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Kingspan K15 Rainscreen Board® DETAILED SPECIFICATION

Project:	U-value required:
U-value calculation reference: (BBA Certified: Competent person CS/1004-1)	Thickness:

Properties

Kingspan Kooltherm K15 Rainscreen Board[®] is faced on both sides with a low emissivity composite foil autohesively bonded to the insulation core during manufacture.

The core of Kingspan Kooltherm K15 Rainscreen Board® is a premium performance rigid thermoset modified resin insulant manufactured with a blowing agent that has zero Ozone Depletion Potential (ODP) and low Global Warming Potential (GWP).

The compressive strength of Kingspan Kooltherm K15 Rainscreen Board® typically exceeds 100 kPa at 10% compression, when tested to BS EN 826: 1996.

The thermal conductivities (λ-values) of *Kingspan* **Kool**therm K15 Rainscreen Board[®] detailed below is quoted in accordance with BS EN 13166: 2008:

- 0.023 W/m·K (insulant thickness 15–24 mm);
- 0.021 W/m·K (insulant thickness 25-44 mm); and
- 0.020 W/m·K (insulant thickness ≥ 45 mm).

Green Guide Rating

An Ecoprofile, certified by BRE Certification to the 2008 BRE Environmental Profiles Methodology, has been created for *Kingspan* Kooltherm K15 Rainscreen Board® produced at Kingspan Insulation's British manufacturing facilities. The BRE has assigned the product a 2008 Green Guide Summary Rating of A+.

Responsible Sourcing

Kingspan Kooltherm K15 Rainscreen Board[®] is manufactured under a management system certified to BS EN ISO 14001: 2004. The principle polymer components of the product are also manufactured under management systems certified to EN ISO 14001: 2004.

Kingspan Kooltherm K15 Rainscreen Board[®], produced at Kingspan Insulation's Pembridge manufacturing facility, is certified to BES 6001 'Very Good'.

Waste

Product and packaging eligible for re-using, recycling, down-cycling or waste to energy may be collected by using the Kingspan Insulation Waste Collection Service; further details are available by emailing waste@kingspaninsulation.co.uk.

Fire

Kingspan Kooltherm K15 Rainscreen Board®, and its rigid thermoset insulation core, are Class 0, as defined by the Building Regulations.

The rigid thermoset insulation core achieves the best possible rating of < 5% smoke obscuration when tested to BS 5111: Part 1: 1974.

When subjected to BS 8414: 2002, Kingspan Kooltherm K15 Rainscreen Board®, as tested, meets the criteria stated within BRE 135 and is therefore acceptable for use above 18 m in a specific construction, in accordance with the Building Regulations / Standards.

Further details of the fire performance of Kingspan Insulation products may be obtained from the Kingspan Insulation Technical Service Department by emailing technical@kingspaninsulation.co.uk or telephoning

LABC System Approval

Kingspan Kooltherm K15 Rainscreen Board® has achieved an LABC System Approval as a thermal layer in rainscreen cladding systems

Durability

If correctly installed, Kingspan Kooltherm K15 Rainscreen Board® can have an indefinite life. Its durability depends on the supporting structure and the conditions of its use.