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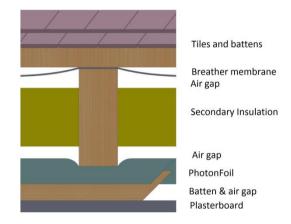
Pitched Roof, U=0.16, 400 rafter, 38mm, PhotonFoil/PhotonFoil-A1 under, PIR between

RUN_0.16_400_38_P

1 Application

Pitched roof with PhotonFoil/PhotonFoil-A1 below rafters and additional insulation between rafters:

- Pitched roof
- U-Value = 0.16
- 400mm rafter spacing, 38mm wide
- 100mm PIR λ 0.020 additional insulation between rafters
- PhotonFoil/PhotonFoil-A1 below rafters
- Plasterboard



2 **Product information**

PhotonFoil/PhotonFoil-A1 are multi foil insulation constructed with a high density glasswool core encased in reflective outer layers. In accordance with EN16012 PhotonFoil/PhotonFoil-A1 are classified as a Type 1 reflective insulation products.

They have been designed for and fully tested in accordance with the EN 16012 standard for reflective insulation products, including the application of 90/90. All testing of the product has been carried out by accredited test houses and Notified Bodies. Initial Type Testing to determine the 90/90 fractile has demonstrated that PhotonFoil/PhotonFoil-A1 have a core thermal resistance of 0.97 M²K/W and an emissivity value of 0.05.

	PhotonFoil	PhotonFoil-A1	
Thermal conductivity (λ _{90/90})	0.034	0.034	W/mK
Emissivity	0.05	0.05	
Water vapour resistance	410	4000	MNs/g
Fire performance	Class E	Class A1	
Product thickness	33	33	mm
Core R _D value (thermal resistance)	0.97	0.97	m2/KW
Core R _D value with 2 air spaces	2.35	2.35	m2/KW
Air space thickness	≥ 13	≥ 13	mm
Direction of heat flow	Vertical	Vertical	
Width	1.2	1.2	М
Weight	0.95	1.200	Kg/m2
Roll length	10	10	lm



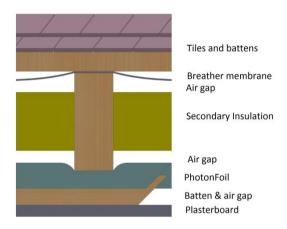




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3 Below rafter installation



Following our general installation instructions:

- 1. Breather membrane, draped in accordance with manufacturers guidance.
- 2. Insert secondary insulation between the rafters, ensuring a tight fit and that there is a ≥ 13mm unventilated air cavity between secondary insulation and both the breather membrane and the PhotonFoil
- 3. Staple PhotonFoil/PhotonFoil-A1 beneath rafters and tape joints.
- 4. 38 mm batten at right angles to rafters ensuring a \geq 13mm unventilated air cavity between the PhotonFoil/PhotonFoil-A1 and plasterboard.
- 5. Plasterboard and skim.

4 Declared Testing Method

BS EN 16012:2012 states that where a product is already subject to a product specification that describes procedures for the measurement of the aged 90/90 fractile thermal conductivity or thermal resistance of the core insulation material, its guidance should only be used to determine the component of its thermal performance that depends on the emissivity of its external faces; this is the case for PhotonFoil/PhotonFoil-A1:

- PhotonFoil/PhotonFoil-A1 are classified under BS EN 16012:2012 as product type 1 and are manufactured by Thermic Technology Ltd; registered under ISO 9001 for the design and manufacture of thin reflective insulation.
- 2. PhotonFoil/PhotonFoil-A1 are an assembly of three components:

a. Upper surface: Aluminium composite reflective layer

b. Core: 33 mm λ0.034 glasswool

c. Lower surface: Aluminium composite reflective layer







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- 3. The core of PhotonFoil/PhotonFoil-A1 is $\lambda 0.034$ glasswool manufactured in accordance with BS EN 13162:2012, BS EN 13172:2012 and ISO9001 Quality Management Systems and meets the requirements of Annex ZA of Harmonised European Product standard EN 13162 with its conformity established according to Harmonised European standard EN 13172.
- 4. PhotonFoil upper and lower surface has been tested by Notified Body Kiwa in accordance with BS EN 16012:2012 for emissivity and EN 13984:2013, EN 1931:2001 for water vapour transmission. PhotonFoil-A1 upper and lower surface aluminium foil emissivity and water vapour transmission is defined by CIBSE Guide A Environmental Design.
- 5. PhotonFoil has been fire tested by Notified Body BTTG to BS EN 11925-2. PhotonFoil-A1 has been fire tested by Notified Body BRE to BS EN 13501-1.
- 6. PhotonFoil/PhotonFoil-A1 have a core R value of 0.97 Km2/W, and an emissivity of 0.05 declared to 90/90.

5 U value calculation and condensation risk

PhotonFoil/PhotonFoil-A1 are both vapour barriers and when installed below the rafters the risk of condensation calculated in accordance with BS EN ISO 13788 is zero.

The following U-Value and condensation risk analysis applies to both PhotonFoil and PhotonFoil-A1:



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Project Information

Reference PhotonFoil Date February 2016

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Construction Type

Inside surface resistance

: Pitched roof, ceiling at rafter line - RUN_0.16_400_38_P Element

	Warm pitched roof		-					
	Internal surface emissivity	: High	External surfa	ce emissivity	: High			
	•	-	Thickness	Thermal	Thermal	Pitch	Bridge Details	
				Conductivity	Resistance	(⁰)	_	
			(mm)	(W/mK)	(m^2K/W)			
	Outside surface resistance		-	-	0.040			
	Tiling including batten space		-	-	0.120			
	Breather membrane (BS5250)		1.0	0.230	0.004			
	Cavity (low emissivity) rafter sp	ace >=13mm	20.0	-	0.454		9.5% Timber	
							(20.0mm)	
(Bridged un-vented cavity - width=362.0mm, hro=5.100, E1=0.050, E2=0.900, upward heat flow)							ow)	
	Kooltherm K7 or equivalent		100.0	0.020	5.000		9.5% Timber	
							(100.0mm)	
	Cavity (low emissivity) rafter sp	ace >=13mm	20.0	-	0.481		9.5% Timber	
							(20.0mm)	
(Bridged un-vented cavity - width=362.0mm, hro=5.100, E1=0.050, E2=0.050, upward heat flow)								
	PhotonFoil		33.0	0.034	0.971			
	Cavity (low emissivity) batten s	pace >=13mm	21.0	-	0.454		6.3% Timber	
							(21.0mm)	
(Bridged un-vented cavity - width=562.0mm, hro=5.100, E1=0.050, E2=0.900, upward heat flow)							ow)	
	Plasterboard (BS5250)		12.5	0.170	0.074			
	Plaster, lightweight (BS5250)		3.0	0.220	0.014			

	Thickness	Thermal Conductivity	Thermal Resistance	Vapour Resistivity	Vapour Resistance		
	(mm)	(W/mK)	(m ² K/W)	(MNs/gm)	(MNs/g)		
Outside surface resistance	-	-	0.040	-	-		
Tiling including batten space	-	-	0.120	-	2.50		
Breather membrane (BS5250)	1.0	0.230	0.004	500.00	0.50		
Cavity (low emissivity) rafter space >=13mm	20.0	-	0.454	-	0.00		
(Bridged un-vented cavity - width=362.0mm, hro	=5.100, E1=	0.050, E2=0.9	900, upward I	neat flow)			
Kooltherm K7 or equivalent	100.0	0.020	5.000	-	100.00		
Cavity (low emissivity) rafter space >=13mm	20.0	-	0.481	-	0.00		
(Bridged un-vented cavity - width=362.0mm, hro	=5.100, E1=	0.050, E2=0.0	050, upward I	neat flow)			
PhotonFoil	33.0	0.034	0.971	-	192.00		
Cavity (low emissivity) batten space >=13mm	21.0	-	0.454	-	0.00		
(Bridged un-vented cavity - width=562.0mm, hro=5.100, E1=0.050, E2=0.900, upward heat flow)							
Plasterboard (BS5250)	12.5	0.170	0.074	60.00	0.75		
Plaster, lightweight (BS5250)	3.0	0.220	0.014	30.00	0.09		
Inside surface resistance	-	-	0.100	-	-		

U-value = $0.16W/m^2K$

 $\label{eq:combined Method: 0.161W/m²K (upper/lower limit 6.614 / 5.797m²K/W, dUf 0.0000, dUg 0.0000, dUp0.0000, dUr0.0000, dUr0.0000, dUr0.0000) } \\$

(Correction for mechanical fasteners, Delta $Uf = 0.000W/m^2K$)

(Correction for air gaps, Delta Ug = 0.000W/m²K)

(Based on the combined method for determining U-values of structures containing repeating thermal bridges)

Condensation Risk Analysis (no account taken of thermal bridges)

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

 Jan (worst)
 Feb
 Mar
 Apr
 May
 Jun
 Jul
 Aug
 Sep
 Oct
 Nov
 Dec

 20.0C 69.1%
 20.0C 68.0%
 20.0C 67.0%
 20.0C 68.0%
 20.0C 68.0%
 20.0C 70.7%
 20.0C 74.3%
 20.0C 75.1%
 20.0C 73.4%
 20.0C 71.2%
 20.0C 69.2%
 20.0C 69.3%

 2.5C 90.0%
 2.8C 86.5%
 4.7C 84.0%
 7.0C 81.0%
 10.3C 81.0%
 13.4C 80.0%
 15.5C 80.5%
 15.1C 82.5%
 12.8C 85.5%
 9.7C 88.0%
 5.4C 89.5%
 3.5C 90.5%

	Interface Temp. ^o C	Dewpoint Temp. ^o C	Vapour Pressure (kPa)	Saturated V.P. (kPa)	Worst Cond. (g/m²)	Peak Buildup (g/m²)	Conden- sation
1 Outside surface resistance2 Tiling including batten space	2.6 2.9	1.0 1.2	0.66 0.67	0.74 0.75			No No
3 Breather membrane (BS5250)4 Cavity (low emissivity) rafter space	2 0	1.2	0.67	0.75			No
>=13mm 5 Kooltherm K7 or equivalent	3.9 15.2	1.2 6.9	0.67 0.99	0.81 1.73			No No
6 Cavity (low emissivity) rafter space >=13mm	16.3	6.9	0.99	1.86			No
7 PhotonFoil 8 Cavity (low emissivity) batten	18.5	14.2	1.61	2.13			No
space >=13mm 9 Plasterboard (BS5250)	19.6 19.7	14.2 14.2	1.61 1.61	2.28 2.30			No No
10 Plaster, lightweight (BS5250)11 Inside surface resistance	19.8	14.2	1.61	2.30			No

Worst case internal / external conditions for graph : 20.0 °C @ 69.1%RH / 2.5 °C @ 90.0%RH

Scale 1:3

