

**Test Report No.** 220000631-21-U-12-e

**Client**

Saudi Vitrified Clay Pipe Co., Ltd.  
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**Conclusion of the contract**

08.12.2000  
**Date of sampling**  
27.11. - 02.12.2021  
**Date of testing**  
27.11. - 02.12.2021

**Order**

Monitoring test 2021 according to control agreement No. 22000631 dated Dec 08, 2000 including audit/inspection of testing, controlling of records and sampling at the client's production sites Factory Plant 1 and Factory Plant 2, 2<sup>nd</sup> Industrial Area, Riyadh 11442, KSA.

**Samples**

Vitrified clay pipes jointed by system C according to EN 295-1.  
Designation: **DN 450 ES x 2000 - System C - 72 kN/m - Class 160**

**Description of the tests/underlying specifications**

DIN EN 295-1 „Vitrified clay pipe systems for drains and sewers – Part 1: Requirements for pipes, fittings and joints“, May 2013

DIN EN 295-2 „Vitrified clay pipe systems for drains and sewers – Part 2: Evaluation of conformity and sampling“, May 2013

DIN EN 295-3 „Vitrified clay pipe systems for drains and sewers – Part 3: Test methods “, March 2012

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## 1 Sampling

The manufacture of the vitrified clay pipes takes place in both of the production plants either Factory Plant 1 or Factory Plant 2 in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Industrial Area, Riyadh, 11442, KSA. The sampling was conducted accordingly.

## 2 Results of the tests

### 2.1 Appearance of the pipes

The pipes were sounding clear and were free from such defects as would impair their function when in service. The pipes were glazed of dark brown colour.

### 2.2 Dimensions

**Table 1: Dimensions**

		Pipe 1	Pipe 2	Pipe 3	Target values in acc. with DIN EN 295-1	Permissible deviations in acc. with DIN EN 295-1	Requirement Fulfilled
Minimum bore $d_1$ [mm]	Spigot	448.7	448.3	448.5	$\geq 439$	--	yes
	Socket	450.2	450.2	450.7			yes
Length $l$ [mm]	min.	2005	2003	2005	2000	+80 -20	yes
	max.	2010	2008	2008			
Deviation from squareness of the ends [mm]	Spigot	3.9	4.1	3.8	$\leq 8$	--	yes
	Socket	4.2	4.0	4.4			yes
Deviation from straightness [mm/m]		0.9	1.0	0.8	$\leq 3$	--	yes
Socket fairing internal diameter $d_4$ [mm]		579.4	579.3	579.5	579.0	$\pm 0.5$	yes
Invert conformity [mm]	$a_{sp-1}$	60.8	61.3	61.2	Difference $\leq 4$	--	yes
	$a_m$	64.0	64.3	63.9			
Thickness of the wall $s_1$ [mm]	Spigot	50.9	51.1	47.1	--	--	--

**2.3 Watertightness and crushing strength in accordance with DIN EN 295-1, clauses 5.9 and 5.14**

For testing the water tightness and in order to determine the water adding value, the vitrified clay pipes were filled with water in accordance with DIN EN 295-1, clause 5.14 and DIN EN 295-3, clause 12, and a water pressure of 0,5 bar was applied for the duration of 1 hour pre-conditioning time. After another 15 minutes time the water adding value was determined by (l / m<sup>2</sup>).

For determining the crushing strength of vitrified clay pipes according to DIN EN 295-1, clause 5.9, the pipes were preconditioned according to DIN EN 295-3, clause 7.1.1, method a) (complete immersion in a container filled with water at ambient temperature for a minimum duration time according to EN 295-3, table 1).

**Table 2: Watertightness and crushing strength**

Samples	Watertightness		Crushing strength	
	Visual inspection of leakage pipe surface	Water addition W <sub>15</sub> [l/m <sup>2</sup> ]	Preconditioning [hours]	Force at break FN [kN/m]
1	no leakage/dry	0.011	≥ 90	105.8
2				114.5
3				100.6
Set values:	no leakage no wet areas	≤ 0.040	≥ 90	≥ 72
Requirements:	yes	yes	yes	yes

**2.4 Marking (impressed)**

EN-Marking: EN 295-1, SASO/GSO  
 Manufacturer's identification: SVCP 2  
 Date of manufacturing: 01.08.2017 - 31.07.2017 - 01.08.2017  
 Nominal size: DN 450 ES  
 Class: C - Class 160 - 80 KN/M\*  
 Identification symbol of the third party certification body: --

\*= Pipe marking declares higher crushing strength than the class number to EN 295-1

**2.5 Airtightness of the pipes including pipe joint according to DIN EN 295-1, clause 5.18**

Test performed according to clause 5.18 of EN 295-1 and section 16 of EN 295-3 on a test setup consisting of 1 pipe by applying an air gauge pressure of 10 mbar for a period of **11 minutes time**. Requirement: The gauge pressure must not drop below 7.5 mbar.

DIN EN 295-1, clause 5.18	Test pressure [mbar]	Permissible $\Delta p$ [mar]	Test time [min]	Requirement fulfilled
1 Pipe	10	2.5	11	yes

**2.6 Water absorption (boiling test) in accordance with DIN EN 295-1, clause 5.1.3**

The specimen was tested in accordance with DIN EN 295-3 section 28.2 by drying at a temperature of  $(115 \pm 5) ^\circ\text{C}$  until in two consecutive weighings no further mass loss could be observed. Subsequently, the specimen was immersed in a container of cold water and brought to the boil. The water was maintained boiling for 1 hour time. After cooling, the specimen was taken out of the water and gently dried with a towel and reweighed.

Sample No.	Dry weight [g]	Weight after 1 hour boiling [g]	Water absorption [g]	Water absorption [%]	Set values DIN EN 295-1	Requirement fulfilled
1	1971.0	2090.0	119.0	6.0	$\leq 6 \%$	yes

**3 Assessment**

Concerning the tested characteristics, the tested vitrified clay pipes **DN 450 ES x 2000 - System C - 72 kN/m - Class 160** meet the requirements of DIN EN 295-1. The results correspond to the results of the internal routine tests.

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By order

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