

DECLARATION OF PERFORMANCE

NO. MW/LVL/318-001/CPR/DOP



1. **PRODUCT-TYPE:**
 Kerto LVL L-panel
 Structural Laminated Veneer Lumber, with crosswise veneers (LVL-C)

NOMINAL THICKNESS	NUMBER OF VENEERS	LONG GRAINED	CROSS GRAINED	LAY-UP
21 mm	7	5	2	— —
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24 mm	8	6	2	— —
27 mm	9	7	2	— —
30 mm	10	8	2	— —
33 mm	11	9	2	— —
39 mm	13	10	3	— — —
45 mm	15	12	3	— — —
51 mm	17	14	3	— — —
57 mm	19	15	4	— — — —
63 mm	21	16	5	— — — — —
69 mm	23	18	5	— — — — —
75 mm	25	20	5	— — — — —

2. **INTENDED USES:**
 Buildings and bridges

3. MANUFACTURER:

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5. SYSTEM OF ASSESSMENT AND VERIFICATION OF CONSTANCY OF PERFORMANCE:

AVCP System 1

6a. HARMONISED STANDARD:

EN 14374:2004

Notified body:

Eurofins Expert Services Oy, Notified product certification body No. 0809

Certificate of constancy of performance:

0809 – CPR – 1002

7. DECLARED PERFORMANCES

ESSENTIAL CHARACTERISTICS	SYMBOL	PERFORMANCE	
		KERTO LVL L-panel LVL 22 C THICKNESS 21 - 24 mm	KERTO LVL L-panel LVL 25 C THICKNESS 27 - 75 mm
Modulus of elasticity and shear modulus		N/mm² or kg/m³	N/mm² or kg/m³
<u>Modulus of elasticity, mean values</u>			
Parallel to grain, along	$E_{0,mean}^2$	6700	7500
Parallel to grain, across	$E_{m,90,flat,mean}$	700	1300
Perpendicular to grain, edgewise	$E_{c,90,edge,mean}^4$	1700	1700
Perpendicular to grain, flatwise	$E_{c,90,flat,mean}$	NPD	NPD
<u>Modulus of elasticity, fifth percentile value</u>			
Parallel to grain, along	$E_{0,k}^3$	5500	6500
Parallel to grain, across	$E_{m,90,flat,k}$	600	1100
Perpendicular to grain, edgewise	$E_{c,90,edge,k}^5$	1400	1400
Perpendicular to grain, flatwise	$E_{c,90,flat,k}$	NPD	NPD
<u>Shear modulus, mean values</u>			
Edgewise	$G_{0,edge,mean}$	500	500
Flatwise, parallel to grain	$G_{0,flat,mean}$	70	70
Flatwise, perpendicular to grain	$G_{90,flat,mean}$	18	18
<u>Shear modulus, fifth percentile value</u>			
Edgewise	$G_{0,edge,k}$	330	330
Flatwise, parallel to grain	$G_{0,flat,k}$	55	55
Flatwise, perpendicular to grain	$G_{90,flat,k}$	14	14
Strength, fifth percentile values			
<u>Bending strength</u>			
Edgewise (depth 300mm)	$f_{m,0,edge,k}$	19.0	20.5
Size effect parameter	s	0.15	0.15
Flatwise, parallel to grain	$f_{m,0,flat,k}$	22.5	25.0
Flatwise, perpendicular to grain	$f_{m,90,flat,k}$	5.5	6.5
<u>Compression strength</u>			
Parallel to grain	$f_{c,0,k}$	18.0 ¹	19.0 ¹
Perpendicular to grain, edgewise	$f_{c,90,edge,k}$	8.0	8.0
Perpendicular to grain, flatwise	$f_{c,90,flat,k}$	2.0	2.0
<u>Tension strength</u>			
Parallel to grain (length 3000mm)	$f_{t,0,k}$	15.0	17.0
Perpendicular to grain, edgewise	$f_{t,90,edge,k}$	4.0	4.0
Perpendicular to grain, flatwise	$f_{t,90,flat,k}$	NPD	NPD
<u>Shear strength</u>			
Edgewise	$f_{v,0,edge,k}$	4.0	4.0
Flatwise, parallel to grain	$f_{v,0,flat,k}$	1.2	1.2
Flatwise, perpendicular to grain	$f_{v,90,flat,k}$	0.5	0.5
Density			
Density, mean value	ρ_{mean}	440	440
Density, fifth percentile value	ρ_k	410	410

The material values in this DoP are to be used for structural calculations with EN 1995 (Eurocode 5).

¹ In service class 2 the values 18.0 N/mm² and 19.0 N/mm² are recommended to be divided by 1.2

² Covering $E_{m,0,edge,mean}$, $E_{m,0,flat,mean}$, $E_{t,0,mean}$, and $E_{c,0,mean}$

³ Covering $E_{m,0,edge,k}$, $E_{m,0,flat,k}$, $E_{t,0,k}$, and $E_{c,0,k}$

⁴ Covering $E_{t,90,edge,mean}$

⁵ Covering $E_{t,90,edge,k}$

ESSENTIAL CHARACTERISTICS	PERFORMANCE			
Bonding quality	requirement fulfilled			
Reaction to fire	End use condition	Minimum thickness (mm)	Class (excluding floorings)	Class (floorings)
	- any substrate or air gap behind the product	21	D-s2, d0	Dfl-s1
	- with or without an air gap between the product and a substrate of class A1 or A2-s1, d0, thickness of at least 6 mm and density of at least 800 kg/m ³ - fixed mechanically to wooden or metallic frames	27	D-s1, d0	-
Release of formaldehyde	E1			
Natural durability against biological attack (EN 350-2)	Class 5 (includes sapwood)			

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The performance of the product identified above is in conformity with the set of declared performance/s. This declaration of performance is issued, in accordance with Regulation (EU) No 305/2011, under the sole responsibility of the manufacturer identified above.

Signed for and on behalf of the manufacturer by:

At Espoo on 10.7.2023

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