

# **Confidential Report**

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Client: J&M Forest Products Ltd
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Job Title: Fire Test on One Sample of Bark Chippings

Client's Order No: ---

Date of Receipt: 04 June 2019

Description of Sample(s): One sample of bark chippings, referenced; J&M Contract Ornamental Bark

Work Requested: We were asked to make the following test(s):

BS 4790 (Loose laid)

Note: This report relates only to the samples submitted and as described in the report.

- subcontracted test, UKAS accredited
- \*\* subcontracted test, EN ISO/IEC 17025 accredited
- \*\*\* not UKAS accredited





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# **FIRE TESTS ACCORDING TO BS 4790:1987 (2014)**

Determination of the effects of a small source of ignition on textile floorcoverings, (Hot Metal Nut Method)

Date of test: 20/06/2019

#### **Procedure**

The sample was tested according to the above standard. The sample was tested according to the above standard. The test was carried out on specimens loose laid over a 6mm calcium silicate non-combustible backing board and contained in a 30cm x 30cm steel surround.

# Requirements

The results were classified according to BS 5287:1988 (2014) - 'Assessment and Labelling of Textile floorcoverings tested to BS 4790' The full descriptions of the classifications, abbreviated to low, medium or high in the table of results, are as follows:-

low radius of effects of ignition (up to 35mm) medium radius of effects of ignition (40 to 75mm) high radius of effects of ignition (80mm or over).

#### **Results**

Duration of Flaming (s)	Greatest radius of char		Glowing (s)	Class
	Face (mm)	Back (mm)	Glowing (5)	Class
31	15	0	47	Low
30	15	0	64	Low
56	15	0	86	Low

### Note

The test results relate only to the behaviour of the test specimens after application of a small source of ignition; they shall not be used as a means of assessing how the product will contribute to an established fire.







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## **Comments**

Please note that a high classification is the worst result and a low classification is the best result. Also the end result is based on the worst specimen of the three specimens tested.

Countersigned by: P Doherty, Manager

Enquiries concerning this report should be addressed to Customer Services.





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# **Uncertainty Budget - Annex**

The overall uncertainty budget for both BS 4790:1987 (2014) is as follows:-

Measurements: ±5mm

