



Confirmation of Product Type Approval

Please refer to the "Service Restrictions" shown below to determine if Unit Certification is required for this product. This certificate reflects the information on the product in the ABS Records as of the date and time the certificate is printed.

Pursuant to the Rules of the American Bureau of Shipping (ABS), the manufacturer of the below listed product held a valid Manufacturing Assessment (MA) with expiration date of 18-JAN-2022. The continued validity of the Manufacturing Assessment is dependent on completion of satisfactory audits as required by the ABS Rules.

And; a Product Design Assessment (PDA) valid until subject to continued compliance with the Rules or standards used in the evaluation of the product.

The above entitle the product to be called Product Type Approved.

The Product Design Assessment is valid for products intended for use on ABS classed vessels, MODUs or facilities which are in existence or under contract for construction on the date of the ABS Rules used to evaluate the Product.

ABS makes no representations regarding Type Approval of the Product for use on vessels, MODUs or facilities built after the date of the ABS Rules used for this evaluation.

Due to wide variety of specifications used in the products ABS has evaluated for Type Approval, it is part of our contract that; whether the standard is an ABS Rule or a non-ABS Rule, the Client has full responsibility for continued compliance with the standard.

Product Name: Structural Core (Foam)

Model Name(s): A400, A450, A500, A550, A600, A700, A800, A900, A1200

Presented to:
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Intended Service: Marine & Offshore Application - A Sandwich Core Material for Reinforced Plastic Vessels.

Description: Corecell A-Foam is a Linear Polymer Structural Foam from the Styrene-Acrylonitrile (SAN) Polymer. CoreCell is a closed Cell, Rigid Foam suitable for a wide range of demanding Structural Applications and different Composite Manufacturing Processes. CoreCell is also fully compatible with Polyester, Vinylester, and Epoxy Resins, as well as all commonly used Epoxy Prepreg Systems.

Tier: 3

Ratings: CoreCell is produced in the following density range: A400: 69 kg/m³, A450: 81 kg/m³, A500: 92 kg/m³, A550: 103 kg/m³, A600: 117 kg/m³, A700: 132 kg/m³, A800: 150 kg/m³, A900: 171 kg/m³, A1200: 210 kg/m³.

Service Restrictions: Unit Certification is not required for this product. If the manufacturer or purchaser request an ABS Certificate for compliance with a specification or standard, the specification or standard, including inspection standards and tolerances, must be clearly defined.

Comments: The Manufacturer has provided a declaration about the control of, or the lack of Asbestos in this product.

Notes / Documentation: See Attached Sheet.

Term of Validity: This Product Design Assessment (PDA) Certificate 16-HS1594387-PDA, dated 19/Jan/2017 remains valid until 18/Jan/2022 or until the Rules or specifications used in the assessment are revised (whichever occurs first). This PDA is intended for a product to be installed on an ABS classed vessel, MODU or facility which is in existence or under contract for construction on the date of the ABS Rules or specifications used to evaluate the Product. Use of the Product on an ABS classed vessel, MODU or facility which is contracted after the validity date of the ABS Rules and specifications used to evaluate the Product, will require re-evaluation of the PDA. Use of the Product for non ABS classed vessels, MODUs or facilities is to be to an agreement between the manufacturer and intended client.

ABS Rules: 2017 ABS Rules for Conditions of Classification 1-1-4/7.7 and 1-1-Appendix 3 & 4
2017 ABS Rules for Materials and Welding – Aluminum and Fiber Reinforced Plastics (FRP) 2-6-1/5

National Standards: 2010 ASTM D 1621-16, 2012 ISO 1922, 2016 ASTM C273/C273M

International Standards: ISO 9001: 2010

Government Authority:

EUMED:

Others:

Model Certificate	Model Certificate No	Issue Date	Expiry Date
PDA	16-HS1594387-PDA	19-JAN-2017	18-JAN-2022



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ABS has used due diligence in the preparation of this certificate and it represents the information on the product in the ABS Records as of the date and time the certificate was printed. Type Approval requires Drawing Assessment, Prototype Testing and assessment of the manufacturer's quality assurance and quality control arrangements. Limited circumstances may allow only Prototype Testing to satisfy Type Approval. The approvals of Drawings and Products remain valid as long as the ABS Rule, to which they were assessed, remains valid. ABS cautions manufacturers to review and maintain compliance with all other specifications to which the product may have been assessed. Further, unless it is specifically indicated in the description of the product; Type Approval does not necessarily waive witnessed inspection or survey procedures (where otherwise required) for products to be used in a vessel, MODU or facility intended to be ABS classed or that is presently in class with ABS. Questions regarding the validity of ABS Rules or the need for supplemental testing or inspection of such products should, in all cases, be addressed to ABS.