

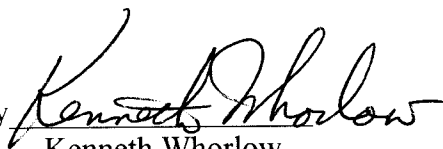
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REPORT ON  
CHEMICAL TESTS  
FOR  
einsulation.com, inc  
MINERAL FIBER  
PIPE INSULATION  
TESTED  
IN ACCORD WITH  
REGULATORY GUIDE 1.36  
USING ASTM C871 TEST METHODS

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## CHEMICAL TESTS

Subject: This report covers ASTM C871 Chemical Tests (Standard Test Method for Chemical Analysis of Thermal Insulation Materials for Leachable Chloride, Fluoride, Silicate, and Sodium Ions). The material tested was Mineral Fiber Pipe Insulation submitted by einsulation.com, inc. The results may be used to determine the qualification of the insulation to the requirements of Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Regulatory Guide 1.36 (NRC RG 1.36).

Samples: The samples were received from einsulation.com and designated einsulation.

Sample Preparation: Thin strips were cut from the submitted sample such that the test samples were representative of the entire cross section of the material. Exactly 20.0 g samples were prepared for the duplicate extractions.

Each weighed sample was placed in a one (1) quart blender jar containing 500 ml of demineralized water. After blending to completely disperse and break up the solids, the sample slurry was quantitatively transferred to a 1-liter stainless steel beaker and quickly heated to boiling. The slurry was maintained at boiling for 30 minutes after which time it was cooled in a water bath. The liquid weight was brought to 500 grams and filtered to produce the extraction solution for chemical tests.

Chemical Test Procedures: Testing was conducted in accord with ASTM C871.

Test Results: Given in parts per million(mg/kg).

<u>Sample</u>	<u>Sodium</u>	<u>Silicate</u>	<u>Chloride</u>	<u>Fluoride</u>	<u>pH</u>
1A	253	720	<12*(7)	13	9.6
1B	255	692	<12*(6)	13	9.6

\* Less than the accurate low determination limit for the techniques and analytical equipment used.

Chemical Test Conclusion: The sample of Mineral Fiber Pipe Insulation submitted by einsulation.com, inc. met the chemical requirements of Regulatory Guide 1.36, falling within the "acceptable" range of the "acceptability curve".