

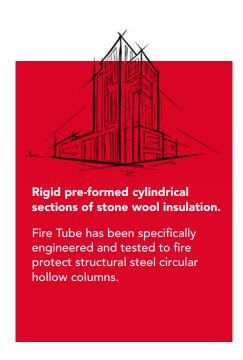


Fire protection for structural steel

FirePro Fire Tube is a pre-formed cylindrical insulation manufactured using ROCKWOOL stone wool. The product is available with an optional aluminium foil facing.

Fire Tube is suitable for structural steel circular columns up to 438mm in diameter, and is supplied in metre lengths.

For standard wall thicknesses and size availability, please see the current ROCKWOOL price list.





APPLICATIONS

Fire Tube has been tested to fire protect structural steel circular hollow columns.

It may be possible to use this test data in assessing the performance of Fire Tube when applied to other circular elements, such as pipework - however such assessments should be undertaken by a suitably qualified individual.

Please contact the ROCKWOOL Fire Team for further information.

PERFORMANCE

Fire performance

Fire Tube has been designed to fire protect structural steel circular hollow columns in the range of 350°C to 750°C for fire resistance periods of up to 3 hours.

The required wall thickness of Fire Tube to provide a particular fire resistance for a specified period depends on the diameter, wall thickness and design temperature of the steel column.

Structural steel fire protection

The following table gives the thickness of Fire Tube required to protect standard circular hollow sections for up to 3 hours.

For sections not covered, or alternative design temperatures, please contact ROCKWOOL Technical for assistance in calculating the required thickness of Fire Tube.

								Requi	red thickne	ess (mm) fo	r a given p	rotection p	eriod			
Circular hollow section				Design temperature 400°C Design temperature 550°C												
	Wall thickness	Mass	Section Area	A/V												
O.D. (mm)	(mm) 3.6	(kg/m) 2.67	(cm²) 3.4	(m-1) 310	30 min 25	60 min	90 min 90	120 min	150 min	180 min	30 min 25	60 min 40	90 min 70	120 min 95	150 min	180 min
33.7	4	2.93	3.73	285	25	60	90	-	-	-	25	40	70	95	-	_
	3.6	3.44	4.39	305	25	60	90	-	-	-	25	40	70	95	-	_
42.4	4	3.79	4.83	275	25	55	90	-	-	-	25	40	65	95	-	-
	5	4.61	5.87	230	25	55	85	-	-	-	25	35	65	90	-	-
	3.6	3.97	5.06	300	25	60	90	-	-	-	25	40	70	95	-	-
48.3	4	4.37	5.57	270	25	55	90	-	-	-	25	40	65	95	-	-
	5	5.34	6.8	225	25	55	85	-	-	-	25	35	65	90	-	-
	3.6	5.03	6.41	295	25	60	90	-	-	-	25	40	70	95	-	-
60.3	4	5.55	7.07	270	25	55	90	-	-	-	25	40	65	95	-	-
	5	6.82	8.69	220	25	50	85	-	-	-	25	35	60	90	-	-
	3.6 4	6.44 7.11	8.2 9.06	290 265	25 25	60 55	90 85	-	-	-	25 25	40 40	70 65	95 95	-	-
76.1	5	8.77	11.2	215	25	50	80	-			25	35	60	90	-	
	6.3	10.8	13.8	175	25	45	75	105	_	_	25	30	55	80	_	_
	3.6	7.57	9.65	290	25	60	90	-	-	-	25	40	70	95	-	-
00.0	4	8.38	10.7	260	25	55	85	-	-	-	25	40	65	95	-	-
88.9	5	10.3	13.2	210	25	50	80	-	-	-	25	35	60	85	-	-
	6.3	12.8	16.3	170	25	45	75	105	-	-	25	30	55	80	-	-
	3.6	9.83	12.5	285	25	60	90	-	-	-	25	40	70	95	-	-
114.3	4	10.9	13.9	260	25	55	85	-	-	-	25	40	65	95	-	-
	5	13.5	17.2	210	25	50	80	-	-	-	25	35	60	85	-	-
	6.3	16.8	21.4	170	25	45	75	105	-	-	25	30	55	80	-	-
	3.6 4	12.1 13.4	15.4 17.1	285 255	25 25	60 55	90 85	-	-	-	25 25	40 40	70 65	95 90	-	-
	5	16.6	21.2	205	25	50	80		-		25	35	60	85	-	
139.7	6.3	20.7	26.4	165	25	45	75	105	-		25	30	55	80	105	
	8	26	33.1	135	25	40	65	95	-	_	25	25	45	75	100	_
	10	32	40.7	110	25	30	60	85	-	-	25	25	40	65	90	-
	5	20.1	25.7	205	25	50	80	-	-	-	25	35	60	85	-	-
	6.3	25.2	32.1	165	25	45	75	105	-	-	25	30	55	80	105	-
168.3	8	31.6	40.3	130	25	35	65	95	-	-	25	25	45	70	100	-
	10	39	49.7	105	25	30	55	85	-	-	25	25	35	60	90	-
	12.5	48	61.2	85	25	25	45	70	95	-	25	25	25	50	75	100
	5	23.3	29.6	205	25	50	80	-	-	-	25	35	60	85	105	-
193.7	6.3 8	29.1 36.6	37.1 46.7	165 130	25 25	45 35	75 65	105 95	-	-	25 25	30 25	55 45	80 70	105	-
173.7	10	45.3	57.7	105	25	30	55	85			25	25	35	60	90	
	12.5	55.9	71.2	85	25	25	45	70	95	_	25	25	25	50	75	100
	5	26.4	33.6	205	25	50	80	-	-	-	25	35	60	85	-	-
	6.3	33.1	42.1	165	25	45	75	105	-	-	25	30	55	80	105	-
	8	41.6	53.1	130	25	35	65	95	-	-	25	25	45	70	100	-
219.1	10	51.6	65.7	105	25	30	55	85	-	-	25	25	35	60	90	-
	12.5	63.7	81.1	85	25	25	45	70	95	-	25	25	25	50	75	100
	14.2	71.8	91.4	75	25	25	40	65	90	-	25	25	25	45	70	95
	16	80.1	102	65	25	25	35	55	80	100	25	25	25	35	60	85

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Circular hollow section					Design temperature 400°C						Design temperature 550°C					
	Wall		Section													
O.D. (mm)	thickness (mm)	Mass (kg/m)	Area (cm²)	A/V (m-1)	30 min	60 min	90 min	120 min	150 min	180 min	30 min	60 min	90 min	120 min	150 min	180 min
	5	29.5	37.6	205	25	50	80	-	-	-	25	35	60	85	-	-
	6.3	37	47.1	165	25	45	75	105	-	-	25	30	55	80	105	-
	8	46.7	59.4	130	25	35	65	95	-	-	25	25	45	70	100	-
244.5	10	57.8	73.7	105	25	30	55	85	-	-	25	25	35	60	90	-
	12.5	71.5	91.1	85	25	25	45	70	95	-	25	25	25	50	75	100
	14.2	80.6	103	75	25	25	40	65	90	-	25	25	25	45	70	95
	16	90.2	115	65	25	25	35	55	80	100	25	25	25	35	60	85
	5	33	42.1	205	25	50	80	-	-	-	25	35	60	85	-	-
	6.3	41.4	52.8	160	25	45	75	100	-	-	25	25	55	80	105	-
	8	52.3	66.6	130	25	35	65	95	-	-	25	25	45	70	100	-
273	10	64.9	82.6	105	25	30	55	85	-	-	25	25	35	60	90	-
	12.5	80.3	102	85	25	25	45	70	95	-	25	25	25	50	75	100
	14.2	90.6	115	75	25	25	40	65	90	-	25	25	25	45	70	95
	16	101	129	65	25	25	35	55	80	100	25	25	25	35	60	85
	5	39.3	50.1	205	25	50	80	-	-	-	25	35	60	85	-	-
	6.3	49.3	62.9	160	25	45	75	100	-	-	25	25	55	80	105	-
	8	62.3	79.4	130	25	35	65	95	-	-	25	25	45	70	100	-
323.9	10	77.4	98.6	105	25	30	55	85	-	-	25	25	35	60	90	-
	12.5	96	122	85	25	25	45	70	95	-	25	25	25	50	75	100
	14.2	108	138	75	25	25	40	65	90	-	25	25	25	45	70	95
	16	121	155	65	25	25	35	55	80	100	25	25	25	35	60	85
	6.3	54.3	69.1	160	25	45	75	100	-	-	25	25	55	80	105	-
	8	68.6	87.4	130	25	35	65	95	-	-	25	25	45	70	100	-
355.6	10	85.2	109	100	25	30	55	80	105	-	25	25	35	60	85	-
	12.5	106	135	85	25	25	45	70	95	-	25	25	25	50	75	100
	14.2	120	152	75	25	25	40	65	90	-	25	25	25	45	70	95
	16	134	171	65	25	25	35	55	80	100	25	25	25	35	60	85
	6.3	62.2	79.2	160	25	45	75	100	-	-	25	25	55	80	105	-
	8	78.6	100	130	25	35	65	95	-	-	25	25	45	70	100	-
406.4	10	97.8	125	100	25	30	55	80	105	-	25	25	35	60	85	-
	12.5	121	155	80	25	25	45	70	95	-	25	25	25	50	75	95
	14.2	137	175	75	25	25	40	65	90	-	25	25	25	45	70	95
	16	154	196	65	25	25	35	55	80	100	25	25	25	35	60	85

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Property	Description
Length	1000mm
Internal diameter range	Up to 438mm
Thickness range	25 – 100mm
Fire resistance	Up to 3 hours

STANDARDS AND APPROVALS

Fire Tube has been authorised for use in LUL surface and sub-surface premises when installed in accordance with this datasheet - please refer to the LUL Approved Product Register website www.LU-apr.co.uk for specific details.

INSTALLATION

FirePro Fire Tube is light and easy to cut to shape using a saw or a sharp knife.

All joints should be held firmly together with temporary bands of steel wire, jubilee clips or plastic cable ties at 200mm centres until the glue has fully cured.

If installed outdoors, Fire Tube must be protected from the weather. Prior to use, Fire Tube should be stored indoors or protected by a weatherproof covering

BUILDING SAFETY AND PRODUCT USE

LEGAL NOTICES

General safety requirements – Building Safety Act 2022

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A Material Safety Data Sheet is available and can be downloaded from www.rockwool.com/uk to assist in the preparation of risk assessments, as required by the Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations (COSHH)

ROCKWOOL stone wool - safe to install and live alongside

There are no hazardous classifications associated with stone wool insulation manufactured by ROCKWOOL-UK according to EU REACH and UK REACH regulations on health and the environment.

ROCKWOOL safe use instruction sheets and material safety data sheets (where applicable) can be downloaded here.



Sustainability

ROCKWOOL products are used to enrich modern living, creating safer, healthier and more climate-resilient communities.

We transform abundant, natural volcanic rock into stone wool insulation products that are used to reduce energy demand, lower fuel bills and help address society's climate change challenges.

ROCKWOOL stone wool insulation is recyclable and can be transformed into new ROCKWOOL products. Please contact us for details of how we can work together to recycle waste ROCKWOOL stone wool material that may be generated during on-site installation.

Our annual sustainability reports, which set out progress against our sustainability goals, and further details of the positive impacts of using our products can be found on our website.



Environment

ROCKWOOL takes a fact-based, auditable approach to documenting our progress in maximising our products' positive impact and minimising the effect our operations have on the environment, backed by third-party references and methodologies. Further details can be found online in our annual sustainability report.

Our high-tech production process uses filters, pre-heaters, after-burners and other cleaning and collection systems that help to reduce the effects of our manufacturing operations on the environment.

ROCKWOOL stone wool insulation does not contain (and has never contained) gases that have ozone depletion potential (ODP) or global warming potential (GWP).

