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### General Part

Technical Assessment Body issuing the European Technical Assessment:

Deutsches Institut für Bautechnik

Trade name of the construction product

Insulation support TFIX-8M

Product family  
to which the construction product belongs

Plastic anchor for fixing of external thermal insulation composite systems with rendering

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## Specific Part

### 1 Technical description of the product

The insulation support TFIX-8M is a nailed-in anchor which consists of a plastic part made of polypropylene (virgin material) and an accompanying specific nail of galvanised steel. The head of the nail has an additional plastic coating.

The anchor may in addition be combined with the anchor plates KWL 90, KWL 110 and KWL 140. The product description is given in Annex A.

### 2 Specification of the intended use in accordance with the applicable European Assessment Document

The performances given in Section 3 are only valid if the anchor is used in compliance with the specifications and conditions given in Annex B.

The verifications and assessment methods on which this European Technical Assessment is based lead to the assumption of a working life of the anchor of at least 25 years. The indications given on the working life cannot be interpreted as a guarantee given by the producer, but are to be regarded only as a means for choosing the right products in relation to the expected economically reasonable working life of the works.

### 3 Performance of the product and references to the methods used for its assessment

#### 3.1 Safety and accessibility in use (BWR 4)

Essential characteristic	Performance
Characteristic load bearing capacity <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Characteristic resistance under tension load</li><li>- Minimum edge distance and spacing</li></ul>	See Annex C 1 See Annex B 2
Displacements	See Annex C 2
Plate stiffness	See Annex C 2

#### 3.2 Energy economy and heat retention (BWR 6)

Essential characteristic	Performance
Point thermal transmittance	See Annex C 2

### 4 Assessment and verification of constancy of performance (AVCP) system applied, with reference to its legal base

In accordance with EAD No. 330196-01-0604, the applicable European legal act is: [97/463/EC].  
The system to be applied is: 2+

**5 Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system, as provided for in the applicable European Assessment Document**

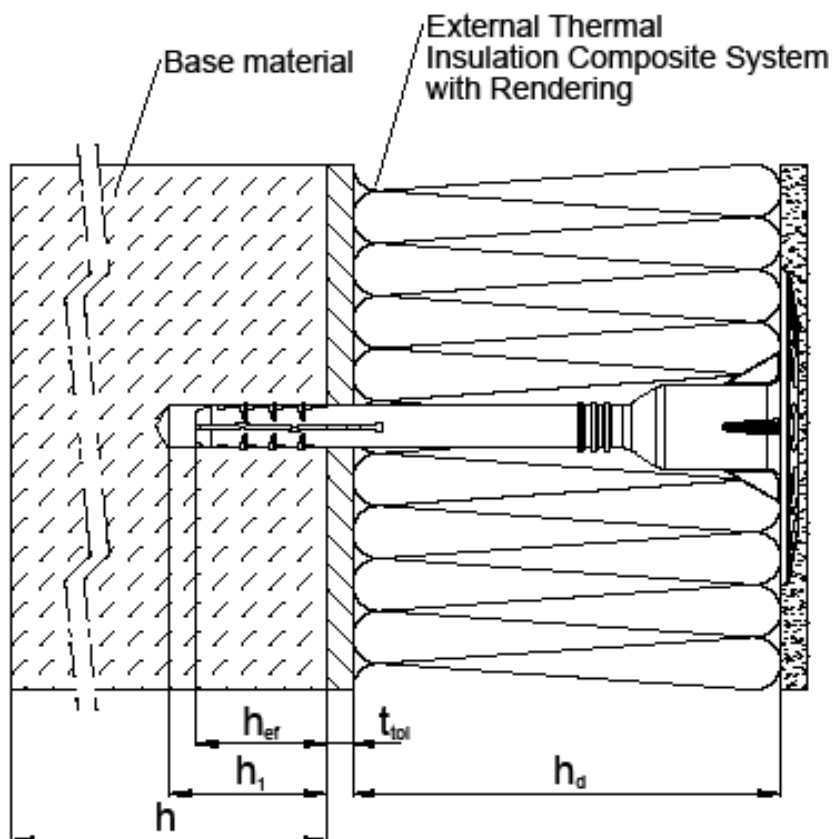
Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system are laid down in the control plan deposited with Deutsches Institut für Bautechnik.

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## TFIX-8M



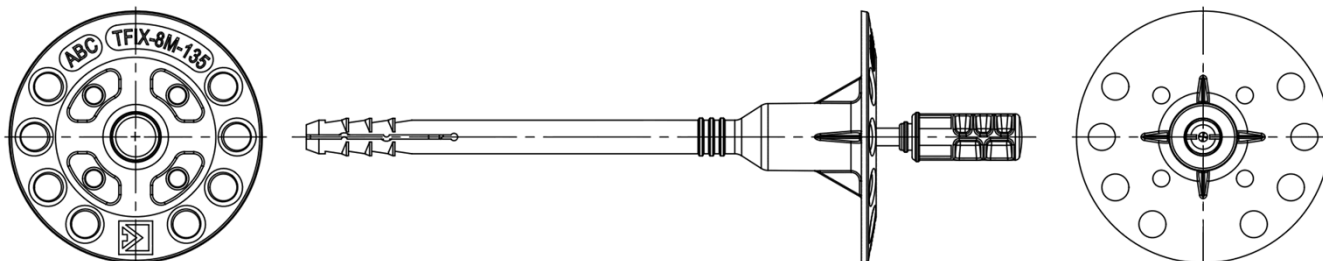
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- $h_{ef}$  = effective anchorage depth
- $h$  = thickness of member (wall)
- $h_1$  = depth of drilled hole to deepest point
- $h_d$  = thickness of insulation material
- $t_{tol}$  = thickness of equalizing layer or non-load-bearing coating

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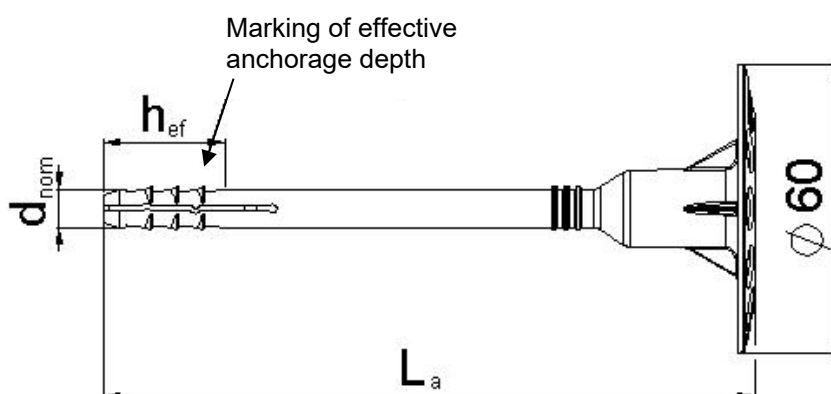
**Product description**  
Installed condition

Annex A 1

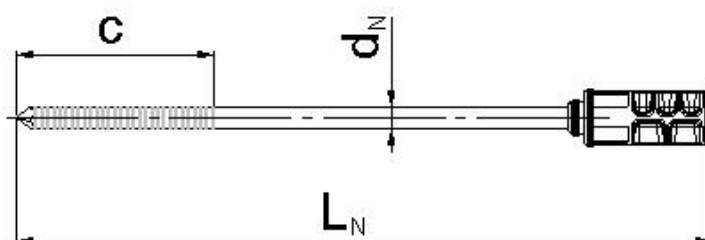


Marking of the anchor plate:  
mark of plant  
Anchor type (TFIX-8M)  
Length of anchor (e.g. 135)

### Anchor sleeve



### Accompanying expansion nail



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**Product description**  
Anchor sleeve and expansion element

Annex A 2

**Table A1: Dimensions [mm]**

Anchor type	Anchor sleeve		Accompanying expansion nail	
	$d_{nom}$	$h_{ef}$	$d_N$	c
TFIX-8M	8	25	4,2	45

Various lengths of the anchor are permissible:

$$L_{a \min} = 75\text{mm}; L_{a \max} = 295\text{mm}$$

Determination of maximum thickness of insulation:

$$h_d = L_a - t_{tol} - h_{ef}$$

e.g.  $L_a = 135\text{mm}$   
 $t_{tol} = 10\text{mm}$

$$h_d = 135\text{mm} - 10\text{mm} - 25\text{mm}$$

$$h_d = 100\text{mm}$$

**Table A2: Materials**

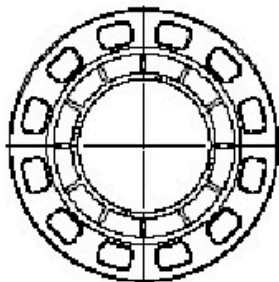
Name	Materials
Anchor sleeve	Virgin polypropylene Colour: natural
Expansion nail	Galvanized steel $\geq 5 \mu\text{m}$ according to EN ISO 4042:2022 Head of nail: Coating of polyamide with glass fiber reinforced, colour: natural

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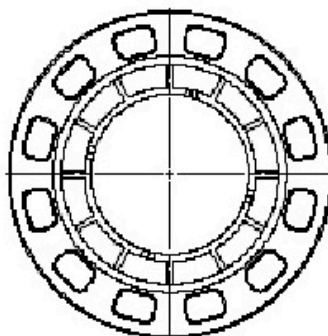
**Product description**  
Dimension, materials

Annex A 3

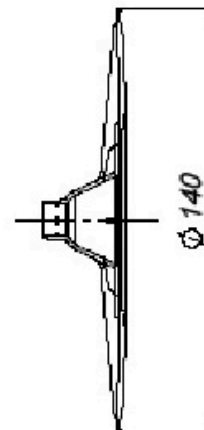
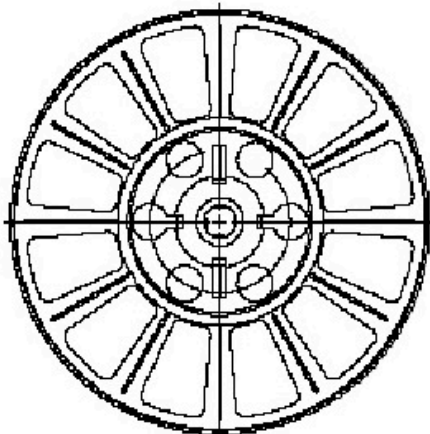
KWL - 90



KWL - 110



KWL - 140



**Table A3: Additional plates, diameter and materials**

Plate	Diameter	Colour	Materials
KWL-90	90	nature	Virgin polyamide PA 6 + GF, virgin polypropylene PP
KWL-110	110	nature	
KWL-140	140	nature	

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**Product description**  
Slip on plates combined with TFIX-8M

Annex A 4



### Specifications of intended use

**Anchorage subject to:**

- The anchor may only be used for transmission of wind suction loads and shall not be used for the transmission of dead loads of the thermal insulation composite system.

**Base materials:**

- Compacted normal weight concrete without fibres (base material group A) according to Annex C 1.
- Solid masonry (base material group B), according to Annex C 1.
- Hollow or perforated masonry (base material group C), according to Annex C 1.
- For other base materials of the base material groups A, B or C the characteristic resistance of the anchor may be determined by job site tests according to EOTA Technical Report TR 051 edition April 2018.

**Temperature Range:**

- 0°C to +40°C (max. short term temperature +40°C and max. long term temperature +24°C)

**Design:**

- The anchorages are designed under the responsibility of an engineer experienced in anchorages and masonry work with the partial safety factors  $\gamma_M = 2,0$  and  $\gamma_F = 1,5$ , if there are no other national regulations.
- Verifiable calculation notes and drawings are prepared taking account of the loads to be anchored. The position of the anchor is indicated on the design drawings.
- Fasteners are only to be used for multiple fixings of thermal insulation composite systems.

**Installation:**

- Hole drilling by the drill modes according to Annex B 3
- Anchor installation carried out by appropriately qualified personnel and under the supervision of the person responsible for technical matters of the site.
- Installation temperature from 0°C to +40°C
- Exposure to UV due to solar radiation of the anchor not protected by rendering  $\leq 6$  weeks

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<b>Intended use</b> Specifications	

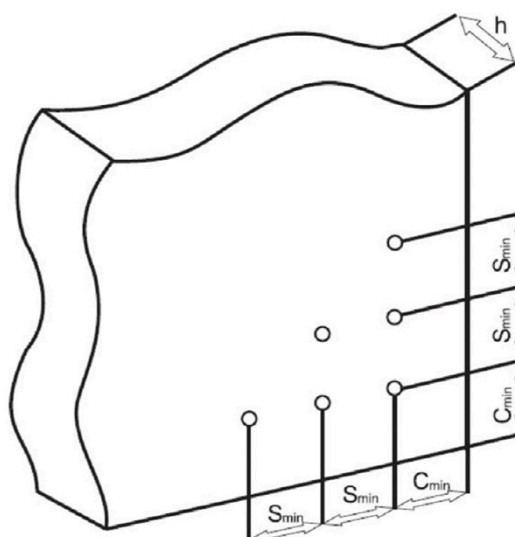
**Table B1: Installation parameters**

Anchore type		TFIX-8M
Drill hole diameter	$d_o = [\text{mm}]$	8
Cutting diameter of drill bit	$d_{\text{cut}} < [\text{mm}]$	8,45
Depth of drilled hole to deepest point	$h_1 > [\text{mm}]$	35
Effective anchorage depth	$h_{\text{ef}} \geq [\text{mm}]$	25

**Table B2: Anchor distances and dimensions of members**

Anchore type		TFIX-8M
Minimum spacing	$s_{\text{min}} = [\text{mm}]$	100
Minimum edge distance	$c_{\text{min}} = [\text{mm}]$	100
Minimum thickness of member	$h = [\text{mm}]$	100

**Scheme of distances and spacing**

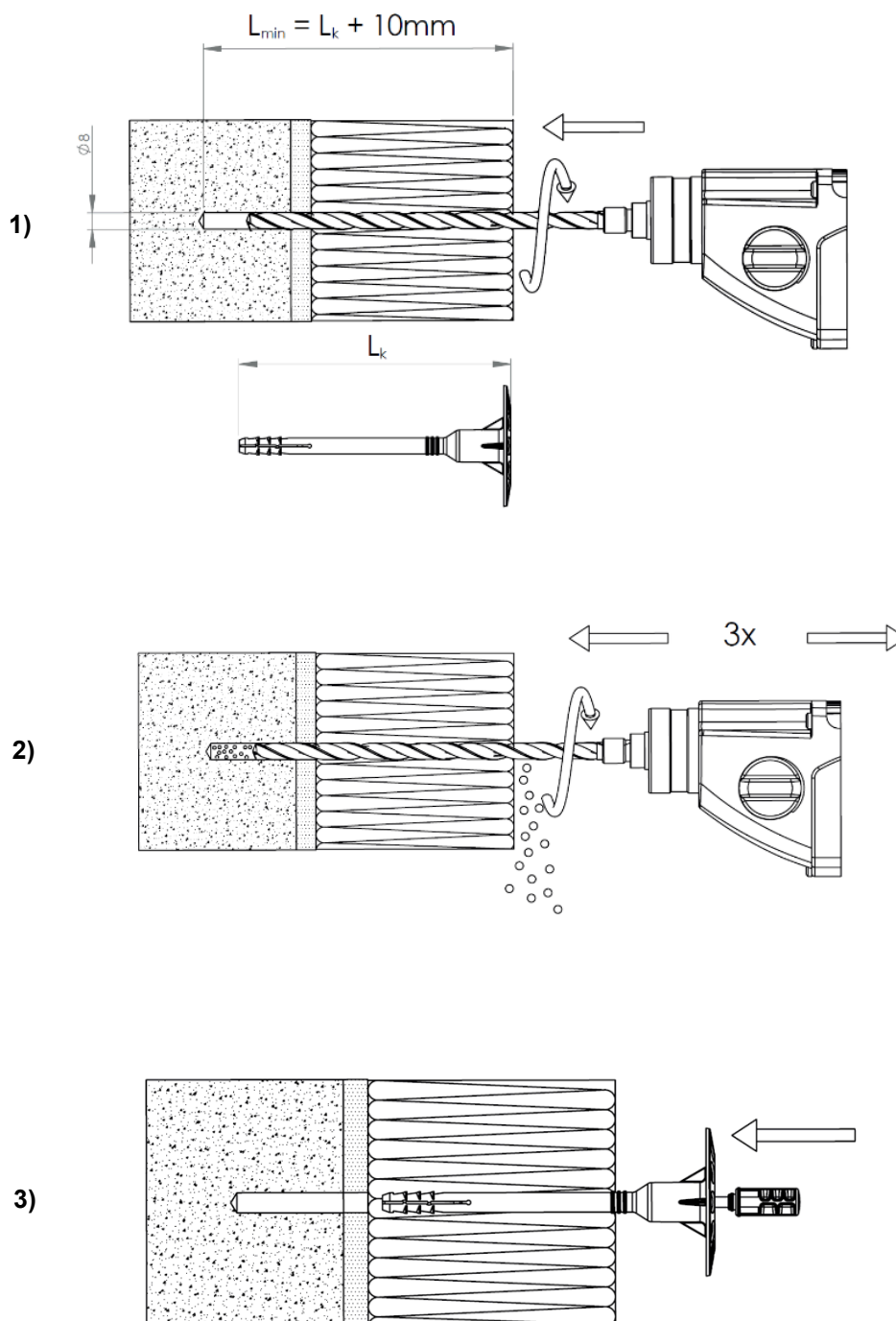


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**Intended use**  
Installation parameters, edge distances and spacing

Annex B 2

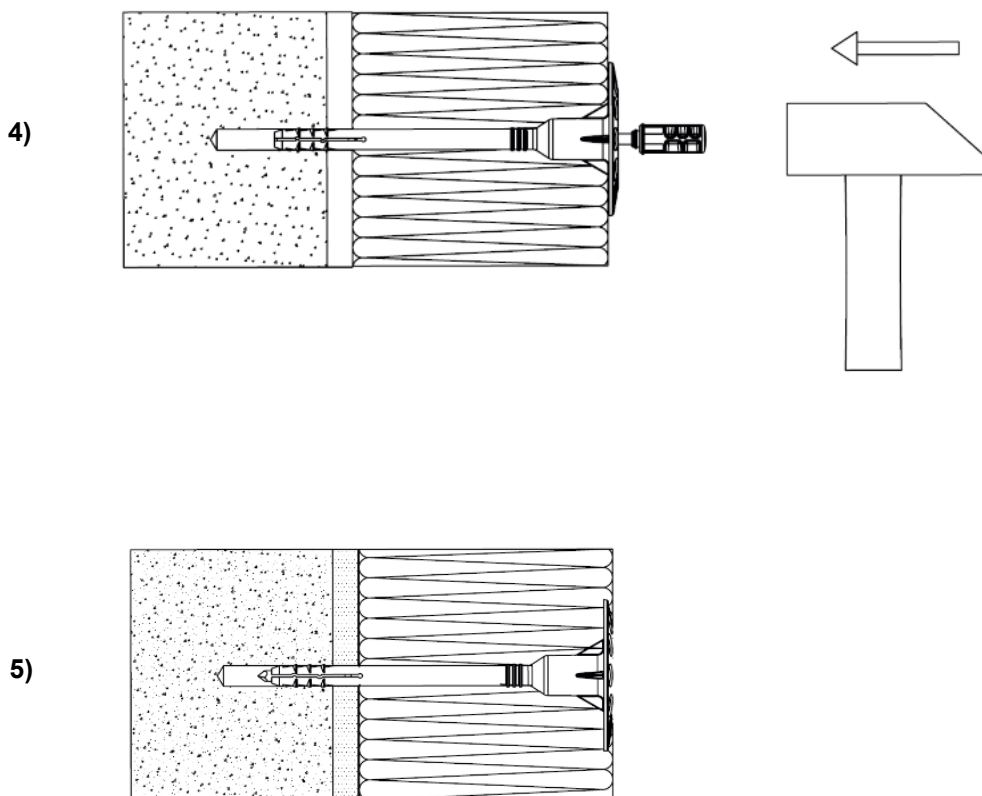
## Installation instructions



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**Intended use**  
Installation instructions

Annex B 3



- 1) Drill hole perpendicular to the substrate surface
- 2) Clean the drill hole 3x
- 3) Put TFIX-8M into hole
- 4) Drive in the anchor with the hammer, the bottom side of the plate must be flush with the ETICS
- 5) Installed condition of the TFIX-8M

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**Intended use**  
Installation instructions

Annex B 4

**Table C1: Characteristic resistance to tension loads  $N_{RK}$  [kN] in concrete and masonry for single anchor**

Anchor type					TFIX-8M
Base material	Bulk density $\rho$ [kg/dm <sup>3</sup> ]	Minimum compressive strength $f_b$ [N/mm <sup>2</sup> ]	General remarks	Drilling method <sup>1)</sup>	$N_{RK}$ [kN]
Concrete C12/15 – C50/60 as per EN 206:2013+A1:2016		-	Compacted normal weight concrete without fibres	H	1,2
Clay brick, Mz as per EN 771-1:2011+A1:2015	≥ 2,0	12	Vertically perforation <sup>2)</sup> up to 15%	H	1,2
Sand-lime solid bricks (calcium silikate), KS as per EN 771-2:2011+A1:2015	≥ 1,8	12	Vertically perforation <sup>2)</sup> up to 15%	H	1,2
Sand-lime solid bricks (calcium silikate), KSL as per EN 771-2:2011+A1:2015	≥ 1,6	12	Vertically perforation <sup>2)</sup> > 15% and ≤ 50% outer web thickness ≥ 20 mm <sup>3)</sup>	H	0,9
Perforated clay bricks, HLz as per EN 771-1:2011+A1:2015	≥ 1,0	12	Vertically perforation <sup>2)</sup> > 15% and ≤ 50% outer web thickness ≥ 14 mm <sup>3)</sup>	D	0,6
Lightweight concrete solid block, Vbl as per EN 771-3:2011+A1:2015	≥ 0,7	4	Proportion of handle hole to resting area up to 10%, maximum size of handle hole: length = 110 mm width = 45 mm	D	0,3
Lightweight concrete hollow block, Hbl, as per EN 771-3:2011+A1:2015	≥ 0,9	2	outer web thickness ≥ 35 mm <sup>3)</sup>	D	0,5
Lightweight concrete solid brick, V as per EN 771-3:2011+A1:2015	≥ 1,2	6	Proportion of handle hole to resting area up to 10%, maximum size of handle hole: length = 110 mm width = 45 mm	H	0,5

1) H = hammer drill, D = rotary drill

2) Cross section reduced by perforation vertically to the resting area

3) The value for  $N_{RK}$  applies only for the given minimum outer web thickness; otherwise the characteristic resistance shall be determined by job site pull-out tests.

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**Performances**  
Characteristic resistance of the anchor

Annex C 1

**Table C2: Point thermal transmittance according EOTA Technical Report TR 025:2016-05**

Anchor type	Insulation thickness $h_d$ [mm]	Point thermal transmittance $\chi$ [W/K]
TFIX-8M	50 - 270	0,002

**Table C3: Plate stiffness according EOTA TR 026:2016-05**

Anchor type	Diameter of the anchor plate [mm]	Load resistance of the anchor plate [kN]	Plate stiffness [kN/mm]
TFIX-8M	60	1,75	1,0

**Table C4: Displacements**

Anchor type	Bulk density $\rho$ [kg/dm <sup>3</sup> ]	Minimum compressive strength $f_b$ [N/mm <sup>2</sup> ]	Tension load  N [kN]	Displacements  $\Delta \delta_N$ [mm]
Concrete C12/15 - C50/60 (EN 206:2013+A1:2016)			0,40	0,5
Clay brick, Mz (EN 771-1:2011+A1:2015)	≥ 2,0	12	0,40	0,7
Sand-lime solid bricks (calcium silikate), KS (EN 771-2:2011+A1:2015)	≥ 1,8	12	0,40	0,8
Sand-lime solid bricks (calcium silikate), KSL (EN 771-2:2011+A1:2015)	≥ 1,4	12	0,30	0,4
Perforated clay bricks, HLz (EN 771-1:2011+A1:2015)	≥ 1,0	12	0,20	0,6
Lightweight concrete solid block, Vbl (EN 771-3:2011+A1:2015)	≥ 0,7	4	0,10	0,2
Lightweight concrete hollow block, Hbl (EN 771-3:2011+A1:2015)	≥ 0,9	2	0,15	0,3
Lightweight concrete solid brick, V (EN 771-3:2011+A1:2015)	≥ 1,2	6	0,15	0,3

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**Performances**  
Point thermal transmittance, plate stiffness and displacements

Annex C 2