

Rocksilk® RainScreen OSCB, OSCB Plus

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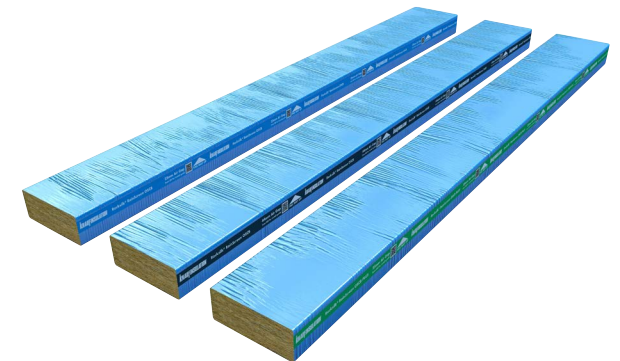
Description

Rocksilk® RainScreen OSCBs are horizontal cavity barriers manufactured from rock mineral wool, shrink wrapped with a reactive intumescent strip, for use in ventilated cavities up to 450mm.

They form part of a tested system with Rocksilk® RainScreen Slabs which provides fire resistance for up to 120 minutes integrity and 120 minutes insulation (EI120).

Benefits

- › Form part of tested systems providing fire resistance for up to 120 minutes insulation and 120 minutes integrity (EI120).
- › Fixing bracket included as standard.
- › Reactive intumescent strip expands in the event of a fire to fill the residual cavity.
- › Suitable for horizontal applications with a cladding outer leaf.
- › Holds a third party certificate by Kiwa (certificate IFCC 1939).

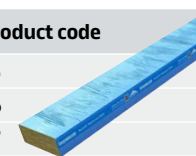


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Technical Specifications

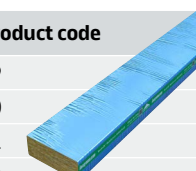
ROCKSILK® RAINSCREEN OSCB25

Maximum cavity width (mm)	Length (mm)	Depth (mm)	Barriers per pack	Packs per pallet	Linear meters per pack	Linear meters per pallet	Pallet product code
100-125	1200	82	14	8	16.8	134.4	834165
126-150	1200	82	14	8	16.8	134.4	834166
151-175	1200	82	12	8	14.4	115.2	834167
176-200	1200	82	9	8	10.8	86.4	834168
201-225	1200	82	9	8	10.8	86.4	834169
226-250	1200	82	6	8	7.2	57.6	834170
251-275	1200	82	6	8	7.2	57.6	834171
276-300	1200	82	6	8	7.2	57.6	834172
301-325	1200	82	6	8	7.2	57.6	834173
326-350	1200	82	5	8	6.0	48.0	834174
351-375	1200	82	5	8	6.0	48.0	834175
376-400	1200	82	5	8	6.0	48.0	834176
401-425	1200	82	5	8	6.0	48.0	834177
426-450	1200	82	5	8	6.0	48.0	834178



ROCKSILK® RAINSCREEN OSCB25 PLUS

Maximum cavity width (mm)	Length (mm)	Depth (mm)	Pieces per pack	Packs per pallet	Linear meters per pack	Linear meters per pallet	Pallet product code
100-125	1200	82	14	8	16.8	134.4	834179
126-150	1200	82	14	8	16.8	134.4	834180
151-175	1200	82	12	8	14.4	115.2	834181
176-200	1200	82	9	8	10.8	86.4	834182
201-225	1200	82	9	8	10.8	86.4	834183
226-250	1200	82	6	8	7.2	57.6	834184
251-275	1200	82	6	8	7.2	57.6	834185
276-300	1200	82	6	8	7.2	57.6	834186
301-325	1200	82	6	8	7.2	57.6	834187
326-350	1200	82	5	8	6.0	48.0	834188
351-375	1200	82	5	8	6.0	48.0	834189
376-400	1200	82	5	8	6.0	48.0	834190
401-425	1200	82	5	8	6.0	48.0	834191
426-450	1200	82	5	8	6.0	48.0	834192



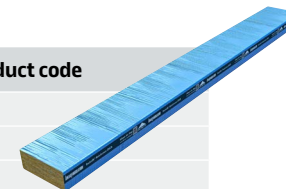
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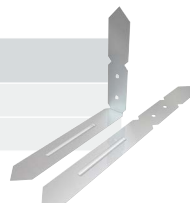
ROCKSILK® RAINSCREEN OSCB44

Maximum cavity width (mm)	Length (mm)	Depth (mm)	Pieces per pack	Packs per pallet	Linear meters per pack	Linear meters per pallet	Pallet product code
100-125	1200	82	14	8	16.8	134.4	834193
126-150	1200	82	14	8	16.8	134.4	834194
151-175	1200	82	12	8	14.4	115.2	834195
176-200	1200	82	9	8	10.8	86.4	834196
201-225	1200	82	9	8	10.8	86.4	834197
226-250	1200	82	6	8	7.2	57.6	834198
251-275	1200	82	6	8	7.2	57.6	834199
276-300	1200	82	6	8	7.2	57.6	834200
301-325	1200	82	6	8	7.2	57.6	834201
326-350	1200	82	5	8	6.0	48.0	834202
351-375	1200	82	5	8	6.0	48.0	834203
376-400	1200	82	5	8	6.0	48.0	834204
401-425	1200	82	5	8	6.0	48.0	834205
426-450	1200	82	5	8	6.0	48.0	834206



ROCKSILK® RAINSCREEN OSCB FIXING BRACKET

Maximum cavity width (mm)	Dimensions (mm)	Product code
≤274	300	834109
275-450	330	834108



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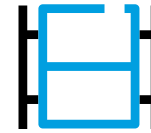
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Performance

FIRE PERFORMANCE

Product	Cavity widths (mm)	Fire performance (mins)	
		Integrity (E)	Insulation (I)
Rocksilk® RainScreen OSCB25	100-450	90	90
Rocksilk® RainScreen OSCB25 Plus	100-450	120	120
Rocksilk® RainScreen OSCB44	100-450	120	90

Applications

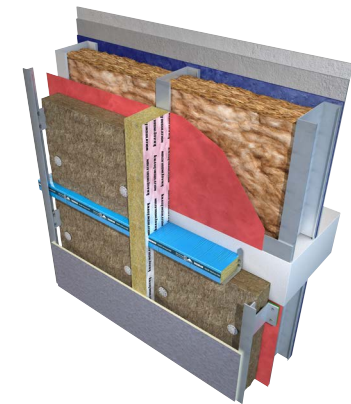
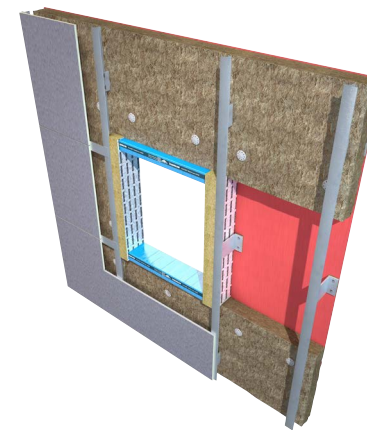


Rainscreen façade system

Certification, accreditations and industry standards



Typical Build-Up



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Application

Rocksilk® RainScreen OSCBs are used as horizontal open state cavity barriers in buildings with ventilated cavities. Rocksilk® RainScreen OSCBs contain a reactive intumescent strip which allows ventilation and drainage in a rainscreen cavity. The strip will expand in the event of a fire to fully seal the cavity providing fire resistance, preventing passage of smoke and flames.

Rocksilk® RainScreen OSCBs are also recommended for use against a steel, timber, masonry or reinforced concrete inner leaf where the construction has a ventilated cavity.

Rocksilk® RainScreen OSCBs should be partnered with Rocksilk® RainScreen FireStop Slab which is installed vertically, and Rocksilk® RainScreen Slabs for a complete rainscreen cavity system.

The outer wall (i.e the wall against which the intumescent strip will react) shall comprise of concrete or other non-combustible substrate such as masonry units (concrete blocks/bricks) that do not deform or deflect in such a way that would adversely affect the performance of the cavity barrier. If concrete is not used, then the performance of the cavity barrier will be dependent on the outer wall remaining in place and not deforming or deflecting for the same period of time as the cavity barrier. Use of substrates other than those tested will require an assessment from a competent fire engineer.

Standards and Certification

Rocksilk® RainScreen OSCBs have been specifically tested and assessed when used in conjunction with Rocksilk® RainScreen Slabs, therefore should only be used where Rocksilk® RainScreen Slabs are used as the sheathing insulation in the residual cavity.

Rocksilk® RainScreen OSCBs have been tested to *“ASFP Technical Guidance Document 19: Fire Resistance Test For Open State Cavity Barriers Used In The Envelope Or Fabric Of Buildings”* and have been assessed by Kiwa Fire Safety (KFS) under KFS Report PAR/24872/01.

Rocksilk® RainScreen OSCBs are third party certified by IFC Certification Ltd (Kiwa) under certificate number IFCC1939. For copies of the assessment reports and certificates please contact our Technical Services Team.

All of our mineral wool is made of non-classified fibres and is certified by EUCB. EUCB (European Certification Board of Mineral Wool Products - www.euceb.org) is a voluntary initiative by the mineral wool industry. It is an independent certification authority that guarantees that products are made of fibres which comply with the exoneration criteria for carcinogenicity (Note Q) of the Regulation (EC) 1272/2008.

Thermal Modelling

The U-value of a proprietary rainscreen façade system is dependent on the degree of thermal bridging in the system. Calculations should be created using 2D or 3D modelling programs which comply with the methodologies detailed in BS EN ISO 10211:2017.

We offer 3D numerically modelled U-value calculations compliant with BS EN ISO 10211:2017.

System Testing

Knauf Insulation maintains declared product characteristics and qualities which are defined in detail in its Declaration of Performances (DoPs) and product literature. The product literature also includes information relating to Knauf Insulation's requirements and recommendations for installation of its products when being used as part of a system.

Any party using, or planning to use, our products in a system (with or without system testing) where performance may be dependent on product characteristics not declared on our DoPs or our product literature, must contact our Technical Services Team.

Knauf Insulation will not accept liability for any failure in system performance due to product characteristics not declared on DoPs or product literature, or not agreed in a Service Level Agreement. In such an event, any warranty given in relation to those products will be invalidated.

Real Performance

Glass and rock mineral wool are easier to install correctly than other insulants, such as rigid boards, because they adapt to any slight imperfections in the substrate and knit together, eliminating any air gaps. Mineral wool is engineered to adapt to any imperfections, and any settlement/movement over time, so it maintains close contact and preserves thermal performance for the life of the building.

Evidence shows the absence of air gaps is crucial to achieving real performance in the relevant application. Any insulation material that doesn't deliver 'as-built' thermal performance is failing in its primary purpose, and therefore presents an unnecessary risk as the construction industry seeks to close the performance gap.

Moisture Resistance

The physical and chemical characteristics of the fibres are unaltered by wetting. Therefore, the thermal properties of Rocksilk® RainScreen OSCBs are not affected by exposure to moisture and the product will perform as expected once dry and undamaged.

Durability and Fitness for Use

Rocksilk® RainScreen OSCBs are odourless, rot proof, non-hygroscopic, do not sustain vermin and will not encourage the growth of fungi, mould or bacteria. The products will have a life equivalent to that of the structure in which they are incorporated.

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Sustainability

Our rock mineral wool is manufactured using around 35% recycled content (recycled material mostly from the steel industry along with customer production waste).

Rocksilk® RainScreen OSCBs contain no ozone-depleting substances or greenhouse gases. The overall environmental performance of our products is reported in their EPDs (Environmental Product Declarations), in accordance to ISO 14025:2023, ISO 21930:2017 and EN 15804+A2:2019. EPDs are available to download on our website for relevant products.

We have received the BES6001 (v4.0) 'Very Good' rating for our three manufacturing plants, which proves that our products are made with constituent materials that are responsibly sourced.

Handling and Storage

Rocksilk® RainScreen OSCBs should be stored properly and handled in such a way as to ensure that the product remains clean and undamaged.

The boxes used for the supply of Rocksilk® RainScreen OSCBs are designed for short-term protection only. For longer term protection on site, the product should either be stored indoors or under cover and off the ground. Rocksilk® RainScreen OSCBs should not be left permanently exposed to the elements.

The product must be protected from prolonged exposure to sunlight, and stored dry and flat.

Rocksilk® RainScreen OSCBs are light and easy to handle; care should be exercised to avoid crushing their edges or corners. If damaged, the product should be discarded. Damaged, contaminated or wet products must not be used.

During construction exposed areas should always be covered at the end of a day's work or in heavy rain. Polyethylene covers should be used to provide protection and prevent work from becoming saturated.

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