detailed information about pre-consumer waste (reintroduction of manufacturing scrap into another manufacturing process) and post-consumer waste (produced by the end consumer) utilized in the raw materials batch for the manufacturing of the rock mineral wool.

In LEED, total recycled content is the sum of 100% post-consumer recycled content plus 50% of the pre-consumer recycled content.

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<th>Nová Baňa (Slovakia)</th>
<th>Skofja Loka (Slovenia)</th>
<th>St Egidien (Germany)</th>
<th>Surculica (Serbia)</th>
<th>Queensferry (UK)</th>
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<td>% pre-consumer waste content</td>
<td>30%</td>
<td>10%</td>
<td>6%</td>
<td>3%</td>
<td>31%</td>
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<tr>
<td>% post-consumer waste content</td>
<td>-</td>
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<tr>
<td>Total recycled content: 50% pre-consumer + 100% post-consumer</td>
<td>15%</td>
<td>5%</td>
<td>3%</td>
<td>1.5%</td>
<td>15.5%</td>
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LEED MR 4 contributes towards 2 points

Recycled content claims for products must conform to the definition ISO 14021-1999.

Pre-consumer waste: waste comes from process waste that is used to make a different product. This definition does not include in-house industrial scrap or trimmings, which are normally fed back into the same manufacturing process.

Post-consumer waste: waste which comes from curbside recycling programs (glass, plastic, paper, etc). Other postconsumer feedstock is generated when construction and demolition debris is recycled. To be a feedstock, the raw materials must have served a useful purpose in the consumer market before being used again.

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Annex 2: REACH compliance letter

May 1st 2020


Dear Customer,

Thank you for your enquiry with regard to the following products: –

KNAUF INSULATION STONE MINERAL WOOL PRODUCTS

Knauf Insulation has registered Mineral Wool insulation fibre: manufactured or imported by its legal entities and used in the manufacture of the products listed above, under the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH): Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006.

The registered fibers meet the following definition:

- EC number: 926-099-9 • Definition: Man made vitreous (silicate) fibres with random orientation with alkaline and alkaline earth oxides (\(\text{Na}_2\text{O}+\text{K}_2\text{O}+\text{CaO}+\text{MgO}+\text{BaO}\)) content greater than 15% by weight and fulfilling one of the nota Q conditions. • Public name: MMVF note Q fibre • Classification: Not classified (manmade vitreous (silicate) fibre with and index number of 650016-20-2 fulfilling one of the note Q conditions in the Classification, labelling, packaging regulations (CLP) (EC) No 1272/2008, as amended in regulation (EC) No 790/2009 and thus exempted from classification.

The registration is confirmed by the receipt of registration numbers for each of the listed legal entities by The European Chemical Agency (ECHA). The registration numbers are included on the relevant company product safety data sheets.

Knauf Insulation Stone Mineral Wool products do not contain any substances listed under the Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation in concentration higher than 0.1% (w/w).

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us; details below

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Annex 3: Sound transmission and sound absorption example

STC<sub>c</sub> in North America is the composite Sound Transmission Class and is equivalent to R<sub>w</sub> Sound Reduction Index in Europe. α coefficient is the coefficient for sound absorption.
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