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## **Fabric Clara Manufacturer Kvadrat A/S**

**Determination of the  
airflow resistance according to EN 29053**

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## 1 Task

On behalf of Kvadrat A/S, DK – 8400 Ebeltoft, the airflow resistance of the upholstery fabric type Clara has to be measured according to EN 29053 [1].

## 2 Basics

This test report is based on the following documents:

- [1] EN 29053 “Acoustics – Materials for acoustical applications – Determination of airflow resistance”. 1993

## 3 Test object

The tested material is described by the manufacturer as follows:

- upholstery fabric type Clara, color 384
- manufacturer Kvadrat A/S
- material: 92 % new wool, 8 % nylon

The test laboratory has determined the following parameters:

- area specific mass  $m'' = 319 \text{ g/m}^2$
- thickness  $t = 0.82 \text{ mm}$

## 4 Execution of measurements

The airflow resistance was determined according to EN 29053 [1].

The measurements for the determination of the airflow resistance were carried out at different air velocities. The continuous airflow method was applied. The specimen holder has a diameter of 100 mm. The test specimen was fitted flat over the specimen holder, without stretching the material, sealed at the edges and fixed.

According to the standard the specific airflow resistance  $R_s$  is indicated as measurement result which was determined by extrapolation (linear regression) at an airflow velocity of  $u = 0.0005 \text{ m/s}$ .

The test equipment used for the measurements is listed in Appendix B.

## 5 Measurement results

For the tested upholstery fabric type Clara a specific airflow resistance of

$$R_s = 151 \text{ Pa} \cdot \text{s/m}$$

was determined.

For further information regarding the measurement, see Appendix A.

## 6 Remarks

The determined test results only refer to the prevailing conditions on the day of measurements.

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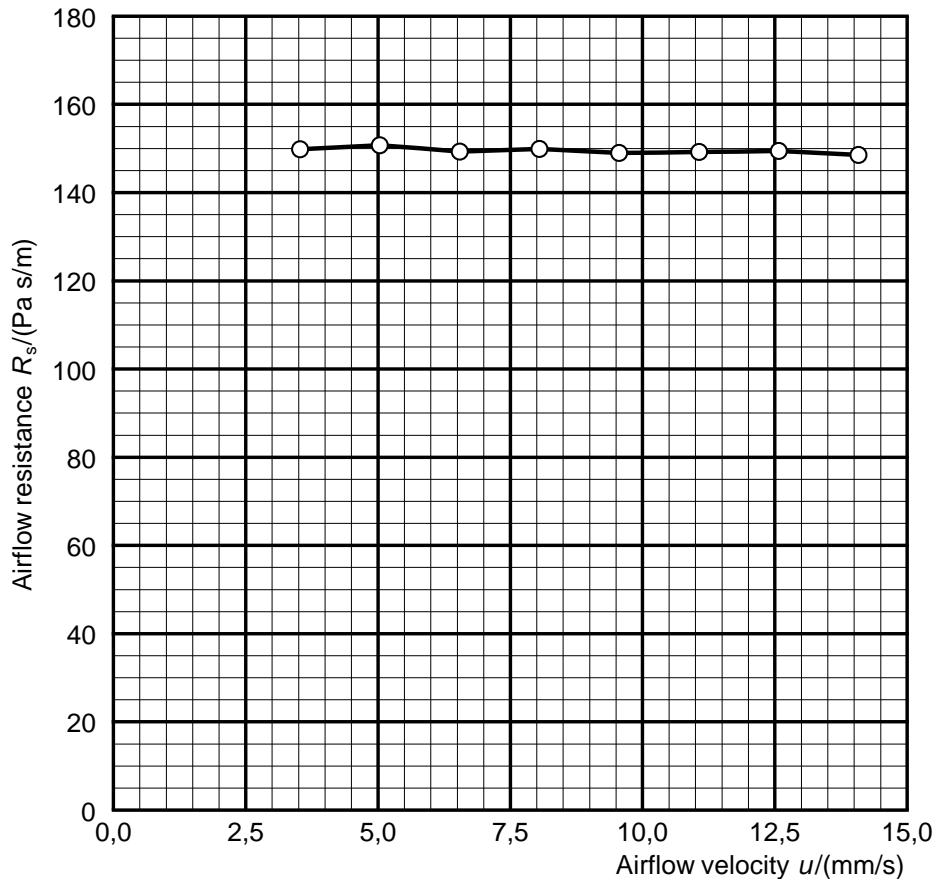
EN 29053  
Determination of airflow resistance

**Client:** Kvadrat A S  
8400 Ebeltoft Denmark  
**Order Number:** M100827  
**Müller-BBM Probe Number:** 9588  
**Test object:** - upholstery fabric type Clara color 384  
- material: 92 % new wool, 8 % Nylon

Diameter: 100 mm  
Thickness: 0.82 mm  
Area-specific mass: 319 g/m<sup>2</sup>

Barometric pressure:  
 $B = 94,1 \text{ kPa}$   
Temperature:  
 $\theta = 22,8 \text{ °C}$   
Relative humidity:  
 $r. h. = 20,9 \%$

$u/$ (mm/s)	$R_s/$ (Pa s/m)
3.52	150
5.03	151
6.54	149
8.05	150
9.56	149
11.07	149
12.58	149
14.08	148



Airflow resistance  $R_s = 151 \text{ Pa s/m}$

Laboratory: Planegg  
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**List of test equipment**

For the measurements and evaluations, the following test equipment was applied:

<b>Name</b>	<b>Manufacturer</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Serial-No.</b>
air flow resistance measurement system	Müller-BBM	M89319-00	315003
Software for data logging and evaluation	Müller-BBM	m ars	v1.0.0.2
Digital measuring slide	Mitutoyo	CD-15PPR	07019377
Electronic balance	Kern	440-49N	WC0633572