



Ciprotec 1515

Under ballast mat for track systems | Applicable for heavy haul transport

Application

Ciprotec is mainly used for ballast tracks on bridge decks, tunnel floors or similar. It helps to avoid ballast wear or protects coatings of concrete or steel structures. The mats fully cover the subfloor. They also provide highly effective reduction of vibrations and sound emissions caused by rail bound traffic. They are used for track sections in the vicinity of buildings and structures that are sensitive to vibration and noise, as well as track sections where certain requirements are placed on superstructure rigidity. Ciprotec 1515 has been successfully tested for extremely high axle loads of up to 35 tonnes in accordance with DIN EN 17282, in addition to the usual axle loads for passenger and freight traffic. This makes Ciprotec 1515 ideal for heavy haul transport to ensure the necessary elasticity and positional stability in the ballast superstructure.

Description

Ciprotec is a black elastic mat made of PU bound rubber fibres, laminated on top with a geotextile layer of robustness class GRK 5. The table below shows the main properties of the product.

Installation

Ciprotec is layed to a well-swept subfloor. Projecting concrete edges or similar, protruding reinforcement parts etc must be removed. Ciprotec shall be layed butt-jointed without gaps. In case several layers of Ciprotec are installed, the different layers shall be staggered. Longitudinal or transverse joints between single mats facing the ballast bed shall be closed with a suitable covering strip or tape. The same applies to possible corner joints between floor- and side mats. If requested, the mat can also be glued in whole or in part to the surface of the subfloor.

Product data

PRODUCT PROPERTIES						
Item	Test Standard	Values	Dimensions and Weight	Values		
Tensile strength	ISO 37	0.4 N/mm ²	Length [m]	≈ 10		
Elongation at break	ISO 37	53 %	Width [mm]	≈ 1250		
Compression set test	DIN EN 17282 (7±1) days	$\Delta C_{stat} = -0.5 \%$ $\Delta C_{dyn[5Hz]} = +0.1 \%$	Thickness [mm]	≈ 16.5		
Ozone resistance	DIN ISO 1431-1	Crack Assessment 0	Weight [kg/m²]	≈ 11.1		

EN 17282 up to 30 t axle load (track category TC 4)				
Static Bed Modulus C _{stat}				
Load Range [N/mm ²] applies to C _{stat} and C _{dyn}	Value ± 15 % [N/mm ³]			
0.02 - 0.14	0.0655			
Dynamic Bed Modulus C _{dyn}				
Frequency [Hz]	Value ± 15 % [N/mm ³]			
5	0.0851			
10	0.0911			
20	0.0944			

EN 17282 up to 35 t axle load (track category TC 4, special case)					
Static Bed Modulus C _{stat}					
Load Range $[N/mm^2]$ applies to C_{stat} and C_{dyn}	Value ± 15 % [N/mm³]				
0.02 - 0.164	0.0729				
Dynamic Bed Modulus C _{dyn}					
Frequency [Hz]	Value ± 15 % [N/mm ³]				
5	0.0969				
10	0.1003				
20	0.1048				

Tested at: TU Munich and MPA NRW. Test reports are available on request.

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