



November 12, 2024

Schluter Systems
Attn: Kali Pharand
194 Pleasant Ridge Rd.
Plattsburgh, NY 12901
USA

Dear Kali Pharand,

The sample you identified as “Waterproofing and Uncoupling Membrane” was tested per CA 01350 VOC Emissions per your request (IPAL Test Report: IPAL-0089-24). The testing was performed by Research Triangle Park (RTP) Laboratories in Raleigh, NC. All comments, findings, and interpretations within this report were made by RTP Laboratories.

Testing was conducted on the sample submitted for emissions of total volatile organic compounds (TVOC), aldehydes, formaldehyde, and specific individual volatile organic compounds (VOCs). Any emissions were measured and the resultant emissions to the environment were determined for each of the potential pollutants.

The attached report includes the detailed test results.

Green Building Standard, Rating System, or Code	Criteria	Results
LEED V4.1	<p>Credit: Low-Emitting Materials, Flooring</p> <p>At least 90% of all flooring, by cost or surface area, meets the VOC emissions evaluation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Product has been tested according to CDPH Standard Method v1.2 – 2017 and complies with the VOC limits in Table 4-1 of the method: Max Allowable Concentration of Target CREL VOCs No. 1 – 35 (including formaldehyde and acetaldehyde)The range of total VOCs after 14 days was measured as specified in the CDPH Standard Method v1.2 and is reported (TVOC ranges: 0.5 mg/m³ or less, between 0.5 and 5 mg/m³, or 5 mg/m³ or more).	<p>None Detected</p> <p>None Detected ($\leq 0.5 \text{ mg/m}^3$)</p>



IgCC (ASHRAE 189.1) 2021	Section 801.4.2.3 (8.4.2.3) Emissions of floor covering materials installed in the building interior, and each product layer within a flooring system containing more than one distinct product layer, shall be individually determined according to CDPH Standard Method and shall comply with the limit requirements: Table 4-1 Max Allowable Concentration of Target CREL VOCs No. 1 – 35 (including formaldehyde and acetaldehyde)	None Detected
CHPS (U.S.) 2020	EQ C6.1.2 Flooring Systems All flooring systems installed in the project's interior totaling 90% or more of the total floor area shall be tested for emissions of VOCs of concern with respect to chronic inhalation exposures following the specifications of the CDPH Standard Method V1.2, 2017 (CDPH Standard Method): Table 4-1 Max Allowable Concentration of Target CREL VOCs No. 1 – 35 (including formaldehyde and acetaldehyde)	None Detected
WELL v2	X06 VOC Restrictions Flooring. 90% of cost or surface area tested per methods and VOC emission thresholds established in CDPH Standard Method v1.2: Table 4-1 Max Allowable Concentration of Target CREL VOCs No. 1 – 35 (including formaldehyde and acetaldehyde)	None Detected
BREEAM	Hea 02 Criterion 10 Flooring materials, $\leq 0.06 \text{ mg/m}^3$ formaldehyde, $\leq 1.0 \text{ mg/m}^3$ TVOCs, per CDPH Standard Method	None Detected
Living Building Challenge 4.1	Imperative 10 Healthy Interior Performance Install products that comply with emissions limits of the CDPH Standard Method v1.2-2017 (or international equivalent) for 90% of interior building products that have the potential to emit volatile organic compounds (VOCs): Table 4-1 Max Allowable Concentration of Target CREL VOCs No. 1 – 35 (including formaldehyde and acetaldehyde)	None Detected

The following is an image of the sample submitted for testing.

SAMPLE PHOTO



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March 11, 2024

International Product Assurance Laboratories
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Anderson, SC 29625

Attn: Ashley Moore

PROJECT: VOCs Testing –Report of VOC Chamber Tests.

Purchase Order: 4628

RTP Labs ID: 24-006-02 Ditra-Heat-PS

Enclosed with this letter is the report for the sample received on February 12, 2024 in good condition. The manufacturing date is listed on the COC form. The sample was tested for VOCs emissions according to ASTM D5116 Small Chamber Test and California Specification 01350 Test Methods. The sample was prepared according to the sample preparation descriptions as described in CA 01350. The chamber testing was started on February 15, 2024 with a 10-day conditioning period, followed by a 96-hour test as described in CA 01350.

The test results are summarized in the attached document. The testing method reporting limits are 0.001 mg/m³ using the California Standard Classroom Model.

If you have any questions, please give me a call at (919) 510-0228.

Sincerely,

Alston Sykes, Principal Chemist
Attachments: attachments and photos

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Chain of Custody Form

For Testing of Product/Material per CA DHS Section 01350

Please fill out a separate chain of custody form for each product tested

General Information (Section A)		
Section A	Manufacturer Name: Schluter Systems	
	Street Address: 194 Pleasant Ridge Road	
	City/State: Plattsburgh, NY	
	Zip/Postal Code: 12901	
	Country: United States	
	Contact Name: Kali Pharand	
	Contact Title: Product Standards and Sustainability Coordinator	
	Phone/Fax Numbers: 888-472-4588 x 4152	
Email Address: sustainability@schluter.com		
Sampling Information (Section B)		
Section B	Product Name: DITRA	
	Manufacturer Product ID #: DITRA-HEAT-PS	
	Sample ID # (Same as TCNA Test Report #): Waterproofing and Uncoupling Membrane	
	Product Category: Waterproofing and Uncoupling Membrane	
	Product Subcategory:	
	Date Manufactured: NOV '23	
	Plant Name and Location: PLATTSBURGH, NY	
	Date and Time Sample Collected from Plant: 01/31/24	
	Collection Location within Plant: SAMPLES	
	Number of Sample Pieces Collected (Attach Photos): 4	
Sample Collected by: SHAMIM MONDAL	Signature: Shamim Mondal	
Sample Packaged and Shipped to TCNA By: SHAMIM MONDAL	Signature: Shamim Mondal	
Shipping Date: 2/1/24		
Carrier/Airbill Number: UPS		
TCNA Receipt Information (Section C)		
Section C	Arrival to: Tile Council of North America, Inc. 100 Clemson Research Boulevard Anderson, SC 29625	
	Receipt Date: 2.8.2024	
	Received By: Ashley Moore	Signature: Ashley Moore
	Logged into TCNA Database by: Ashley Moore	
	TCNA Test Report #: 0089-24	
	Shipment Forwarded To RTP Laboratories By: Ashley Moore	Signature: Ashley Moore
	Shipment Date: 2.9.2024	
Carrier/Airbill Number: UPS		
RTP Laboratories Receipt Information (Section D)		
Section D	Arrival to: Research Triangle Park Laboratories, Inc. 7201 ACC Blvd., Suite 104 Raleigh, NC 27617	
	Receipt Date: 2-12-24	
	Received By: Alston Sykes	Signature: Alston Sykes
	Condition of Shipping Package: GOOD	
	Condition of Sample: GOOD	
	Laboratory ID #: 24-006-02	

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Photo of Sample Received Feb. 12, 2024:
24-006-02 (IPAL-0089-24) Ditra-Heat-PS



California 01350/ASTM D5116 Small Chamber Tests for Volatile Organic Compound Emissions From Products

Project ID: 24-006-02

Client: Tile Council of North America

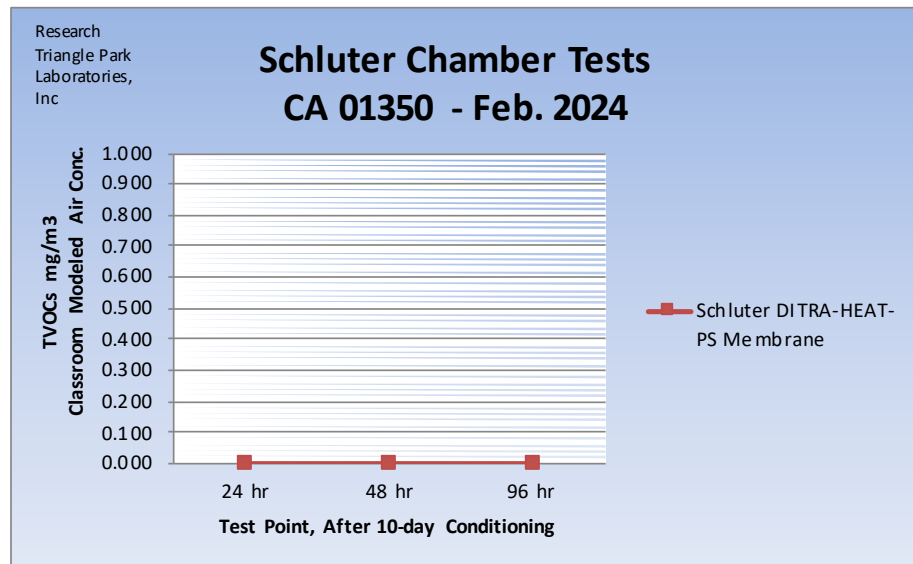
Sample Receipt Date: Feb. 12, 2024

Test Start Dates: Feb. 15, 2024

Products:

Schluter DITRA-HEAT-PS Membrane

Modeled Standard Classroom Concentration, mg/m ³			
24 hr	48 hr	96 hr	LOQ
0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001



Standard Classroom Model Parameters:

Room Dimensions: 40 ft length x 24 ft wide x 8.5 ft ht

Room Volume: 231 m³

Ventilation Rate: 0.90 air changes per hour

Net Floor Surface: 89.2 m²

Chamber and Sample Conditions:

Chamber Volume: 50 Liters

Temperature: 20-25 C; Relative Humidity: 45-55 %

Air Exchange Rate: 1 per hour (0.833L/min = 50 liters)

Sample Surface Area: 0.0232 m²

Sample Loading Factor: 0.5 m²/m³

Sample Receipt Date: 2/12/2024
 Project ID: 24-006-02
 Sample ID: Schluter Ditra-Heat-PS (IPAL-0089-24)
 Client: IPA Labs

Test Start Date: 2/15/2024

10 day conditioning performed prior to 96 h testing.

Standard Classroom Parameters
 Room Dimensions, ft 40x24x8.5

ASTM D5116 Small Chamber Method

Room Volume, m3 231
 Ventilation Rate, ach 0.9
 Net Surface Area, m2 89.2

California Specification 01350
 Paints and Wallcoverings Model: 94.6 m2
 Flooring Products Model: 89.2 m2

Compound Name	Emission Factors (ug/(m2*h))						Cm	Cm	Cm	1/2 CREL 12/2008 (A)Acute (C)Chronic
	02/16/24 24 hr Chamber Conc. ug/m3	24 hr EF	02/17/24 48 hr Chamber Conc. ug/m3	48 hr EF	02/29/24 96 hr Chamber Conc. ug/m3	96 hr EF	Classroom: 24 hr Modeled Air Conc. ug/m3	Classroom: 48 hr Modeled Air Conc. ug/m3	Classroom: 96 hr Modeled Air Conc. ug/m3	
<u>GC/MS Target, LOQ 2 ng/L (ug/m3)</u>										
None Detected	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
<u>GC/MS TICs, LOQ 5 ng/L (ug/m3)</u>										
None Dectected	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
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	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
<u>HPLC Aldehydes, LOQ 2 ng/L (ug/m3)</u>										
Formaldehyde	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.5 C
Acetaldehyde	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	70 C
TVOCs LOQ 25 ng/L (ug/m3) Use 1 for < value	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	ug/m3
							0.000	0.000	0.000	mg/m3

Reporting Limit, 0.001 mg/m3

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October 24, 2024

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Attn: Ashley Moore

PROJECT: VOCs Testing –Report of VOC Chamber Tests. Updated with Office Model
Purchase Order: 4628
RTP Labs ID: 24-006-02 Ditra-Heat-PS

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	Product Category: Waterproofing and Uncoupling Membrane	
	Product Subcategory:	
	Date Manufactured: NOV '23	
	Plant Name and Location: PLATTSBOROUGH, NY	
	Date and Time Sample Collected from Plant: 01/31/24	
	Collection Location within Plant: SAMPLES	
	Number of Sample Pieces Collected (Attach Photos): 4	
Sample Collected by: SHAMIM MONDAL	Signature: Shamim Mondal	
Sample Packaged and Shipped to TCNA By: SHAMIM MONDAL	Signature: Shamim Mondal	
Shipping Date: 2/1/24		
Carrier/Airbill Number: UPS		
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	Receipt Date: 2-12-24	
	Received By: Alston Sykes	Signature: Alston Sykes
	Condition of Shipping Package: GOOD	
	Condition of Sample: GOOD	
	Laboratory ID #: 24-006-02	

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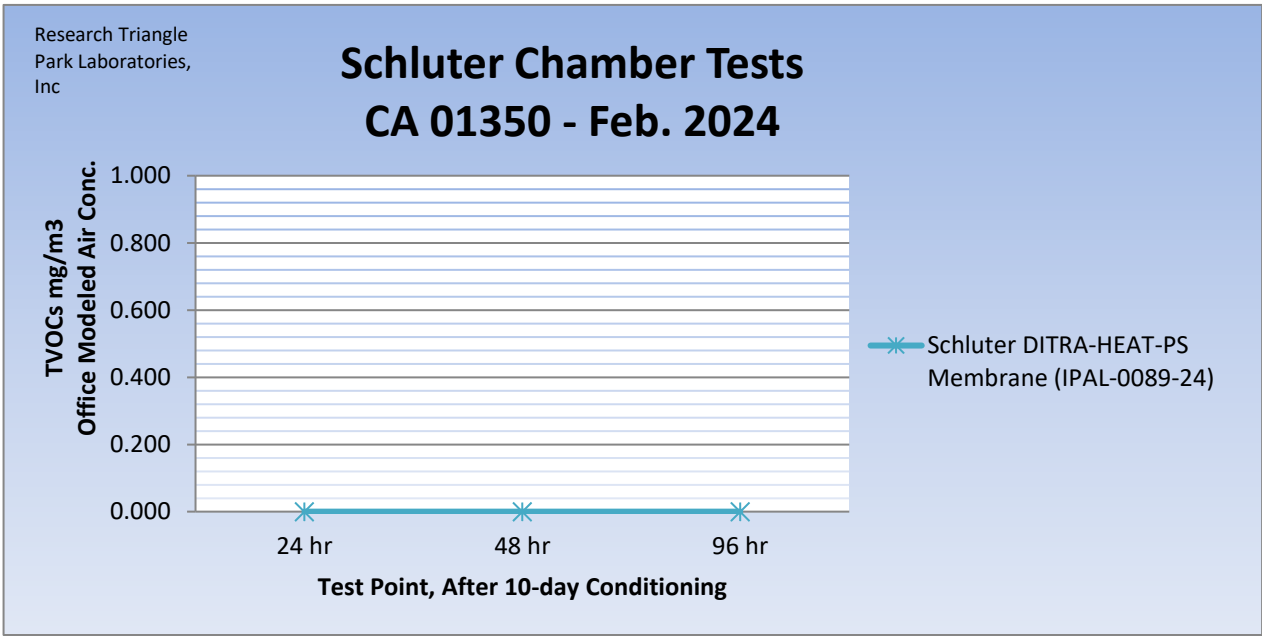


California 01350/ASTM D5116 Small Chamber Tests for Volatile Organic Compound Emissions From Products

Project ID: 24-006-02
Client: Tile Council of North America
Sample Receipt Date: Feb. 12, 2024
Test Start Dates: Feb. 15, 2024
Products:

Schluter DITRA-HEAT-PS Membrane (IPAL-0089-24)

Modeled Standard Office Concentration, mg/m3			
24 hr	48 hr	96 hr	LOQ
0.000	0.000	0.000	0.001



Standard Office Model Parameters:

Room Dimensions: 12 ft length x 10 ft wide x 9.0 ft ht
Room Volume: 30.6 m³
Ventilation Rate: 0.68 air changes per hour
Net Floor Surface: 11.15 m²

Chamber and Sample Conditions:

Chamber Volume: 50 Liters
Temperature: 20-25 C; Relative Humidity: 45-55 %
Air Exchange Rate: 1 per hour (0.833L/min = 50 liters)
Sample Surface Area: 0.0232 m²
Sample Loading Factor: 0.5 m²/m³

Sample Receipt Date: 2/12/2024
Project ID: 24-006-02
Sample ID: Schluter Mortar SetA50W (IPAL-0088-24)
Client: IPA Labs
 Schluter DITRA-HEAT-PS Membrane (IPAL-0089-24)

Test Start Date: 2/15/2024

10 day conditioning performed prior to 96 h testing.

Standard Office Parameters
 Room Dimensions, ft 12x10x9.0

ASTM D5116 Small Chamber Method

Room Volume, m3 **30.6**
 Ventilation Rate, ach **0.68**
 Net Surface Area, m2 **11.15**

California Specification 01350
 Office Paints and Wallcoverings Model: 33.4 m2
 Office Flooring Products Model: 11.15 m2

Compound Name	Emission Factors (ug/(m2*h))						Cm	Cm	Cm	1/2 CREL 12/2008 (A)Acute (C)Chronic
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<u>GC/MS Target, LOQ 2 ng/L (ug/m3)</u>										
None Detected	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
<u>GC/MS TICs, LOQ 5 ng/L (ug/m3)</u>										
None Detected	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
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	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
<u>HPLC Aldehydes, LOQ 2 ng/L (ug/m3)</u>										
Formaldehyde	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.5 C
Acetaldehyde	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	70 C
TVOCs LOQ 25 ng/L (ug/m3) Use 1 for < value	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	ug/m3
							0.000	0.000	0.000	mg/m3

Reporting Limit, 0.001 mg/m3