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### Classification report no. KB 3.2/19-464-1

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Classification of fire resistance acc. to

DIN EN 13501-2:2016-12

Subject matter:

Classification of a load-bearing, space-enclosing and thermally-insulating solid wood wall construction (plywood board) with asymmetric lining/panelling on both sides in accordance with DIN EN 13501-2:2016-12 with a one-sided exposure to fire of wall side A for classification in the fire resistance class

REI 90 - M.

Applicant:

Massiv-Holz-Mauer Entwicklungs GmbH

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Person in charge:

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#### Introduction 1

This classification report defines the classifications assigned to the load-bearing, space-enclosing and thermally-insulating solid wood wall construction (plywood board) with asymmetrical panelling/sheathing on both sides in accordance with the procedures set out in DIN EN 13501-2:2016-12.

#### 2 Details of the classified product

#### 2.1 Type of function

The solid wood wall construction with asymmetrical lining/panelling on both sides, which is to be classified, is defined as a load-bearing, space-enclosing and thermally-insulating wall construction. It is classified as a load-bearing wall construction in accordance with DIN EN 1365-1:2013-08 in conjunction with DIN EN 13501-2:2016-12, section 7.3.2. Their function is to resist fire according to the characteristic reaction to fire as per section 5.2.1 to 5.2.3 of DIN EN 13501-2:2016-12.

#### 2.2 Description of the construction

The tested solid wood wall construction consists of a plywood board element with lining/panelling on both sides which is an unsymmetrically designed wall construction according to table 1.

Table 1: List of structural details of the tested wall construction

Item	Material/ dimensions	Comments			
Supporting structure:  B A B A B ETA – European Technical	Plywood board wall elements, view of the wall side A:  MHM – Wall element with 7 layers acc. to ETA¹¹-15/0760  Dimensions wooden boards: I x w x h = ≤ 3500 mm x ≤ 180 mm x 22.4 mm  Board grooves: I x w x h = ≤ 3500 mm x 7 mm x ≤ 2.4 mm  4 aluminium threaded nails in the intersection  Dimensions fasteners:  T x I = Ø 2.5 mm x 50 mm  Element A  Geometric dimensions: I x w x h = 3000 mm x 2500 mm x 156.8 mm  Joint: butt-jointed,  Joint width ≤ 1 mm  Element B  Geometric dimensions: I x w x h = 3000 mm x 500 mm x 156.8 mm  Joint: butt-jointed,  Joint width ≤ 1 mm	Fasteners at the element joint: The butt board was fastened with wood screws  Fastening 1 at the butt board from the side facing the fire. Type: Spax – dia. 8.0 x 200 mm acc. to ETA¹¹-12/0114  Edge distance: ≤ 20 mm Screw spacing: ≤ 400 mm Screw-in angle to the element surface: 45°  Fastening 2 at the butt board from the side facing the fire Type: Spax – dia. 8.0 x 160 mm acc. to ETA¹¹-12/0114  Edge distance: ≤ 50 mm Screw spacing: ≤ 400 mm Screw-in angle to the element surface: 90°  Element joints: No additional sealants at the element joint			

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Table 1, continued: List of structural details of the tested wall construction

Item	Material/ dimensions	Comments			
Butt board:	TeboPin III - veneer plywood acc. to DIN EN 13986:2004+A1:2015 maximum geom. dimensions: I x w x h = 2500 mm x 200 mm x 40 mm Joints: butt-jointed, Joint width ≤ 1 mm Joint offset ≤ 4 mm	Dimension of the opening at the element segments:  I x w x h =  3000 mm x 200 mm x 44 mm  No additional sealant between butt board and sample			
Sheathing/panelling Wall side A facing the fire:	Inner sheathing / panelling layer Knauf fire protection board GKF acc. to DIN EN 520: 2004 + A1:2009 Maximum board size: I x w x t = ≤ 3000 mm x ≤ 1250 mm x 18 mm Joints: butt-jointed, Joint width ≤ 1 mm  Joint filler: Knauf Uniflott type 4B acc. to DIN EN 13963: 2005-05 evenly distributed on the board junctions. Fastener rows additionally grouted.	Connection devices: Clamps KMR KG 45 VZ HZ acc. to ETA <sup>1)</sup> -18/0708 Geometric dimensions: I x w x t = 45 mm x 11.10 mm x 1.44 mm Clamp spacing: ≤ 150 mm Row spacing: ≤ 625 mm Edge distance: ≤ 30 mm Connection: Board in CLT			
2	Outer sheathing/panelling layer Knauf fire protection board GKF acc. to DIN EN 520: 2004 + A1:2009 Maximum board size: I x w x t = ≤ 3000 mm x ≤ 1250 mm x 18 mm Joints: butt-jointed, Joint width ≤ 1 mm Joint filler: Knauf Uniflott type 4B acc. to DIN EN 13963: 2005-05 evenly distributed on the board junctions. Fastener rows additionally grouted.	Connection devices: Clamps KMR KG 65 VZ HZ acc. to ETA <sup>1)</sup> -18/0708 Geometric dimensions: I x w x t = 65 mm x 11.10 mm x 1.44 mm Clamp spacing: ≤ 75 mm Row spacing: ≤ 625 mm Edge distance: ≤ 30 mm Connection: Board in CLT			
Sheathing/panelling wall side B facing away from the fire:	sheathing/panelling layer Knauf board GB acc. to DIN EN 520: 2004 + A1:2009 Maximum board size: I x w x t = ≤ 3000 mm x ≤ 1250 mm x 9.5 mm Joints: butt-jointed, Joint width ≤ 1 mm Joint filler: Knauf Uniflott type 4B acc. to DIN EN 13963: 2005-05 evenly distributed on the board junctions. Fastener rows additionally grouted.	Connection devices: Clamps KMR KG 45 VZ HZ acc. to ETA¹¹-18/0708 Geometric dimensions: I x w x t = 45 mm x 11.10 mm x 1.44 mm Clamp spacing: ≤ 150 mm Row spacing: ≤ 625 mm Edge distance: ≤ 30 mm Connection: Board in CLT			

1) ETA – European Technical Assessment

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Table 1, continued: List of structural details of the tested wall construction

Item	Material/ dimensions	Comments
Electrical installations Wall side A facing the fire:  1 2	Electrical installation 1 Junction boxes Countersunk hole CLT: dia. 100 mm Countersunk hole sheathing: dia. 68 mm Countersunk hole depth CLT: 70 mm Cut channel to box: w x d = 30 mm x 20 mm  Electrical installation 2 Kaiser "Wall boxes HWD 90" Countersunk hole CLT: dia. 74 mm Countersunk hole sheathing: dia. 74 mm Countersunk hole depth CLT: 70 mm Cut channel to box: w x d = 30 mm x 20 mm	Electrical installation 1 Connection devices: Device screws Fire protection reinforcement: Knauf Uniflott type 4B acc. to DIN EN 13963: 2005-05 evenly distributed in the milled groove and at the transition to the cable duct by pressing in. Electrical installation 2 Connection devices: Device screws

<sup>1)</sup> ETA – European Technical Assessment

Further structural details as well as the materials used and their building material characteristic values can be found in the test report PB 3.2/19-464-1, dated 17 March 2020, by the Gesellschaft für Materialforschung und Prüfungsanstalt für das Bauwesen Leipzig mbH (MFPA Leipzig GmbH).

## 3 Test report and test results supporting this classification

### 3.1 Test report

Organisation that performed the test	Applicant	Number of the test report		
Gesellschaft für Materialforschung und Prüfungs- anstalt für das Bauwesen Leipzig mbH (MFPA Leipzig GmbH) Hans-Weigel-Straße 2b 04319 Leipzig Germany	Massiv-Holz-Mauer Entwicklungs GmbH Auf der Geigerhalde 41 D-87459 Pfronten-Weißbach	PB 3.2/19-464-1 from 17 March 2020		

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#### 3.2 Fire protection capability

Table 2: Performance characteristics of the load-bearing, space-enclosing and thermally-insulating solid wood wall construction according to test report PB 3.2/19-464-1

Test method	Parameter	Test results Criterion exceeded acc. to:				
DIN EN 1365-1:2013-08 in conjunction with DIN EN 1363-1:2012-10	Strength (R)					
	Applied load	100 kN/m (total load of 300 kN for a wall width of w = 3.00 m), solid wood with d = 156.8 mm				
	Vertical compression C = h/100 [mm]	Limit not exceeded in the test time of 93 tes minutes				
	Speed of vertical compression dC/dt = 3 h/1000 [mm/min]	Limit not exceeded in the test time of 93 tes minutes				
	Integrity (E)					
	Combustion of the cotton ball	Test not necessary				
	Appearance of gaps	Did not appear				
	Appearance of flames on the opposite side	Did not appear				
	Thermal insulation (I)					
	Rise in temperature above the initial temperature on the side facing away from the fire after the 90th minute of test					
	Mean value > 140 K	0 K				
	max. single value > 180 K	3 K				

#### 4 Classification and direct field of application

### 4.1 Classification of wall side A

This classification has been carried out in compliance with section 7.3.2 of DIN EN 13501-2:2016-12.

The load-bearing, space-enclosing and thermally-insulating solid wood wall construction with asymmetrical panelling/sheathing on both sides according to section 2.2 on the basis of the fire resistance test performed on <u>wall side A</u>. The following combinations of performance parameters and classes are allowed. Other classifications are not allowed.

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Fire resistance classification: REI 90 - M\*)

\*) The classification up to REI 90 - M (lower classification times included) applies to wall side A.





### 4.2 Direct field of application

This classification is valid for the following application conditions:

- The maximum permissible height of the wall construction is 3000 mm;
- The minimum wall thickness is t ≥ 202.3 mm (asymmetric design);
- The width of the wall may be increased;
- The joints must be designed according to the tested type;
- The thickness of the material used may be increased;
- The fastening distances may be reduced;
- The applied load may be reduced;
- Fittings may be used (design in accordance with section 2.2).

#### 5 Restrictions

This classification report is not a type approval or certification of the product. It does no replace any appraisal certificate that may be necessary according to German building laws (state building code) and is only valid in conjunction with the corresponding test report.

It is the responsibility of the certification body to check whether the relevant test and classification standards are valid and/or that no significant changes have been made that may have an effect on the safety level.

The results of the tests refer exclusively to the test items described herein.

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