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Hi,

Is the insulation on your **K18 kingspan Insulated plasterboard** a phenolic foam?

**Is your TP10 Kingspan insulation a PUR or PIR insulation?**

Thanks

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Good Morning [REDACTED]

Thank you for your enquiry.

Thermarof TR26 is not the recommended insulation board for a felt roof build-up due to the low emissivity foil facing on both sides which cannot be bonded or adhered to. For this application we would recommend the Thermarof TR27 insulation board which has a glass tissue facing on both sides which allows adhesion such as with a felt roof build-up.

I have attached the full literature for both products which gives additional guidance on their recommended usage.

I hope this has been of assistance.

Kind regards,

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Trainee Technical Advisor

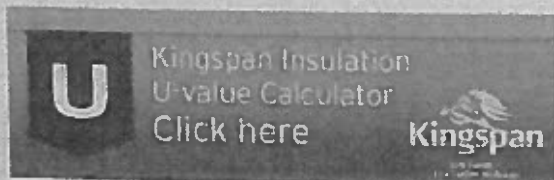
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**Subject:** FW: Stormount Cottages  
**Attachments:** 2U12A571CC.PDF

[REDACTED] detailed calculation attached.

Loads as below.

Can we proceed for costs

Thanks

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Please find calculation as discussed.

2U12A571CC – 90mm K7 between rafters at 400mm centres & 50mm K7 fixed to the underside of the rafters achieves a U-value of 0.18 W/m<sup>2</sup>K

90mm K7 weighs 3.47kg/m<sup>2</sup>

50mm K7 weighs 1.93kg/m<sup>2</sup>

Should you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Regards

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Client : Properties Division - Ryan Mclroy  
 Project ID : Stormount Cottages  
 Structure element : Pitched or mansard roof, ceiling at line of pitch  
 Description : Pitched Roof - Unvented  
 File reference : 2U12A571CC.FCF

Calculated 'U' value = 0.18W/m<sup>2</sup>K (Calculated in accordance with BS EN ISO 6946:2007)

Detail as per Client

Element Description	Element Thickness (mm)	Thermal Conductivity (W/mK)	Thermal Resistance (m <sup>2</sup> K/W)	Vapour Resistivity (MNs/gm)	Vapour Resistance (MNs/g)	Mean T (K)	Delta T (K)
Outside surface resistance	-	-	0.040	-	-	76.95	0.09
TILES / SLATES ON BATTENS ; PITCHED ROOF.	30.0	0.000	0.000	0.00	0.00	76.99	0.00
BREATHABLE MEMBRANE	0.5	-	0.006	-	0.20	77.00	0.01
KOOLTHERM K7 16.9% roof timber - 47mm @ 300mm ctrs + 1% for noggins + loft hatches (90.0mm)	90.0	0.020	4.500	-	100.00	82.12	0.23
KOOLTHERM K7	50.0	0.020	2.500	-	100.00	90.08	5.68
1000 GAUGE 0.25mm POLYTHENE VAPOUR CONTROL LAYER	0.3	-	0.001	-	500.00	92.92	0.00
CEILING AT LOWER LEVEL	12.5	0.000	0.000	0.00	0.00	92.92	0.00
Inside surface resistance	-	-	0.100	-	-	93.04	0.23

Detailed U-value Calculation Results

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Client : Properties Division - Ryan McIlroy  
 Project ID : Stormount Cottages  
 Structure element : Pitched or mansard roof, ceiling at line of pitch  
 Description : Pitched Roof - Unvented  
 File reference : 2U12A571CC.FCF  
 Humidity Class: 3 - Dwellings with low occupancy  
 Location: Europe - Republic of Ireland - Dublin (Mean min)

Condensation calculations performed in accordance with BS 5250: 2011

Month	Int (°C)	Int (%RH)	Ext (°C)	Ext (%RH)	Prediction of mould growth	Prediction of surface condensation
Jan	20.0	56.8	-1.0	92.0	No	No
Feb	20.0	58.2	0.0	90.0	No	No
Mar	20.0	60.4	1.0	86.0	No	No
Apr	20.0	58.5	2.0	80.0	No	No
May	20.0	58.0	4.0	79.0	No	No
Jun	20.0	59.1	7.0	80.0	No	No
Jul	20.0	61.2	9.0	82.0	No	No
Aug	20.0	62.2	9.0	84.0	No	No
Sep	20.0	62.1	7.0	87.0	No	No
Oct	20.0	61.5	4.0	89.0	No	No
Nov	20.0	62.1	2.0	92.0	No	No
Dec	20.0	62.1	1.0	92.0	No	No

fRsi for mould growth = 0.982

fRsi,max for mould growth = 0.788

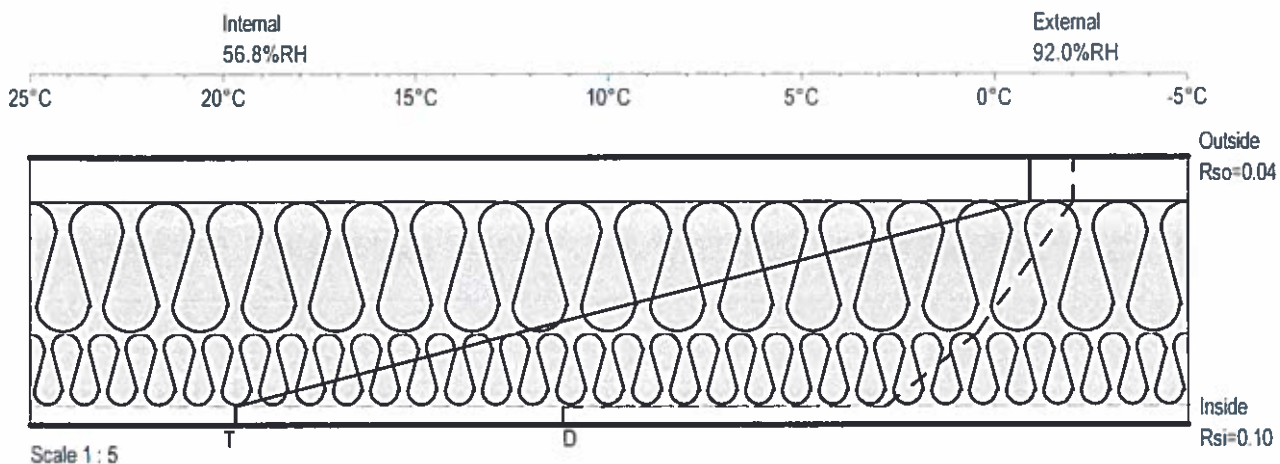
fRsi,max for surface condensation = 0.618

Gc = Monthly moisture accumulation per area at an interface

Ma = Accumulated moisture content per area at an interface

Peak accumulated moisture content per area at interface (Ma) = 0.00 Kg/m<sup>2</sup>

Annual moisture accumulation (Ma) = 0.00 Kg/m<sup>2</sup>



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# U-Value Calculation and Condensation Risk Assessment

<b>Project Information</b>	Construction: Solid Ground Floor
	Construction Type: Solid Ground Floor
	File reference: 2-WA-201216-095546-535
	Calculated U-value = 0.16W / m <sup>2</sup> K

## Selected Build-Up

Description	Thickness (mm)	Thermal Conductivity (W/mK)	Thermal Resistance (m <sup>2</sup> K/W)	Thermal Bridging	Vapour Resistivity (MN/gm)	Vapour Resistance (MNs/g)	
Inside Surface			0.17				
SAND CEMENT SCREED	100	1.4	0.071		100	10	
POLYTHENE SEPARATION LAYER	0.5		0.001			500	
KOOLTHERM K3	100	0.02	5			45	
DAMP PROOF MEMBRANE	0.9		0.001			800	
CONCRETE 1:2:4 2000 kg/m <sup>3</sup>	150	1.4	0.107		100	15	
Ground			0.04				

Key  Bridged and fastened  Bridged  Fastened

## Supporting Information

## Product Details

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Kooltherm K3  
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## Detailed U-value

The calculation method is in accordance with BS EN ISO 6946:2017 / I.S. EN ISO 6946:2017. A simplified summary of the steps involved are shown below

$$R_{\text{total}}(R_{\text{tot}}) = R_{\text{si}} + R_1 + R_2 + \dots + R_n + R_{\text{se}}$$

For a construction containing inhomogeneous layers the upper and lower resistances of the construction must be used

$$R_{\text{tot;upper}} = 1 / ((f_a / R_{\text{tot;a}}) + (f_b / R_{\text{tot;b}}) + \dots + (f_q / R_{\text{tot;q}}))$$

$$R_j = 1 / ((f_a / R_{\text{aj}}) + (f_b / R_{\text{bj}}) + \dots + (f_q / R_{\text{qj}}))$$

$$R_{\text{tot;lower}} = R_{\text{si}} + R_1 + R_2 + R_j + \dots + R_n + R_{\text{se}}$$

$$R_{\text{tot}} = (R_{\text{tot;upper}} + R_{\text{tot;lower}}) / 2$$

$$= (5.391 + 5.391) / 2$$

$$U = 1 / R_{\text{tot}}$$

$$= 6.190$$

$$\Delta U = \Delta U_g + \Delta U_f + \Delta U_r$$

$\Delta U_g$  correction for air voids - 0.000

$\Delta U_f$  correction for fasteners by approximate procedure - 0.000

(alpha 0.00 | fasteners per m<sup>2</sup> 0.00 | fasteners cross sectional area 0.00 | thermal conductivity of fasteners 0.00)

$\Delta U_f$  correction for fasteners by detailed calculation method (rainscreen cladding) - 0.000

(point thermal transmittance 0.00 | fasteners per m<sup>2</sup> 0.00)

$\Delta U_r$  correction for inverted roofs - 0.000

(precipitation 0.00 | f x 0.00)

Total U-value ( $U_c$ ) = U +  $\Delta U$

If  $\Delta U$  is less than 3% of U then the corrections need not be applied.

Calculations including a steel frame construction are calculated in accordance with BRE Digest 465.

Calculations for floor and basement constructions are calculated in accordance with BS EN ISO 13370:2017 / I.S. EN ISO 13370:2017.

Characteristics	Value	Characteristics	Value
Perimeter	13.800m	Area	19.600m <sup>2</sup>
P/A	0.704	Soil type	Sand or Gravel
Earth conductivity	2.000W/mK		

## Condensation

Condensation calculations have been performed in accordance with I.S. EN ISO 13788:2012 and BS 5250:2011+A1:2016 and the risk assessed within environmental conditions with the following characteristics

Humidity class 4 - Dwellings with high occupancy, sport halls, kitchens, canteens; buildings heated with unflued gas heaters

Location: 7a Northern Ireland (East)

Condensation risk has been assessed up to and including Level 4 Humidity Class (4 - Dwellings with high occupancy, sport halls, kitchens, canteens; buildings heated with unflued gas heaters) within worst case environment conditions. The risk level is 1 in 20 years

Condensation has been calculated to accumulate at the followings interfaces:

Interface 1: KOOLTHERM K3 / DAMP PROOF MEMBRANE

## Condensation Analysis

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Internal Temperature (°C)	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
Internal Relative Humidity (%)	70.7	69.7	68.8	68.4	69.1	72.6	75.3	75.2	75.9	72.1	70.8	71
External Temperature (°C)	2	2.5	4	6	9	12	13	12.5	11	8	5	3
External Relative Humidity (%)	95	92	89	87	85	86	88	89	94	93	94	96
Interface1 (Gc (kg/m <sup>2</sup> ))	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.002	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.002	0.002
Interface1 (Ma (kg/m <sup>2</sup> ))	0.01	0.012	0.014	0.016	0.018	0.02	0.021	0.001	0.003	0.004	0.006	0.008

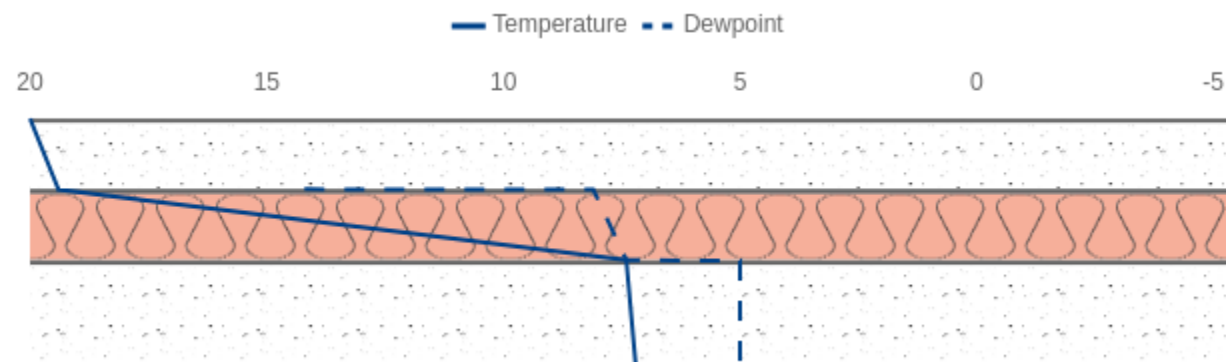
Gc = Monthly moisture accumulation per area at an interface

Ma = Accumulated moisture content per area at an interface

Peak accumulated moisture content per area at interface1 (Ma) = 0.021 Kg/m<sup>2</sup>

Annual moisture accumulation (Ma) = 0.020 Kg/m<sup>2</sup>

Peak moisture build-up month: July



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# U-Value Calculation and Condensation Risk Assessment

<b>Project Information</b>	Construction: Pitched Roof
	Construction Type: Pitched Roof
	File reference: 2-WA-201216-095809-537
	Calculated U-value = $0.18W/m^2K$

## Selected Build-Up

Description	Thickness (mm)	Thermal Conductivity (W/mK)	Thermal Resistance (m <sup>2</sup> K/W)	Thermal Bridging	Vapour Resistivity (MNs/gm)	Vapour Resistance (MNs/g)
Inside Surface			0.1			
KOOLTHERM K7 	80	0.02	3.568	12.7% roof timber - 47mm @ 400mm ctrs + 1% for noggins + loft hatches		27.3
KOOLTHERM K7 	50	0.02	2.5			18.4
BREATHABLE MEMBRANE	0.5		0.006			0.2
COUNTER BATTEN CAVITY	38		0			0
TILES / SLATES & BATTENS; VENTILATED PITCHED ROOF.	30		0			0
Outside Surface			0.104			

Key  Bridged and fastened  Bridged  Fastened

## Supporting Information



## Product Details

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Kingspan Kooltherm K7 Pitched Roof Board  
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## Detailed U-value

The calculation method is in accordance with BS EN ISO 6946:2017 / I.S. EN ISO 6946:2017. A simplified summary of the steps involved are shown below

$$R_{total}(R_{tot}) = R_{si} + R_1 + R_2 + \dots + R_n + R_{se}$$

For a construction containing inhomogeneous layers the upper and lower resistances of the construction must be used

$$R_{tot;upper} = 1/((f_a/R_{tot;a}) + (f_b/R_{tot;b}) + \dots + (f_q/R_{tot;q}))$$

$$R_j = 1/((f_a/R_{aj}) + (f_b/R_{bj}) + \dots + (f_q/R_{qj}))$$

$$R_{tot;lower} = R_{si} + R_1 + R_2 + R_j + \dots + R_n + R_{se}$$

$$R_{tot} = (R_{tot;upper} + R_{tot;lower})/2$$

$$= (5.939 + 5.061)/2$$

$$U = 1/R_{tot}$$

$$= 5.500$$

$$\Delta U = \Delta U_g + \Delta U_f + \Delta U_r$$

$\Delta U_g$  correction for air voids - 0.000

$\Delta U_f$  correction for fasteners by approximate procedure - 0.002

(alpha 0.80 | fasteners per m<sup>2</sup> 6.20 | fasteners cross sectional area 7.90 | thermal conductivity of fasteners 17.00)

$\Delta U_f$  correction for fasteners by detailed calculation method (rainscreen cladding) – 0.000

(point thermal transmittance 0.00 | fasteners per m<sup>2</sup> 0.00)

$\Delta U_r$  correction for inverted roofs – 0.000

(precipitation 0.00 | f x 0.00)

Total U-value ( $U_c$ ) =  $U + \Delta U$

If  $\Delta U$  is less than 3% of U then the corrections need not be applied.

Calculations including a steel frame construction are calculated in accordance with BRE Digest 465.

## Condensation

Condensation calculations have been performed in accordance with I.S. EN ISO 13788:2012 and BS 5250:2011+A1:2016 and the risk assessed within environmental conditions with the following characteristics

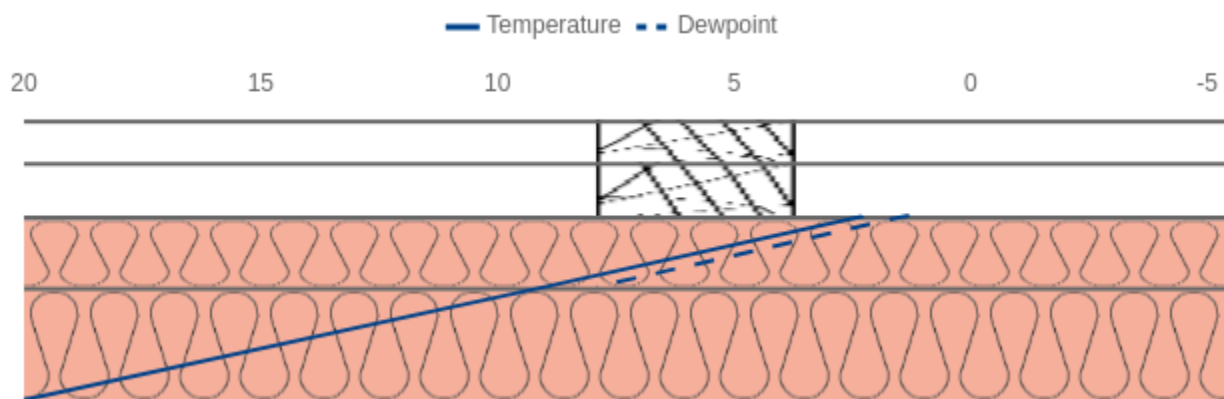
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Location: 7a Northern Ireland (East)

Condensation risk has been assessed up to and including Level 4 Humidity Class (4 - Dwellings with high occupancy, sport halls, kitchens, canteens; buildings heated with unflued gas heaters) within worst case environment conditions. The risk level is 1 in 20 years

## Condensation Analysis

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Internal Temperature (°C)	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
Internal Relative Humidity (%)	70.7	69.7	68.8	68.4	69.1	72.6	75.3	75.2	75.9	72.1	70.8	71
External Temperature (°C)	2	2.5	4	6	9	12	13	12.5	11	8	5	3
External Relative Humidity (%)	95	92	89	87	85	86	88	89	94	93	94	96



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# U-Value Calculation and Condensation Risk Assessment

**Project Information** Construction: Wall  
 Construction Type: Wall  
 File reference: 2-WA-201216-100318-539  
 Calculated U-value = 0.13W/ m<sup>2</sup>K

## Selected Build-Up

Description	Thickness (mm)	Thermal Conductivity (W/mK)	Thermal Resistance (m <sup>2</sup> K/W)	Thermal Bridging	Vapour Resistivity (MN/gm)	Vapour Resistance (MN/g)	
Inside Surface			0.13				
PLASTER LIGHTWEIGHT	13	0.18	0.072		60	0.78	
BLOCKWORK 2000 kg/m <sup>3</sup> (k-value = 1.13 W/mK) 	100	1.13	0.088	6.6% Mortar, 450.0 centres	45	4.5	
KOOLTHERM K8 PLUS 	130	0.02	6.5			100	
UNV. A/SPACE;	20		0.524			0.05	
BLOCKWORK 2000 kg/m <sup>3</sup> (k-value = 1.13 W/mK) 	100	1.13	0.088	6.6% Mortar, 450.0 centres	45	4.5	
CEMENT RENDER	20	0.5	0.04		100	2	
Outside Surface			0.04				

Key  Bridged and fastened  Bridged  Fastened

## Supporting Information

## Product Details

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## Detailed U-value

The calculation method is in accordance with BS EN ISO 6946:2017 / I.S. EN ISO 6946:2017. A simplified summary of the steps involved are shown below

$$R_{\text{total}}(R_{\text{tot}}) = R_{\text{si}} + R_1 + R_2 + \dots + R_n + R_{\text{se}}$$

For a construction containing inhomogeneous layers the upper and lower resistances of the construction must be used

$$R_{\text{tot;upper}} = 1 / ((f_a / R_{\text{tot;a}}) + (f_b / R_{\text{tot;b}}) + \dots + (f_q / R_{\text{tot;q}}))$$

$$R_j = 1 / ((f_a / R_{\text{aj}}) + (f_b / R_{\text{bj}}) + \dots + (f_q / R_{\text{qj}}))$$

$$R_{\text{tot;lower}} = R_{\text{si}} + R_1 + R_2 + R_j + \dots + R_n + R_{\text{se}}$$

$$R_{\text{tot}} = (R_{\text{tot;upper}} + R_{\text{tot;lower}}) / 2$$

$$= (7.483 + 7.483) / 2$$

$$U = 1 / R_{\text{tot}}$$

$$= 7.483$$

$$\Delta U = \Delta U_g + \Delta U_f + \Delta U_r$$

$\Delta U_g$  correction for air voids - 0.000

$\Delta U_f$  correction for fasteners by approximate procedure - 0.003

(alpha 0.80 | fasteners per m<sup>2</sup> 4.90 | fasteners cross sectional area 8.55 | thermal conductivity of fasteners 17.00)

$\Delta U_f$  correction for fasteners by detailed calculation method (rainscreen cladding) – 0.000

(point thermal transmittance 0.00 | fasteners per m<sup>2</sup> 0.00)

$\Delta U_r$  correction for inverted roofs – 0.000

(precipitation 0.00 | f x 0.00)

Total U-value ( $U_c$ ) =  $U + \Delta U$

If  $\Delta U$  is less than 3% of  $U$  then the corrections need not be applied.

Calculations including a steel frame construction are calculated in accordance with BRE Digest 465.

## Condensation

Condensation calculations have been performed in accordance with I.S. EN ISO 13788:2012 and BS 5250:2011+A1:2016 and the risk assessed within environmental conditions with the following characteristics

Humidity class 4 - Dwellings with high occupancy, sport halls, kitchens, canteens; buildings heated with unflued gas heaters

Location: 7a Northern Ireland (East)

Condensation risk has been assessed up to and including Level 4 Humidity Class (4 - Dwellings with high occupancy, sport halls, kitchens, canteens; buildings heated with unflued gas heaters) within worst case environment conditions. The risk level is 1 in 20 years

Condensation has been calculated to accumulate at the followings interfaces:

Interface1: UNV. A/SPACE; / BLOCKWORK 2000 kg/m<sup>3</sup> (k-value = 1.13 W/mK)

## Condensation Analysis

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Internal Temperature (°C)	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
Internal Relative Humidity (%)	70.7	69.7	68.8	68.4	69.1	72.6	75.3	75.2	75.9	72.1	70.8	71
External Temperature (°C)	2	2.5	4	6	9	12	13	12.5	11	8	5	3
External Relative Humidity (%)	95	92	89	87	85	86	88	89	94	93	94	96
Interface1 (Gc (kg/m <sup>2</sup> ))	0	-0.009	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.001
Interface1 (Ma (kg/m <sup>2</sup> ))	0.002	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.001

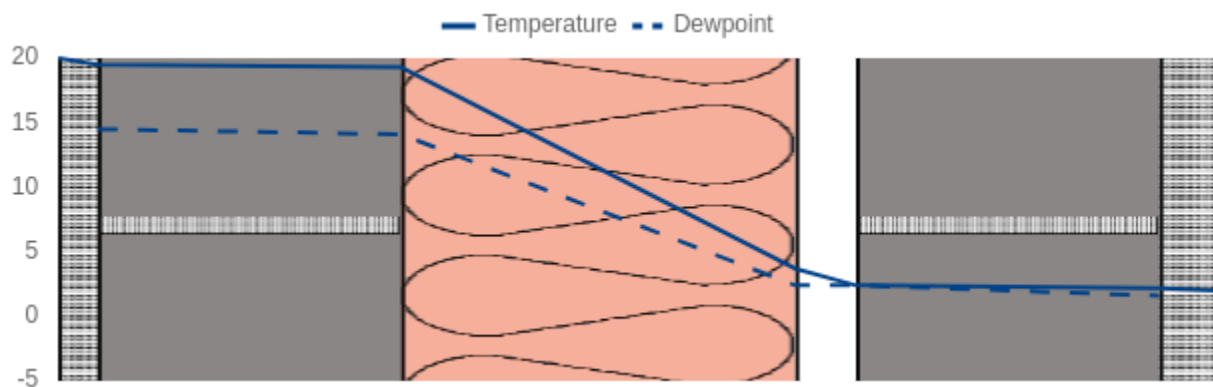
Gc = Monthly moisture accumulation per area at an interface

Ma = Accumulated moisture content per area at an interface

Peak accumulated moisture content per area at interface1 (Ma) = 0.002 Kg/m<sup>2</sup>

Annual moisture accumulation (Ma) = 0.000 Kg/m<sup>2</sup>

Peak moisture build-up month: January



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Client : [REDACTED]  
 Project ID : TNI, Airport Road, Belfast  
 Structure element : Wall  
 Description : Brick and block cavity wall, partial fill, 4.9 ties per m<sup>2</sup>, cavity greater than 125mm  
 File reference : **2B156K4CB0.FCF**

**Calculated 'U' value = 0.16W/m<sup>2</sup>K (Calculated in accordance with BS EN ISO 6946:2017)**

Element Description	Element Thickness (mm)	Thermal Conductivity (W/mK)	Thermal Resistance (m <sup>2</sup> K/W)	Vapour Resistivity (MNs/gm)	Vapour Resistance (MNs/g)	Mean T (K)	Delta T (K)
Outside surface resistance	-	-	0.040	-	-	80.52	0.08
BRICKWORK FACING	102.5	0.770	0.133	42.00	4.31	80.70	0.27
UNV. A/SPACE;	50.0	-	0.665	-	0.05	81.52	1.36
<a href="#">KOOLTHERM K8</a>	100.0	0.020	5.000	-	100.00	87.33	10.26
BLOCKWORK 2000 kg/m <sup>3</sup> (k-value = 1.13 W/mK)	150.0	1.130	0.133	45.00	6.75	92.60	0.27
PLASTER LIGHTWEIGHT	13.0	0.180	0.072	60.00	0.78	92.81	0.15
Inside surface resistance	-	-	0.130	-	-	93.02	0.27

### Detailed U-value Calculation Results

Total resistance of wall

$$R_T = (R_{upper} + R_{lower}) / 2 = (6.173 + 6.173) / 2 = 6.173 \text{ m}^2\text{K/W}$$

(Correction for mechanical fasteners, Delta Uf = 0.0027W/m<sup>2</sup>K | Correction for air gaps, Delta Ug = 0.0000W/m<sup>2</sup>K)

(Alpha 0.8 m<sup>-1</sup> | Fasteners per square metre 4.9000)

(Fasteners cross-sectional area 6.200 mm<sup>2</sup> | Thermal conductivity of fastener 17.00 W/mK)

(Delta Uf + Delta Ug) is less than 3% of (1 / Rt) so U = (1 / Rt) = 0.16W/m<sup>2</sup>K

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[Kooltherm K8](#)

Client : XXXXXXXXXX  
 Project ID : TNI, Airport Road, Belfast  
 Structure element : Wall  
 Description : Brick and block cavity wall, partial fill, 4.9 ties per m<sup>2</sup>, cavity greater than 125mm  
**File reference : 2B156K4CB0.FCF**  
 Humidity Class: 2 - Offices, Shops  
 Location: 7a Northern Ireland (East)

### Condensation calculations performed in accordance with BS 5250: 2011

Month	Int (°C)	Int (%RH)	Ext (°C)	Ext (%RH)	Prediction of mould growth	Prediction of surface condensation
Jan	20.0	51.5	2.0	95.0	No	No
Feb	20.0	51.0	2.5	92.0	No	No
Mar	20.0	51.3	4.0	89.0	No	No
Apr	20.0	52.6	6.0	87.0	No	No
May	20.0	55.7	9.0	85.0	No	No
Jun	20.0	61.8	12.0	86.0	No	No
Jul	20.0	65.3	13.0	88.0	No	No
Aug	20.0	64.7	12.5	89.0	No	No
Sep	20.0	64.2	11.0	94.0	No	No
Oct	20.0	57.9	8.0	93.0	No	No
Nov	20.0	54.1	5.0	94.0	No	No
Dec	20.0	52.7	3.0	96.0	No	No

fRsi for mould growth = 0.979

fRsi,max for mould growth = 0.617

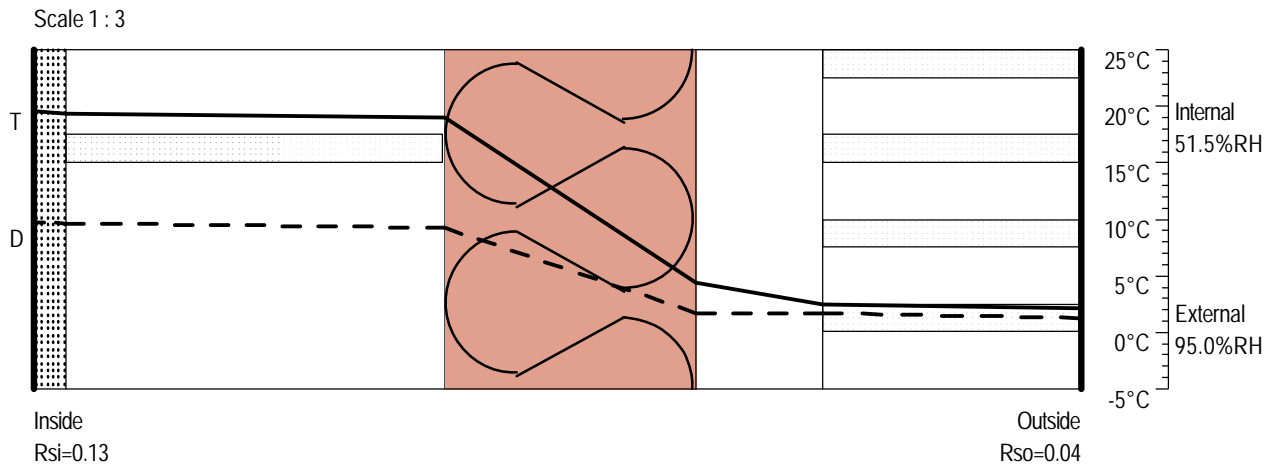
fRsi,max for surface condensation = 0.429

Gc = Monthly moisture accumulation per area at an interface

Ma = Accumulated moisture content per area at an interface

**Peak accumulated moisture content per area at interface (Ma) = 0.00 Kg/m<sup>2</sup>**

**Annual moisture accumulation (Ma) = 0.00 Kg/m<sup>2</sup>**



Client : [REDACTED]  
 Project ID : TNI, Airport Road, Belfast  
 Structure element : Pitched roof, horizontal ceiling, insulation at ceiling level  
 Description : Cold pitched roof  
 File reference : 2B156K4DDD.FCF

**Calculated 'U' value = 0.12W/m<sup>2</sup>K (Calculated in accordance with BS EN ISO 6946:2017)**

Element Description	Element Thickness (mm)	Thermal Conductivity (W/mK)	Thermal Resistance (m <sup>2</sup> K/W)	Vapour Resistivity (MNs/gm)	Vapour Resistance (MNs/g)	Pitch	Mean T (K)	D
Outside surface resistance	-	-	-	-	-	30.0°	76.90	0
TILES / SLATES ON BATTENS ; PITCHED ROOF.	30.0	0.000	0.000	0.00	0.00	30.0°	76.90	0
BREATHABLE MEMBRANE	0.5	-	0.000	-	0.20	30.0°	76.90	0
Loft space - ventilated	-	-	0.200	-	-		77.09	0
GLASS FIBRE INSULATION	150.0	0.044	3.409	10.00	1.50		80.49	6
GLASS FIBRE INSULATION 12.7% roof timber - 47mm @ 400mm ctrs + 1% for noggins + loft hatches (150.0mm)	150.0	0.044	3.409	10.00	1.50		86.93	6
<a href="#">KOOLTHERM K18 (12.5mm plasterboard internal finish)</a>	42.5	-	1.494	-	100.00		91.55	2
Inside surface resistance	-	-	0.100	-	-		93.06	0

#### Detailed U-value Calculation Results

Client : XXXXXXXXXX  
 Project ID : TNI, Airport Road, Belfast  
 Structure element : Pitched roof, horizontal ceiling, insulation at ceiling level  
 Description : Cold pitched roof  
 File reference : **2B156K4DDD.FCF**  
 Humidity Class: 3 - Dwellings with low occupancy  
 Location: Europe - Republic of Ireland - Dublin (Mean min)

**Condensation calculations performed in accordance with BS 5250: 2011**

Month	Int (°C)	Int (%RH)	Ext (°C)	Ext (%RH)	Prediction of mould growth	Prediction of surface condensation
Jan	20.0	56.8	-1.0	92.0	No	No
Feb	20.0	58.2	0.0	90.0	No	No
Mar	20.0	60.4	1.0	86.0	No	No
Apr	20.0	58.5	2.0	80.0	No	No
May	20.0	58.0	4.0	79.0	No	No
Jun	20.0	59.1	7.0	80.0	No	No
Jul	20.0	61.2	9.0	82.0	No	No
Aug	20.0	62.2	9.0	84.0	No	No
Sep	20.0	62.1	7.0	87.0	No	No
Oct	20.0	61.5	4.0	89.0	No	No
Nov	20.0	62.1	2.0	92.0	No	No
Dec	20.0	62.1	1.0	92.0	No	No

fRsi for mould growth = 0.988

fRsi,max for mould growth = 0.788

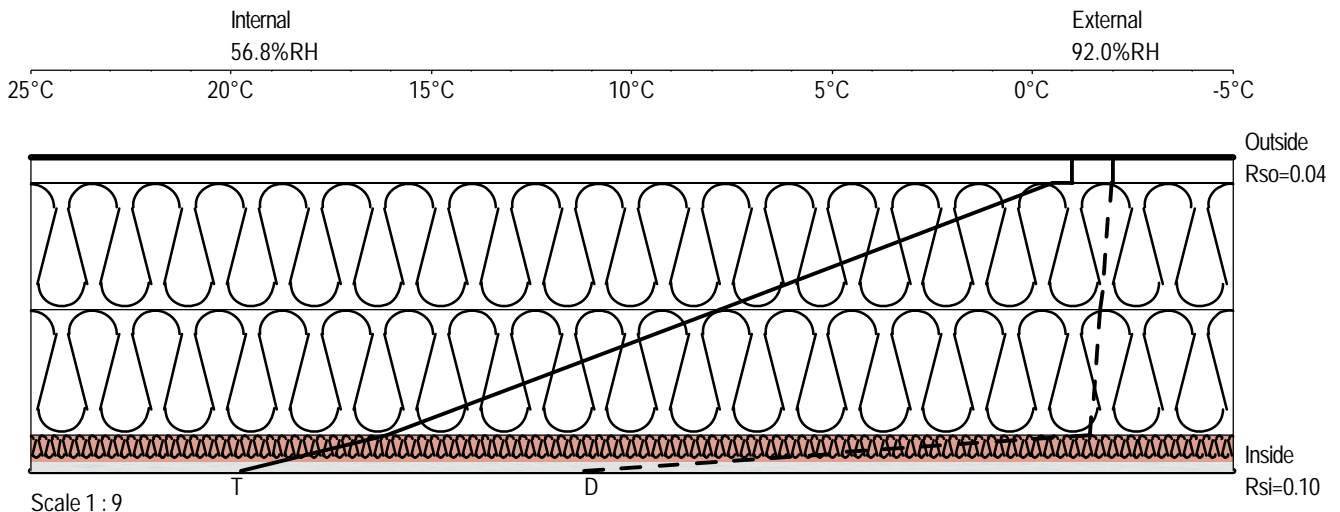
fRsi,max for surface condensation = 0.618

Gc = Monthly moisture accumulation per area at an interface

Ma = Accumulated moisture content per area at an interface

**Peak accumulated moisture content per area at interface (Ma) = 0.00 Kg/m<sup>2</sup>**

**Annual moisture accumulation (Ma) = 0.00 Kg/m<sup>2</sup>**



Client : [REDACTED]  
 Project ID : TNI, Airport Road, Belfast  
 Structure element : Wall  
 Description : Brick and block cavity wall, partial fill, 4.9 ties per m<sup>2</sup>, cavity greater than 125mm  
 File reference : **2B156K4E79.FCF**

**Calculated 'U' value = 0.12W/m<sup>2</sup>K (Calculated in accordance with BS EN ISO 6946:2017)**

Element Description	Element Thickness (mm)	Thermal Conductivity (W/mK)	Thermal Resistance (m <sup>2</sup> K/W)	Vapour Resistivity (MNs/gm)	Vapour Resistance (MNs/g)	Mean T (K)	Delta T (K)
Outside surface resistance	-	-	0.040	-	-	76.94	0.08
CEMENT RENDER	19.0	0.500	0.038	100.00	1.90	77.02	0.08
BLOCKWORK 2000 kg/m <sup>3</sup> (k-value = 1.13 W/mK)	100.0	1.130	0.088	45.00	4.50	77.15	0.18
UNV. A/SPACE;	25.0	-	0.665	-	0.05	77.91	1.34
<a href="#">KOOLTHERMK108</a>	125.0	0.018	6.944	-	37.70	85.57	13.99
BLOCKWORK 2000 kg/m <sup>3</sup> (k-value = 1.13 W/mK)	100.0	1.130	0.088	45.00	4.50	92.65	0.18
PLASTER LIGHTWEIGHT	13.0	0.180	0.072	60.00	0.78	92.82	0.15
Inside surface resistance	-	-	0.130	-	-	93.02	0.26

#### Detailed U-value Calculation Results

Total resistance of wall

$$R_T = (R_{upper} + R_{lower}) / 2 = (8.067 + 8.067) / 2 = 8.067 \text{ m}^2\text{K/W}$$

(Correction for mechanical fasteners, Delta Uf = 0.0024W/m<sup>2</sup>K | Correction for air gaps, Delta Ug = 0.0000W/m<sup>2</sup>K)

(Alpha 0.8 m<sup>-1</sup> | Fasteners per square metre 4.9000)

(Fasteners cross-sectional area 6.200 mm<sup>2</sup> | Thermal conductivity of fastener 17.00 W/mK)

(Delta Uf + Delta Ug) is less than 3% of (1 / Rt) so U = (1 / Rt) = 0.12W/m<sup>2</sup>K

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[KOOLTHERMK108](#)

Client : XXXXXXXXXX  
 Project ID : TNI, Airport Road, Belfast  
 Structure element : Wall  
 Description : Brick and block cavity wall, partial fill, 4.9 ties per m<sup>2</sup>, cavity greater than 125mm  
 File reference : **2B156K4E79.FCF**  
 Humidity Class: 3 - Dwellings with low occupancy  
 Location: Europe - Republic of Ireland - Dublin (Mean min)

## Condensation calculations performed in accordance with BS 5250: 2011

Condensation is occurring at the following layers interfaces:-  
 Interface 1 : BLOCKWORK 2000 kg/m<sup>3</sup> (k-value = 1.13 W/mK) / UNV. A/SPACE;

Month	Int (°C)	Int (%RH)	Ext (°C)	Ext (%RH)	Interface 1		Prediction of mould growth	Prediction of surface condensation
					Gc (Kg/m <sup>2</sup> )	Ma (Kg/m <sup>2</sup> )		
Jan	20.0	56.8	-1.0	92.0	0.02	0.05	No	No
Feb	20.0	58.2	0.0	90.0	0.01	0.06	No	No
Mar	20.0	60.4	1.0	86.0	0.00	0.06	No	No
Apr	20.0	58.5	2.0	80.0	-0.03	0.04	No	No
May	20.0	58.0	4.0	79.0	-0.05	0.00	No	No
Jun	20.0	59.1	7.0	80.0	0.00	0.00	No	No
Jul	20.0	61.2	9.0	82.0	0.00	0.00	No	No
Aug	20.0	62.2	9.0	84.0	0.00	0.00	No	No
Sep	20.0	62.1	7.0	87.0	0.00	0.00	No	No
Oct	20.0	61.5	4.0	89.0	0.00	0.00	No	No
Nov	20.0	62.1	2.0	92.0	0.01	0.01	No	No
Dec	20.0	62.1	1.0	92.0	0.02	0.03	No	No

fRsi for mould growth = 0.984

fRsi,max for mould growth = 0.788

fRsi,max for surface condensation = 0.618

Gc = Monthly moisture accumulation per area at an interface

Ma = Accumulated moisture content per area at an interface

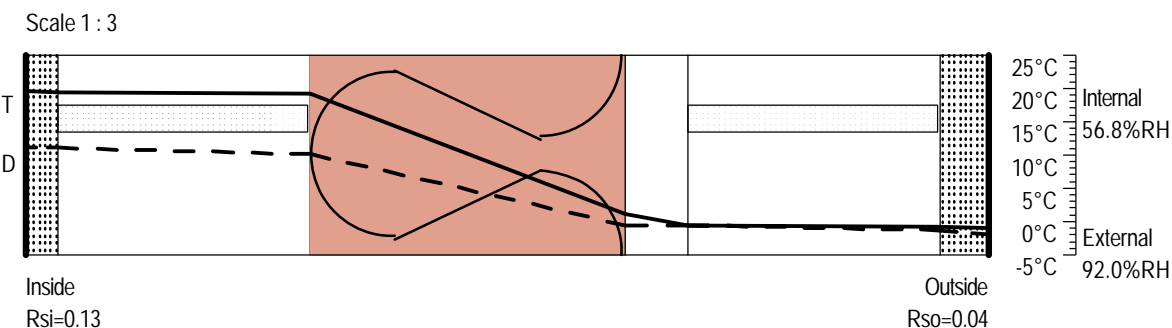
**Peak accumulated moisture content per area at interface (Ma) = 0.06 Kg/m<sup>2</sup>**

**Annual moisture accumulation (Ma) = 0.00 Kg/m<sup>2</sup>**

**Peak moisture build-up month : January**

Internal conditions : 20.0°C @ 56.8%RH

External conditions : -1.0°C @ 92.0%RH



Client : [REDACTED]  
 Project ID : TNI, Airport Road, Belfast  
 Structure element : Solid Ground floor  
 Description : Solid ground floor (insulation beneath screed / concrete slab)  
 File reference : **2B156K44D4.FCF**

**Calculated 'U' value = 0.15W/m<sup>2</sup>K (Calculated in accordance with BS EN ISO 13370:2017)**

#### Office & lobby Floor

Element Description	Element Thickness (mm)	Thermal Conductivity (W/mK)	Thermal Resistance (m <sup>2</sup> K/W)	Mean T (K)	Delta T (K)
Inside surface	-	-	0.170	92.95	0.40
SAND CEMENT SCREED	100.0	1.400	0.071	92.66	0.17
POLYTHENE SEPARATION LAYER	0.5	-	0.001	92.58	0.00
<a href="#">KOOLTHERMK3</a>	100.0	0.020	5.000	86.67	11.81
REINFORCED CONCRETE (2% STEEL)	200.0	2.500	0.080	80.67	0.19
DAMP PROOF MEMBRANE	0.9	-	0.001	80.58	0.00
Ground	-	-	0.040	80.53	0.09

#### Ground Floor Details

Calculation method : Perimeter / Area (As defined in BRE IP 3/90)  
 Perimeter : 31.00m  
 Area : 74.00m<sup>2</sup>  
 P/A : 0.419  
 Floor type : Solid floor  
 Earth conductivity : 2.000W/mK  
 Soil type : Sand or Gravel

#### Detailed U-value Calculation Results

Total resistance of solid ground floor

$$R_T = (R_{upper} + R_{lower}) / 2 = (5.363 + 5.363) / 2 = 5.363 \text{ m}^2\text{K/W}$$

(Correction for mechanical fasteners, Delta Uf = 0.0000W/m<sup>2</sup>K | Correction for air gaps, Delta Ug = 0.0000W/m<sup>2</sup>K)

(Alpha 0.0 m<sup>-1</sup> | Fasteners per square metre 0.0000)

(Fasteners cross-sectional area 0.000 mm<sup>2</sup> | Thermal conductivity of fastener 0.00 W/mK)

(Delta Uf + Delta Ug) is less than 3% of (1 / Rt) so U = (1 / Rt) = 0.15W/m<sup>2</sup>K

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[Kooltherm K3](#)

Client : [REDACTED]  
 Project ID : TNI, Airport Road, Belfast  
 Structure element : Solid Ground floor  
 Description : Solid ground floor (insulation beneath screed / concrete slab)  
 File reference : **2B156K44D4.FCF**  
 Humidity Class: 2 - Offices, Shops  
 Location: 7a Northern Ireland (East)

Condensation calculations performed in accordance with BS 5250: 2011

**Office & lobby Floor**

Month	Int (°C)	Int (%RH)	Ext/Grd (°C)	Ext/Grd (%RH)	Prediction of mould growth	Prediction of surface condensation
Jan	20.0	51.5	2.0/5.2	95.0/100.0	No	No
Feb	20.0	51.0	2.5/4.7	92.0/100.0	No	No
Mar	20.0	51.3	4.0/4.9	89.0/100.0	No	No
Apr	20.0	52.6	6.0/5.7	87.0/100.0	No	No
May	20.0	55.7	9.0/6.7	85.0/100.0	No	No
Jun	20.0	61.8	12.0/8.2	86.0/100.0	No	No
Jul	20.0	65.3	13.0/9.7	88.0/100.0	No	No
Aug	20.0	64.7	12.5/10.2	89.0/100.0	No	No
Sep	20.0	64.2	11.0/9.9	94.0/100.0	No	No
Oct	20.0	57.9	8.0/9.2	93.0/100.0	No	No
Nov	20.0	54.1	5.0/7.7	94.0/100.0	No	No
Dec	20.0	52.7	3.0/6.2	96.0/100.0	No	No

fRsi for mould growth = 0.974

fRsi,max for mould growth = 0.602

fRsi,max for surface condensation = 0.378

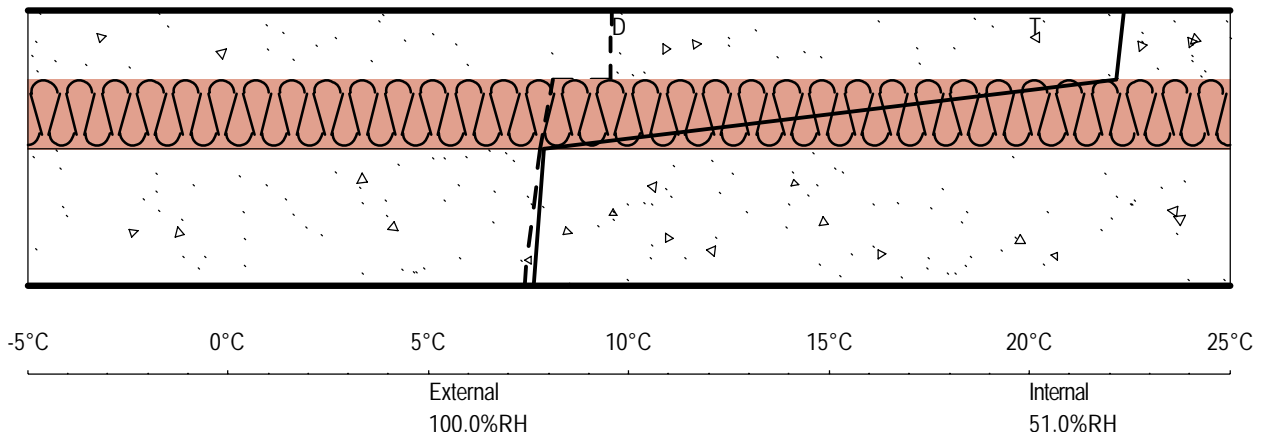
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Ma = Accumulated moisture content per area at an interface

**Peak accumulated moisture content per area at interface (Ma) = 0.00 Kg/m<sup>2</sup>**

**Annual moisture accumulation (Ma) = 0.00 Kg/m<sup>2</sup>**

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Client : [REDACTED]  
 Project ID : TNI, Airport Road, Belfast  
 Structure element : Flat roof  
 Description : Flat roof - insulation / membrane fixed with steel fasteners  
 File reference : **2B156K454E.FCF**

**Calculated 'U' value = 0.22W/m²K (Calculated in accordance with BS EN ISO 6946:2017)**

Element Description	Element Thickness (mm)	Thermal Conductivity (W/mK)	Thermal Resistance (m²K/W)	Vapour Resistivity (MNs/gm)	Vapour Resistance (MNs/g)	Mean T (K)	Delta T (K)
Outside surface resistance	-	-	0.040	-	-	80.53	0.10
SINGLE PLY MEMBRANE (mechanically fixed)	1.5	0.160	0.009	-	138.00	80.60	0.02
<a href="#">KINGSPAN THERMAROOF TR26 LPC / FM</a>	100.0	0.022	4.545	-	100.00	86.30	11.39
1000 GAUGE 0.25mm POLYTHENE VAPOUR CONTROL LAYER	0.3	-	0.001	-	500.00	92.00	0.00
PLYWOOD DECKING	18.0	0.140	0.129	520.00	9.36	92.16	0.32
TIMBER STUD/JOIST/RAFTER CAVITY; U/V.	200.0	-	0.163	-	0.05	92.53	0.41
PLASTERBOARD	12.5	0.190	0.066	50.00	0.63	92.82	0.16
Inside surface resistance	-	-	0.100	-	-	93.02	0.25

#### Detailed U-value Calculation Results

Total resistance of roof

$$R_T = (R_{upper} + R_{lower}) / 2 = (5.054 + 5.054) / 2 = 5.054 \text{ m}^2\text{K/W}$$

(Correction for mechanical fasteners, Delta Uf = 0.0200W/m²K | Correction for air gaps, Delta Ug = 0.0000W/m²K)

(Roofs - insulation fixed with nails or screws

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$$U = (1 / R_T) + (\text{Delta Uf} + \text{Delta Ug}) = (1/5.054) + 0.0200 + 0.0000 = 0.22\text{W/m}^2\text{K}$$

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Client : XXXXXXXXXX  
 Project ID : TNI, Airport Road, Belfast  
 Structure element : Flat roof  
 Description : Flat roof - insulation / membrane fixed with steel fasteners  
 File reference : **2B156K454E.FCF**  
 Humidity Class: 2 - Offices, Shops  
 Location: 7a Northern Ireland (East)

## Condensation calculations performed in accordance with BS 5250: 2011

Condensation is occurring at the following layers interfaces:-

Interface 1 : SINGLE PLY MEMBRANE (mechanically fixed) / KINGSPAN THERMAROOF TR26 LPC / FM

Month	Int (°C)	Int (%RH)	Ext (°C)	Ext (%RH)	Interface 1		Prediction of mould growth	Prediction of surface condensation
					Gc (Kg/m <sup>2</sup> )	Ma (Kg/m <sup>2</sup> )		
Jan	20.0	51.5	2.0	95.0	0.00	0.00	No	No
Feb	20.0	51.0	2.5	92.0	0.00	0.00	No	No
Mar	20.0	51.3	4.0	89.0	0.00	0.00	No	No
Apr	20.0	52.6	6.0	87.0	0.00	0.00	No	No
May	20.0	55.7	9.0	85.0	0.00	0.00	No	No
Jun	20.0	61.8	12.0	86.0	0.00	0.00	No	No
Jul	20.0	65.3	13.0	88.0	0.00	0.00	No	No
Aug	20.0	64.7	12.5	89.0	0.00	0.00	No	No
Sep	20.0	64.2	11.0	94.0	0.00	0.00	No	No
Oct	20.0	57.9	8.0	93.0	0.00	0.00	No	No
Nov	20.0	54.1	5.0	94.0	0.00	0.00	No	No
Dec	20.0	52.7	3.0	96.0	0.00	0.00	No	No

fRsi for mould growth = 0.978

fRsi,max for mould growth = 0.617

fRsi,max for surface condensation = 0.429

Gc = Monthly moisture accumulation per area at an interface

Ma = Accumulated moisture content per area at an interface

**Peak accumulated moisture content per area at interface (Ma) = 0.00 Kg/m<sup>2</sup>**

**Annual moisture accumulation (Ma) = 0.00 Kg/m<sup>2</sup>**

**Peak moisture build-up month : January**

Internal conditions : 20.0°C @ 51.5%RH

External conditions : 2.0°C @ 95.0%RH

