

FACULTY OF ENGINEERING CHULALONGKORN UNIVERSITY FIRE SAFETY RESEARCH CENTER



TYPE OF TEST

: DETERMINATION OF THE FIRE RESISTANCE OF NON-LOADBEARING ELEMENTS OF CONSTRUCTION

TEST SPECIMEN

THAICON WALL

The specimen is a 3 m x 3 m vertical construction comprising 20 cm x 60 cm x 7.5 cm light weight blocks with 7.5-cm thick plastering finishes on both the exposed and unexposed sides. The specimen was installed on a 3 m x 3 m steel testing frame. The details of the specimen are shown in Appendix C. The specimen was provided and installed by the client.

CLIENT

: Thai Light Block and Panel Company Limited

59 Moo 4 Samkhok-Chiang Rak Noi Rd. Tumbol Chiang Rak Noi

Amphoe Sam Khok, Pathum Thani 12160, Thailand

DATE OF TEST

: March 30, 2021

TEST MACHINE

: Large-scale vertical furnace (Fire Tester III) at the Fire Safety Research Center (FSRC), Department of Civil Engineering, Chulalongkorn University (Thailand). The furnace is capable of producing a standard temperature-time relationship according to BS 476 Part 20: 1987.

TEST METHOD

The testing procedures follow the British Standard BS 476: Fire tests on building materials and structures

<u>BS 476 Part 20: 1987</u>: Method for determination of the fire resistance of elements of construction (general principles)

<u>BS 476 Part 22: 1987</u>: Methods for determination of the fire resistance of non-loadbearing elements of construction Section 5: Determination of the fire resistance of partitions.

TEST RESULTS

The non-loadbearing element of construction described above has the fire resistance of each criterion for the period stated:

(The test results are good only for the specimen tested.)

Criteria	Fire Resistance (hr:min)	Remarks
Insulation	4:00	The test was terminated by the client. The average and the maximum temperatures of the unexposed face of the specimen did not exceed 140°C and 180°C, respectively, above the initial mean value of 31°C.
Integrity	4:00	The test was terminated by the client. During the test, all integrity criteria were fulfilled (no sustained flaming and no through gap such that the 6 mm diameter gap gauge could penetrate).

Date: April 12, 2021

Tested by:(Assistant Prof. Dr. Ghatpan Chintanapakdee)

Checked by:

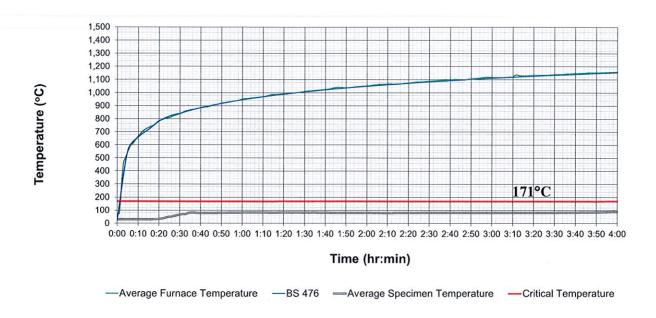
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FURNACE TEMPERATURE



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