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FIELD IMPACT INSULATION CLASS (F-IIC) TESTING CONDUCTED AT MAINSTAY SUITES, 1275 ASSOCIATES DRIVE, DUBUQUE, IA 52002

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FIELD IMPACT INSULATION CLASS (F-IIC) – ASTM E1007-97

INTRODUCTION:

This report presents the results of acoustical testing of the floor/ceiling assembly between rooms 226 and 326, at the MainStay Suites, 1275 Associates Drive, Dubuque, IA. This test was requested by Mr. Roger Gibbs of Spacejoist on September 30, 2002 and was conducted on October 10, 2002.

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TEST RESULTS SUMMARY:

Test Configuration:	F-IIC	Def. (dB)
Floor/Ceiling		
Mannington 3/8" laminate synthetic composite wooden flooring sample on QuietWalk sample on existing Maxxon Underlayment	54	30

FLOOR/CEILING DESCRIPTION:

The test was conducted between units 326 and 226. The floor ceiling assembly consisted of the following components:

- 4’x3’x3/8” Mannington laminate synthetic composite wooden flooring sample on Quietwalk padding on existing Maxxon Underlayment
- ¾” thick Maxxon Underlayment
- ¾” OSB sub-floor
- SpaceJoist Metal Web Truss System, 20’x16” deep – 24” O.C.
- R11 Fiberglass insulation
- 1/2” Resilient channel – 24” O.C.
- 5/8” type X gypsum board

Estimated weight of the system was 14.6 psf.

The floor ceiling description was provided by Spacejoist personnel, and was not verified by TCT.

TEST PROCEDURE AND EQUIPMENT:

ASTM Standard E1007 (97) was followed in every respect. The instrumentation was calibrated before and after testing with a B+K 4230 sound level calibrator. The F-IIC value was obtained by applying the L_N values to the standard contour of ASTM E989 (99).

Manufacturer	Model	Description	S/N
IVIE, Inc.	PC-40	Spectrum Analyzer	4587A130
Larson Davis	2541	1/2" Free Field Mic.	1150
Brüel & Kjær	4230	Sound Calibrator	282266
IVIE, Inc.	IE-20B	Noise Generator741C853	
Yorkville	E160P	Powered Loudspeaker	
Bruel & Kjaer	3204	Tapping Machine	84667

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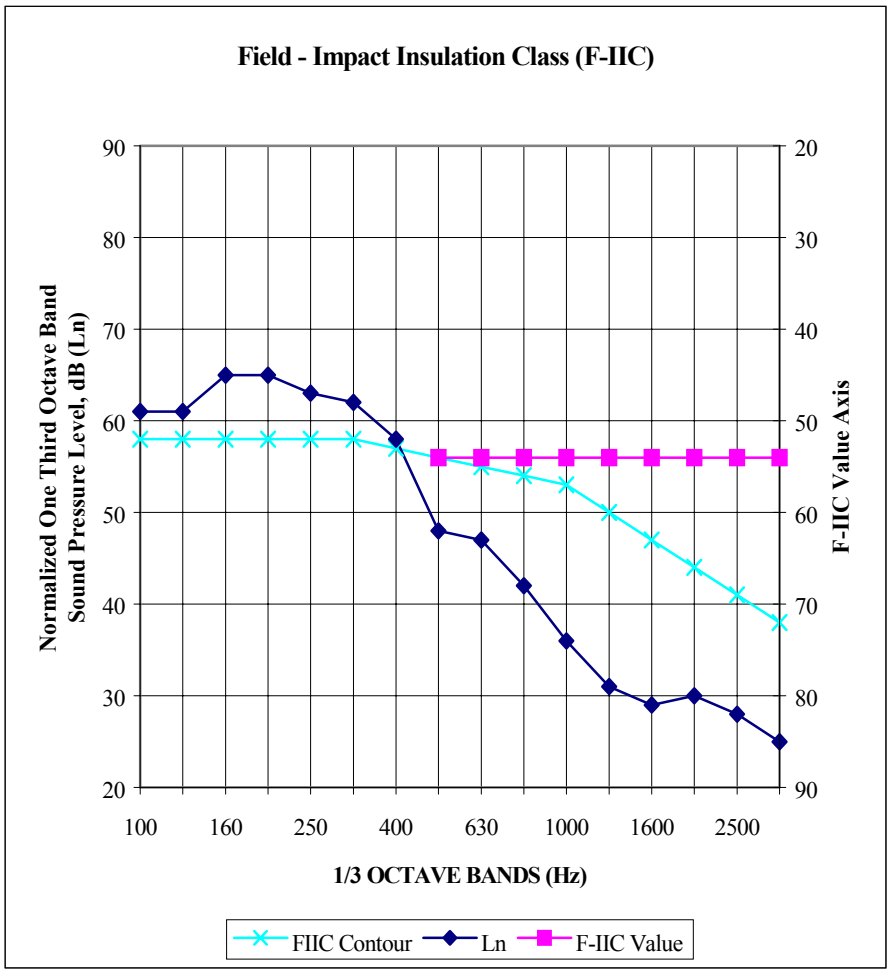
TEST RESULTS:

Client: SpaceJoist Tested by: Jason Burggraff

1/3 Oct. Band, Hz	Ln (dB)	Def (dB)
100	61	3
125	61	3
160	65	7
200	65	7
250	63	5
315	62	4
400	58	1
500	48	0
630	47	0
800	42	0
1000	36	0
1250	31	0
1600	29	0
2000	30	0
2500	28	0
3150	25	0
Total Def.		30
IIC	54	

Ln = Normalized Sound Level
Def = Deficiencies (abvoe IIC contour)



SPECIMEN IDENTIFICATION:

Source Room (upper) 326 Test Date: 10-Oct-02
Receive Room (lower) 226 Temp (F): 71.3 RH: 42%

Specimen Description: **Nominal Dimensions:**

Type: Floor/ceiling construction Sample Area, ft2 248
Construction: 3'x4'x3/8" Mannington eng. wood flooring - QuietWalk - 3/4" Maxxon Underlayment - 3/4" OSB - SpaceJoist Metal Web System Truss (20' long, 16" deep, 24" O.C.) - fiberglass batting in cavities - 1/2" resilient channel (24" O.C.) - 5/8" gypsum board Receive Volume, ft3 1962
Comments: None