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TA-DNV-CP-0084-08149-0

Issued:  
2022-03-16

Valid until:  
2027-03-15

Issued for:

## **Sandwich Core Material**

with type designation(s)

## **Corecell I-Foam**

As specified in Annex 1

Issued to:

## **Gurit Americas Inc.**

555 Boul. Poirier, Magog, Quebec J1X 7L1, Canada

According to:

**DNV-SE-0436:2021-09 Shop approval in renewable energy**

and

**DNV-CP-0084:2021-09 Type approval – Sandwich core materials**

Applying:

**DNV-SE-0441:2021-10 Type and component certification of wind turbines**

Based on the documents listed in Annex 1.

Any significant changes in the design and/or quality of the material will render this Type Approval invalid.

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## Product description and application

A cross-linked, closed-cell foam core material for sandwich construction for applications in wind turbines and maritime applications.

## Approved variants

- Corecell I60    - Corecell I80    - Corecell I100

## Type Approval documentation

Technical data sheet(s)	Gurit Corecell I with no. I-4-1021, received on 2021-12-15
Safety data sheet(s)	Corecell I-Foam Product Safety Information Sheet, Version 1.3, dated 2021-08-06
Test report(s)	DNV Type Approval Certification of Gurit Corecell I, TR12330, version 5, dated 2022-03-15
Inspection report(s)	Workshop Inspection Report with no. WIR-08149-000-Rev.0, dated 2022-02-04
Quality control documentation	ISO 9001:2015 with no. 58949-1-01, valid up to 2023-06-06 Several CoAs

Variant	Test Method	Corecell I60	Corecell I80	Corecell I100	Unit
Nominal Density	(1)	65	85	105	kg/m <sup>3</sup>
Density Range	(1)	55 - 75	75 – 95	95 - 115	MPa
Compr. Strength	(2)	0.95 (0.73)	1.45 (1.23)	1.90 (1.65)	MPa
Compr. Modulus	(2)	63* (53)	92 (76)	116 (103)	MPa
Shear Strength	(3)	0.78 (0.66)	1.10 (0.96)	1.43 (1.18)	MPa
Shear Modulus	(4)	28* (20)	37 (32)	46 (39)	MPa
Shear Elongation	(5)	34 (-)	30 (-)	28 (-)	%
Tensile Strength	(6)	1.16 (1.08)	1.60 (1.50)	2.00 (1.90)	MPa
Tensile Modulus	(6)	74 (67)	105 (90)	130 (112)	MPa
Heat Resistance	(7)	-	-	47	°C

(1) Density according to ISO 845 in kg/m<sup>3</sup>.

(2) Compressive properties according to ISO 844:2014, procedure B in MPa.

(3) Shear strength parallel (0°) to welding lines according to ASTM C273 in MPa.

(4) Shear modulus parallel (0°) to welding lines according to ASTM C273 in MPa.

(5) Shear elongation parallel (0°) to welding lines according to ASTM C273 in %

(6) Flatwise tensile test according to ASTM D1623 with specimen made of pure foam in MPa.

(7) Heat resistance according to DNV-CP-0084 in °C with a retention of shear strength > 80%

\*The ratio Compr. Modulus / Shear Modulus is less than 2.50 for Corecell I 60, which is not in compliance with requirements from DNV-CP-0084, but is accepted in favour of high shear modulus performance.



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## **Approved production site**

Gurit Americas Inc  
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Canada

Last workshop inspection: 2021-11-30

## **Periodic assessment**

2.5 years after this type approval is issued, the client shall inform DNV about any modifications in production. An intermediate inspection might be needed based on the implemented changes.