

Royal AquaCore Aussie Species Acoustic Testing - 13mm Range

The following testing was commissioned by Royal Floor's to indicate acoustic performance of the AquaCore Flooring installed with a combination of EVERQUIET® underlays. Contrix Pty Ltd undertook the testing on 7th February 2025, in compliance with:

- ◆ AS/NZS ISO 140.7:2006, titled "Field measurements of impact sound insulation of floors, and
- ◆ ISO 717.2-2004, titled "Rating of sound insulation in buildings and of building elements"

The testing was conducted in a residential apartment in Hurstville NSW, on a reinforced concrete slab and suspended ceiling cavity. These test reports exist to provide an indication of acoustic performance only, and Royal Floor's cannot guarantee any acoustic outcome due to the variance and individual nature of every building and flooring installation.

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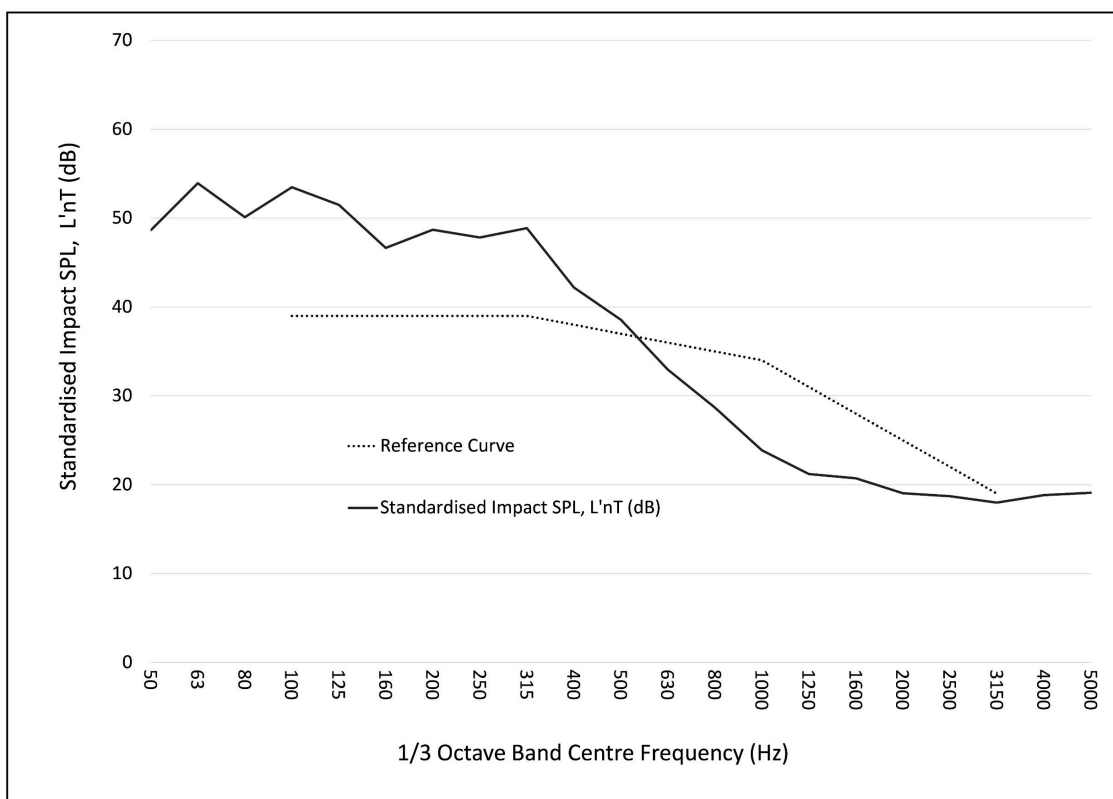
Royal AquaCore Aussie Species:

- ◆ [Royal AquaCore Aussie Species + 2mm EVERQUIET® Acoustic IXPE Foam](#)
- ◆ [Royal AquaCore Aussie Species + 3mm EVERQUIET® Rubber EQ312](#)
- ◆ [Royal AquaCore Aussie Species + 5mm EVERQUIET® Rubber EQ512](#)
- ◆ [Royal AquaCore Aussie Species + 5mm EVERQUIET® Rubber-Foam EQ515](#)
- ◆ [Royal AquaCore Aussie Species + 10mm EVERQUIET® Rubber EQ1012](#)
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Royal AquaCore Aussie Species + 5mm EVERQUIET® Rubber EQW512

Technical Data Sheet - Standardised Impact Sound Pressure Level Impact Sound Insulation Testing of Floorboards VBL Import Pty Ltd T.A. EVERFLOOR

Testing Date: Friday, 7 February 2025
 Test No.: 14
 Client/Owner: VBL Import Pty Ltd T.A. EVERFLOOR
 Testing Location: Residential apartment in Hurstville NSW
 Floor Finish: 13mm HydroPro Flooring
 Acoustic Underlay: 5mm Wavy Rubber EQW512
 Sub-base & ceiling below: Reinforced concrete slab
 Suspended ceiling cavity with plasterboard ceiling
 Source Room: Living area on the upper floor level
 Receiver Room: Living area on the lower floor level directly below
 Approx. receiver room vol: 60.28



1/3 Octave Band Centre Frequency (Hz)	50	63	80	100	125	160	200	250	315	400	500	630	800	1000	1250	1600	2000	2500	3150	4000	5000
L'nT [dB]	48.6	53.9	50.1	53.5	51.5	46.6	48.7	47.8	48.9	42.2	38.5	33.0	28.7	23.9	21.2	20.7	19.0	18.7	18.0	18.8	19.1

Acoustical Rating	Reference/Guideline
Measured Weighted Standardised Sound Level Difference, L'nTw	43 AS ISO 717.2 - 2004
Field Impact Isolation Class, FIIC	63 ASTM E1007-14
AAAC Star Rating	5 AAAC Guideline

Testing Date :	Friday, 7 February 2025	Contrix Pty Ltd
Reference No.:	3874	ABN: 95 632 593 625
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- Disclaimers:
- The information provided in this report relates to sound insulation of floor coverings & underlays only.
 - Contrix Pty Ltd does not provide products or installation services of hard floor coverings/underlay, therefore, not responsible or liable for any product defects.
 - This testing report is site-specific and only applies to the subject premise for the tested product as specified in this document.
 - It is imperative to strictly adhere to the installation guidelines provided by the supplier or installation instructions. Contrix Pty Ltd bears no liability in the event of non-compliance with these instructions.
 - The acoustic rating typically varies by up to 3 L'nTw rating points, influenced by the placement of the tapping machine, testing locations within the unit, and the junction details between the floorboards, skirting, scotia, and walls. Many strata management and certifying authorities permit a tolerance of 3 L'nTw rating points. Furthermore, deviations of up to 5 L'nTw rating points have been recorded in rare cases.
 - The use of any glue or adhesive can negatively impact the acoustic rating. Based on previous testing data, a degradation of up to 5 L'nTw rating points has been recorded.
 - The test results detailed in this report are intended solely for use as design guidelines and should not be interpreted as formal certification of the tested products.
 - It is highly recommended to engage a qualified acoustic consultant (Contact Contrix Pty Ltd on +61 425 240 555 or other qualified consultants) to conduct in-situ testing (field testing) prior to flooring installation.

Royal AquaCore Aussie Species with FLOOR+ MS Adhesive (6mm V-Notch)

System Tested	L'_{nTw} ³	FIIC ^{4,5}	AAAC ⁶
Bare Concrete Floor (ECFS only) - for comparison purposes only	54	50	3
Royal AquaCore Aussie Species Direct Stick with FLOOR+ MS (6mm V-Notch)	46	64	4

FIELD MEASUREMENTS OF IMPACT SOUND INSULATION OF FLOORS



Date of Test : Thursday, 11 December 2025
 Project No. : 3523
 Testing Company : Koikas Acoustics
 Checked by : James Tsevrementzis
 Place of Test : Residential Unit in Forest Lodge (Living/Dining)
 Client : Everfloor
 Client Address : -

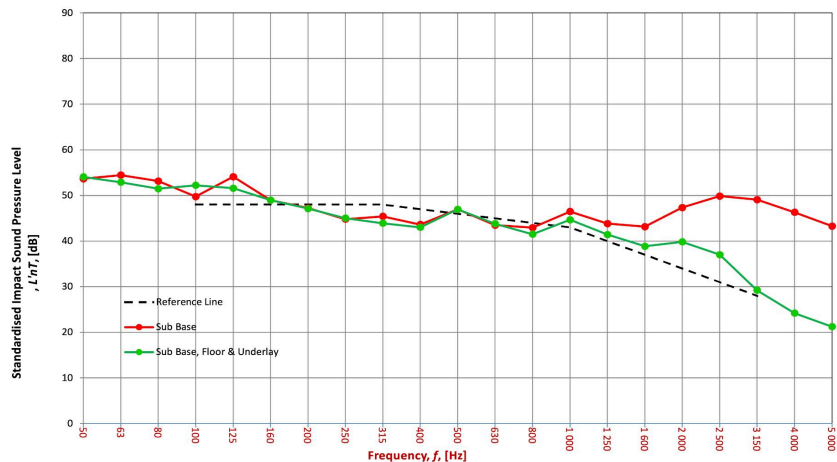
Description	Name	Thickness (mm)	Density (Sf)
Hydropro Timber		13	--
FLOOR+ MS Adhesive (V-Notch)		6	--
Concrete Sub Base		--	--
Suspended Plasterboard Ceiling		--	--

Room Width : 4.4 m
 Floor Length : 8.2 m
 Dimensions Area : 36.08 m²

Sample Width : 1 m
 Dimensions Length : 1 m
 Area : 1 m²

Receiver Rm	Location	Width	Length	Area	Height	Volume	Walls	Floor Surfaces	Ceiling
Unit below (Living/Dining)	4.4	8.2	36.08	2.7	97.42	Plasterboard	Carpet	Plasterboard	

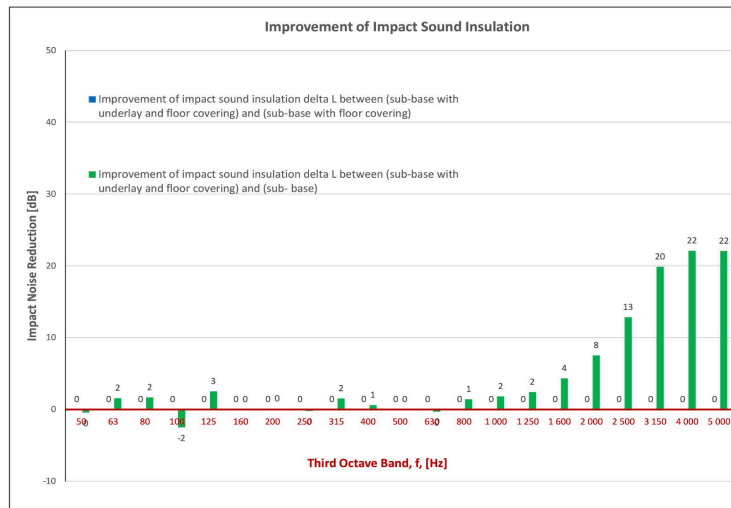
Frequency f Hz	L'nT (one-third octave) dB		
	Sub Base	Sub Base Floor	Sub Base Floor Underlay
50	53.7	NA	54.1
63	54.5	NA	52.9
80	53.1	NA	51.5
100	49.7	NA	52.2
125	54.1	NA	51.6
160	49.0	NA	49.0
200	47.2	NA	47.1
250	44.8	NA	45.0
315	45.4	NA	43.9
400	43.6	NA	43.0
500	46.9	NA	46.9
630	43.5	NA	43.8
800	42.9	NA	41.5
1 000	46.5	NA	44.7
1 250	43.8	NA	41.4
1 600	43.2	NA	38.8
2 000	47.4	NA	39.8
2 500	49.9	NA	37.0
3 150	49.1	NA	29.2
4 000	46.3	NA	24.2
5 000	43.3	NA	21.2



Sub Base		
L'nT,w	54	AS ISO 717.2 - 2004
Ci	-9	AS ISO 717.2 - 2004
Ci(50-2500)	-7	AS ISO 717.2 - 2004
Ci(63-2000)	-8	AS ISO 717.2 - 2004
AAAC★	3 Star	AAAC Guideline
FIIC	50	ASTM E1007-14

Sub Base & Floor		
L'nT,w	NA	AS ISO 717.2 - 2004
Ci	NA	AS ISO 717.2 - 2004
Ci(50-2500)	NA	AS ISO 717.2 - 2004
Ci(63-2000)	NA	AS ISO 717.2 - 2004
AAAC★	NA	AAAC Guideline
FIIC	NA	ASTM E1007-14

Sub Base, Floor & Underlay		
L'nT,w	46	AS ISO 717.2 - 2004
Ci	-3	AS ISO 717.2 - 2004
Ci(50-2500)	0	AS ISO 717.2 - 2004
Ci(63-2000)	-1	AS ISO 717.2 - 2004
AAAC★	4 Star	AAAC Guideline
FIIC	64	ASTM E1007-14



Definitions of Noise Metrics

FIIC: Field Impact Insulation Class is a single-number rating of how well a floor system attenuates impact type sounds, such as footsteps. Calculated from third-octave band normalised impact sound pressure level data and referenced to 10 m² as described in ASTM E989. The higher the single-number rating, the better its impact insulation performance.

L'nT,w: The Weighted Standardised Impact Sound Pressure Level when measured in situ referenced to a reverberation time (RT60) of 0.5 seconds. Used by the AAAC to determine their respective Star Rating.

Ci: Spectrum adaption term is a low frequency correction factor. Typically for massive floors such as concrete, the values are about zero while for timber joist floors Ci is positive because of the low resonant frequencies. Considers frequency range between 100 -and 2500 Hz.

Ci(50-2500): Same as above, but for the frequency range 50 -2500 Hz.

Ci(125-2000): Same as above, but for the frequency range 125 -2000 Hz.

AAAC Star R.	2	3	4	5	6
L'nT,w	65	55	50	45	40
FIIC	45	55	60	65	70
Comments	Below BCA 62	Clearly Audible	Audible	Barely Audible	Normally Inaudible