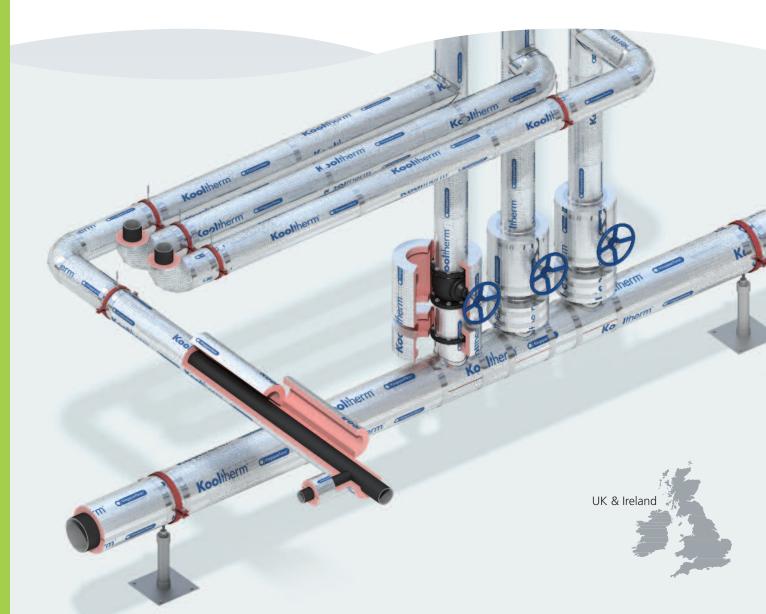


# **Kool**therm<sup>®</sup> Quick Guide

HVAC & Building Services Pipe Insulation



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# Kingspan Tarec<sup>®</sup> Industrial Insulation

The Kingspan Tarec<sup>®</sup> Industrial Insulation joint venture was created through the merger of Tarec Insulation, a division of Recticel NV and Kingspan Insulation pipe and slabstock business based in Glossop.

The joint venture has brought together two companies with over 30 years of experience in the Building Services and Industrial insulation markets, with a worldwide reputation for high quality thermal insulation.



# **Kingspan Insulation & Recticel NV**

#### Kingspan Insulation

Kingspan Insulation is a division of Kingspan Group plc, one of Europe's fastest growing building materials manufacturers. Kingspan Group plc was formed in 1970 and is a publically quoted group of companies with its headquarters in Kingscourt, County Cavan, Ireland.



Insulation



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#### **Recticel NV**

Recticel NV is a leading producer and converter of rigid and flexible foams for the insulation, industrial, furniture and automotive industries, and a major manufacturer of bedding products.

Built on a foundation of advanced technology and superior quality, Recticel has created a prominent position in the foam industry.





Flexible Foams



Bedding



Insulation



Automotive



# **Kool**therm®

HVAC & Building Services Pipe Insulation

Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> Pipe Insulation comprises one metre long sections of Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> Insulation faced with a factory-applied aluminium foil vapour barrier jacket autohesively bonded to the insulation core during manufacture.

Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> Pipe Insulation is available in a range of thicknesses to suit different performance specifications and may be used on mild steel, stainless steel, copper and plastic pipework in standard and non-standard pipe diameters.

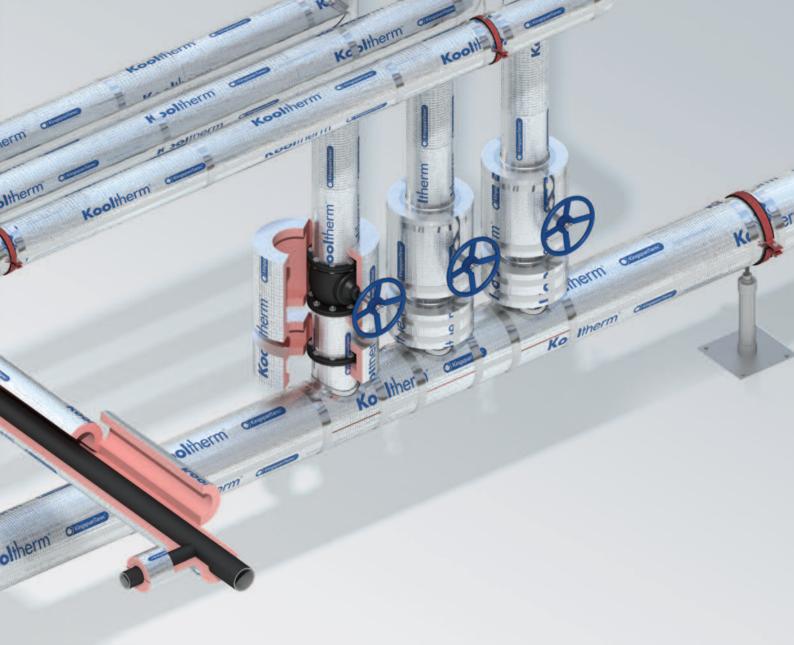
Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> Pipe insulation is available in a standard density of 37 kg/m<sup>3</sup>.

Higher density pipe insulation sections and insulated pipe supports fabricated from Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> Insulation in 60 kg/m<sup>3</sup>, 80 kg/m<sup>3</sup> and 120 Kg/m<sup>3</sup> densities are also available upon special request.

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# Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> Insulated Pipe Support Inserts

Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> Insulated Pipe Support Inserts provide optimal load bearing capacity whilst offering protection against insulation compression. Designed for use in pipe supports, hanger brackets and clamps, they will support the compressive loads imposed by horizontal pipework carrying water or other liquids.



## Aluminium Foil Vapour Barrier Jacket

All Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> Pipe Insulation System products are faced, as standard, with an extremely durable and protective low vapour permeability aluminium foil vapour barrier jacket reinforced with a glass scrim.

The aluminium foil vapour barrier jacket is factory-applied to avoid onsite application, which carries the risk of vapour barrier damage and with it, a risk to the integrity of the system. This also reduces the labour cost for installation of the Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> Pipe Insulation System.

A matching self–adhesive aluminium foil vapour barrier tape is available to complete the vapour barrier at joints and breaks.



### **Thermal Performance**

With a thermal conductivity as low as 0.021 W/m·K (at 10°C mean), Kooltherm® Insulation is the most thermally efficient insulation material commonly used. A low thermal conductivity allows specified thermal performance standards to be achieved with thinner insulation.

The superior thermal performance of Kooltherm® Insulation derives mainly from its closed cell properties. Its closed cell structure has been optimised to resist heat transfer. The closed cells have a small solid to void volume ratio, are small and uniform in size, and their construction very fine with extremely thin walls and minimum point

contacts (struts). They are filled with a thermally efficient CFC/HCFC-free blowing agent that has zero Ozone Depletion Potential (ODP) and low Global Warming Potential (GWP).

As a result of its closed cell structure, Kooltherm® Insulation is unaffected by air infiltration problems that can be experienced with mineral fibre and which can reduce thermal performance.

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Rock Nineral Fibre

Expanded Dolystrene (Eps)

Glass Nineral Fibre

Extruded Polystyrene Aps,

# Kooltherm® Insulation Moisture Resistance

Kooltherm® Insulation has a 95% (or greater) closed cell structure, which makes it non-wicking and highly resistant to moisture penetration.

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The risk of moisture absorption into the insulation is effectively eliminated as the factory-applied aluminium foil facing to Kooltherm® Pipe Insulation System products provides a high performance vapour barrier jacket.



## Fire

Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> Insulation and Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> High-Density Insulation have a densely cross-linked structure that makes them difficult to ignite and when subjected to fire, the outer surface forms a strong carbonaceous layer that limits heat generation and retards further flame spread.

The excellent fire and smoke performance characteristics of Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> Insulation and Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> High-Density Insulation clearly demonstrates their suitability for the designated application, with the test results below enabling Kooltherm to be classified to the Building Regulations as Class O.

Property	Test Method	Typical Result
Reaction to fire	EN 13501-1	BL - s1, d0
Fire propagation	BS 476–6	Index of performance (I) not exceeding 12 and sub-index ( $i_1$ ) not exceeding 6*
Flame spread	BS 476–7	Class 1*

\* These test results combined enable a Class 0 classification to the Building Regulations in England & Wales, Northern Ireland and the Republic of Ireland, and a Low Risk classification to the Building Standards in Scotland.

## Environmental

Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> Insulation and Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> High-Density Insulation are based on award winning patented technology. They are CFC/HCFC-free non-fibrous, premium performance rigid thermoset modified resin insulants manufactured with a blowing agent that has zero Ozone Depletion Potential (ODP) and low Global Warming Potential (GWP).

Details of compliance with BREEAM can be found on www.kingspantarec.com/tarecUK/environmental.htm



Manufactured to BS EN ISO 9001: 2008 Certificate No. 935626/1



Manufactured to BS EN ISO 9001: 2008 Certificate No. 035/2 BS EN ISO 14001: 2004 Certificate No. EMS 035/2





#### Insulation Thickness Table to Control Heat Loss

	Water at 60°C			Water	at 75°C	
S	teel Pipe Siz	e	Kooltherm®	max. heat loss	Kooltherm®	max. heat loss
NB (inches)	NB (mm)	OD (mm)		(W/m)		(W/m)
3/8	10	17.2	15	6.60	15	8.90
1/2	15	21.3	15	7.13	15	9.28
3⁄4	20	26.9	15	7.83	20	10.06
1	25	33.7	20	8.62	20	11.07
11⁄4	32	42.4	20	9.72	20	12.30
11/2	40	48.3	20	10.21	25	12.94
2	50	60.3	20	11.57	25	14.45
21/2	65	76.1	25	13.09	25	16.35
3	80	88.9	25	14.58	25	17.91
4	100	114.3	25	17.20	30	20.77
5	125	139.7	25	19.65	30	23.71
6	150	168.3	25	22.31	30	26.89
8	200	219.1	30	27.52	30	32.54
10	250	273.0	35	38.83		
Estimated Mean Temperature of Insulation: Ambient Air Temperature: Surface Emissivity ε (Outer Surface): Assumed Thermal Conductivity (k–value) of Kooltherm® 37kg/m³ Insulation:					+50°C +15°C 0.05 0.025 Wh	m·K

Table 1: Indicative Thickness (mm) of Insulation for Non-Domestic Hot Water (60°C) and Low Temperature Heating Service Areas (75°C) to Control Heat Loss

(Based on Non-domestic Building Services Compliance Guide: 2010 Edition, Section 11; TIMSA HVAC Guide Sections 6.2.1 & 6.2.2; and BS 5422:2009 Tables 15 & 17)

#### Insulation Thickness Table to Control Heat Gain

		Water at 0°C			Wate	r at 5°C
S	teel Pipe Siz	e	Kooltherm®	max. heat gain	Kooltherm®	max. heat gain
NB (inches)	NB (mm)	OD (mm)		(W/m)		(W/m)
<sup>3</sup> /8	10	17.2	15	3.47	15	2.97
1/2	15	21.3	15	3.81	15	3.27
3⁄4	20	26.9	15	4.18	15	3.58
1	25	33.7	15	4.60	15	4.01
11⁄4	32	42.4	15	5.11	15	4.53
11⁄2	40	48.3	15	5.45	15	4.82
2	50	60.3	20	6.17	15	5.48
21⁄2	65	76.1	20	6.70	15	6.30
3	80	88.9	20	7.77	15	6.90
4	100	114.3	20	9.15	15	8.31
5	125	139.7	20	10.45	20	9.49
6	150	168.3	25	11.86	20	10.97
8	200	219.1	25	14.61	20	13.57
10	250	273.0	25	17.48	20	16.28
Ambient Air Temperature:+25°CRelative Humidity:80%Surface Emissivity ε (Outer Surface):0.05Assumed Thermal Conductivity (k–value) of Kooltherm® 37kg/m³ Insulation:0.021 W/m·K					m∙K	

Table 2: Minimum Thickness (mm) of Insulation required for chilled water supplies to control heat gain (Based on Non-domestic Building Services Compliance Guide: 2010 Edition, Section 11; TIMSA HVAC Guide Sections 6.2.3; and BS 5422:2009 Table 10)



#### Insulation Thickness Table to Control Condensation

S	teel Pipe Siz	e	Wate	r Temperature	
NB (inches)	NB (mm)	OD (mm)	0°C	5°C	10°C
3/8	10	17.2	20	20	15
1/2	15	21.3	20	20	15
3⁄4	20	26.9	25	20	15
1	25	33.7	25	20	15
11⁄4	32	42.4	25	20	15
11/2	40	48.3	30	25	15
2	50	60.3	30	25	20
21/2	65	76.1	30	25	20
3	80	88.9	35	25	20
4	100	114.3	35	30	20
5	125	139.7	40	30	20
6	150	168.3	40	30	25
8	200	219.1	40	35	25
10	250	273.0	45	35	25
<i>Relative Hu</i> <i>Surface Em</i>	Ambient Air Temperature: Relative Humidity: Surface Emissivity ε (Outer Surface): Assumed Thermal Conductivity (k–value) of Kooltherm® 37kg/m³ Insulation:				

Table 3: Minimum Thickness (mm) of Insulation required for cold and chilled water supplies to control condensation (Based on Non-domestic Building Services Compliance Guide: 2010 Edition, Section 11; TIMSA HVAC Guide Sections 7.2; and BS 5422:2009 Table 8)

#### Insulation Thickness Table to Protect Against Freezing

St	eel Pipe Siz	e	Pipe Lo	ocation
NB (inches)	NB (mm)	OD (mm)	Indoor	Outdoor
1/2	15	21.3	20	45
3⁄4	20	26.9	15	25
1	25	33.7	15	15
11⁄4	32	42.4	15	15
11⁄2	40	48.3	15	15
2	50	60.3	15	15
21⁄2	65	76.1	15	15
3	80	88.9	15	15

Copper Pipe Size	Pipe L	ocation
OD (mm)	Indoor	Outdoor
15	25	70
22	15	25
28	15	15
35	15	15
42	15	15
54	15	15
76.1	15	15
108	15	15
Ambient Air Temperature – Indoor:	-6°C	
Ambient Air Temperature – Outdoor:	-10°C	
Initial Water Temperature:	+2°C	
Evaluation Period:	12 hours	
Permitted Ice Formation:	50%	
Assumed Thermal Conductivity (k-value) of Insulation:		
Kooltherm®	0.021 W/m·K	

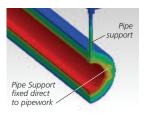
Table 4: Minimum Thickness (mm) of Insulation required to give protection against freezing under specified commercial and institutional conditions

(Based on TIMSA HVAC Guide; and BS 5422:2009)

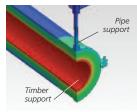


Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> Insulated Pipe Support Inserts are available to suit a full range of pipe diameters and in a full range of insulation thicknesses as shown in the following table; however, special sizes are available on request.

In addition to allowing a continuous vapour barrier on below ambient systems, thermal analysis of a +75°C LTHW system to EN ISO 10211:2007 has shown that Kooltherm Insulated Pipe Support Inserts can limit heat loss by up to 4x more than rubber lined pipe clips, 5x more than metal pipe clips and 10x more than hardwood pipe support inserts. **Conventional Pipe Support Methods** 



**Rubber lined pipe support** Thermal analysis\* illustrates heat loss of up to **4 x greater** than through the Kooltherm® Support System.



Timber support insert Thermal analysis\* illustrates significant heat loss of up to **10 x greater** than through the Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> Support System.

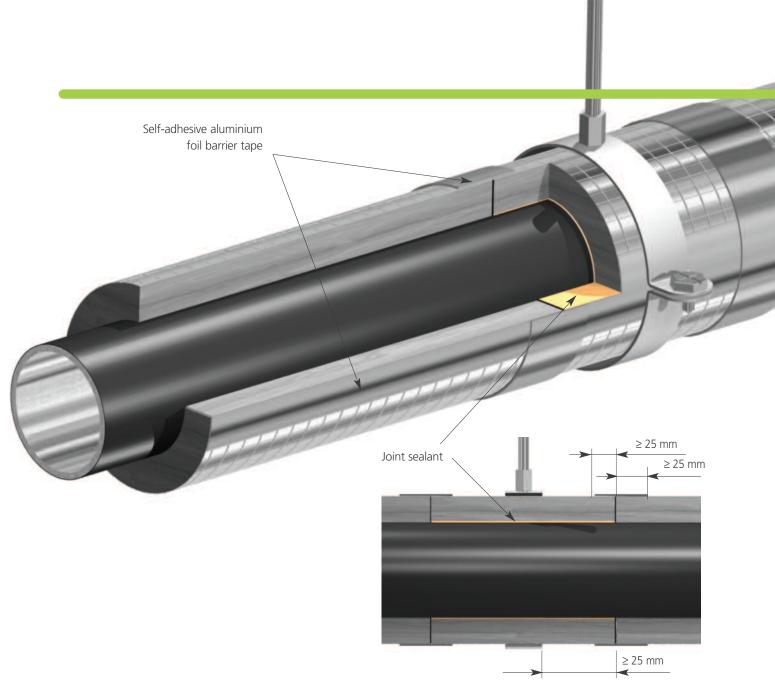
\*When analysed in accordance with BS EN ISO 10211: 2007

Load bearing calculations for the standard range of Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> Insulated Pipe Support Inserts are based upon the minimum compressive strength of the relevant density and include a safety factor of five. They are designed to support the maximum static compressive loads imposed by horizontal water filled mild steel and copper pipework with hanger supports spaced at the maximum centres shown below. Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> Insulated Pipe Support Inserts are not designed to accommodate pipe anchor loads and stresses.

Ste	eel Pipe S	ize		Koolthe	rm <sup>®</sup> Insulated Pipe	Support Inserts	
DN (in)	DN (mm)	OD (mm)	Length (mm)	Max. Load (kg)	Spreader Plate (mm)	Support Distance (m)	Density (kg/m³)
1/2	15	21.3	99	12	none	3	60
3⁄4	20	26.9	99	15	none	3	60
1	25	33.7	99	19	none	3	60
11⁄4	32	42.4	99	23	none	3	60
11/2	40	48.3	99	27	1.0	4	60
2	50	60.3	99	33	1.0	4	60
21/2	65	76.1	99	62	1.0	4	80
3	80	88.9	99	73	1.0	4	80
4	100	114.3	99	94	1.0	4	80
5	125	139.7	99	115	1.0	6	80
6	150	168.3	124	410	1.5	6	120
8	200	219.1	124	534	1.5	6	120
10	250	273.0	124	666	2.0	6	120
12	300	323.9	200	1265	2.0	4	120
14	350	355.6	200	1389	2.0	4	120
16	400	406.4	200	1585	2.0	4	120
18	450	457.0	200	1784	2.0	4	120

#### **Steel Pipe**

Values given are based upon Kooltherm® insulated pipe support inserts with an integral metal spreader plate.



#### **Copper Pipe**

	Steel P	ipe Size		Koolthe	rm <sup>®</sup> Insulated Pipe	Support Inserts	
DN (in)	DN (mm)	OD (mm)	Length (mm)	Max. Load (kg)	Spreader Plate (mm)	Support Distance (m)	Density (kg/m³)
_	_	15	99	9	none	3	60
-	-	22	99	12	none	3	60
-	_	28	99	15	none	3	60
_	_	35	99	19	none	3	60
_	_	42	99	23	none	3	60
-	_	54	99	30	1.0	4	60
_	_	67	99	45	1.0	4	60
-	_	76	99	62	1.0	4	80

Values given are based upon Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> insulated pipe support inserts with an integral metal spreader plate.



#### **General Physical Properties (Kooltherm® Insulation)**

Property	Test Method	Unit		Туріса	l Value	
Nominal Density	(EN ISO 845) / (ASTM D 1622)	kg/m³	37	60	80	120
Thermal Conductivity at +10°C	(EN 12667) / (ASTM C 518)	W/m∙K	0.021	0.029	0.030	0.032
Colour		(	Grey / Pink	Grey	Grey	Grey
Closed Cell Content	(EN ISO 4590) Method 1 / (ASTM D 2856) Method B	%	≥ 95			
Operating Temperature	Upper Limit	°C	≥95 +120	+120	+120	+120
	Lower Limit	°C	-50	-50	-50	-50
Minimum Compressive	(EN 826) / (ASTM D 1621)					
Strength at +23°C	Parallel	kPa	150	320	590	100
	Perpendicular	kPa	100	170	440	800

#### General Physical Properties (Aluminium Foil Vapour Barrier Jacket)

Property	Test Method	Unit	Typical Value
Weight	(DIN EN ISO 536)	g/m²	96
Thickness	(EDANA)	mm	471
Tensile Strength MD/CD	(DIN EN ISO 1924-2)	N/15 mm	> 40 / > 15
Elongation	(DIN EN ISO 1924-2)	%	< 7
Water Vapour Transmission	(ASTM F 1249)	g/m².24 hr	< 0.1

#### Fire Test Classifications (Kooltherm<sup>®</sup> Insulation)

Property	Test Method	Typical Result
Reaction to fire	EN 13501-1	BL - s1, d0
Fire propagation	BS 476–6	Index of performance (I) not exceeding 12 and sub-index ( $i_1$ ) not exceeding 6*
Flame spread	BS 476–7	Class 1*

\* These test results combined enable a Class 0 classification to the Building Regulations in England & Wales, Northern Ireland and the Republic of Ireland, and a Low Risk classification to the Building Standards in Scotland.

# All KingspanTarec<sup>®</sup> cardboard packaging is 100% recycled content.



# **Case Studies**



#### The Venetian® Macao-Resort-Hotel

LOCATION Cotai Strip, Macau

CLIENT Las Vegas Sands Corporation

ARCHITECTS

Aedas Architects Ltd (Lead Consultant & Executive), and HKS, Inc (Lead Design)

ENGINEERS

Parson Brinckerhoff (MEP), and Ove Arup & Partners HK Ltd (Structural)

#### MAIN CONTRACTOR

Hsin Chong Engineering (Macau) Ltd



# **Technical Data**



#### Forum Grimaldi

LOCATION Le Larvotto, Monaco, Principality of Monaco CLIENT État monégasque ARCHITECTS Notari (Lauréat) Fabrice Notari et Frédéric Genin ENGINEERS Coyne & Bellier (Structural) Fimatec (Mechanical)

CONTRACTORS Campenon Bernard, Soletanche SAM & Viry France



#### Charles de Gaulle Airport

LOCATION Roissy, France CLIENT & ARCHITECT Aéroports de Paris (ADP)

ENGINEERS ADP, AMEC & Sechaud et Bossuyt





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