Technical Specification

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GypCeiling MF C10A016 (EN)

GypCeiling MF suspended ceiling fixed to concrete structure to give a 400mm plenum depth and lined with one layer of Gyptone Quattro 47.



Background

Structural background	Concrete					
Framework						
Soffit connection	Gypframe MF12 Soffit Cleat					
Suspension type	Gypframe MF8 Strap Hanger	Suspension centres - Max (mm)	1200			
Suspension type (alternative)	Gypframe FEA1 Steel Angle					
Strap hanger should be used for suspension up to 1000mm. Steel angle section can be used up to 5600mm.						
Suspension fixing	Gypframe MF11 Nut and Bolt					
	British Gypsum Wafer Head Jack-Point Screws 13mm					
Lower end of suspension fixed to primary framework using two wafer head screws and upper end of suspension secured to soffit via soffit cleat / nut and bolt. If plenum depth						

Lower end of suspension fixed to primary framework using two wafer head screws and upper end of suspension secured to soffit via soffit cleat / nut and bolt. If plenum depth greater than 2900mm use two angle sections overlapped by 200mm and fixed together using three British Gypsum Wafer Head Drywall Screws 13mm.

Primary framework	Gypframe MF7 Primary Support Channel	Primary framework centres - Max (mm)	1200			
Secondary framework	Gypframe MF5 Ceiling Section	Secondary framework centres - Max (mm)	600			
Framework fixing	British Gypsum Wafer Head Jack-Point Screws 13mm					
Framework fixing (alternative)	Gypframe MF9 Connecting Clip					
Ceiling sections fixed to primary framework using wafer head screws or clips.						
Perimeter framing	Gypframe MF6 Perimeter Channel					

Perimeter channel suitably fixed to background at 600mm centres.

Insulation

No insulation

Board and fixings

Ceiling board, Layer 1	Gyptone Quattro 47	Ceiling screws, Layer 1	British Gypsum Drywall Screws 25mm
Fix ceiling boards securely to all suppo	rts at maximum 230mm centres. Fix working fro	om the centre of each board. I	Position screws not less than 13mm from cut edges and 10mm
from bound edges of boards. Set screv	v heads flush with plasterboard surface; do not	break paper or gypsum core.	

Access hatch Gyptone Quattro 47 Access Hatch

Access in to ceiling cavity can be achieved by installing a complete frame and hatch comprising a frame 600mm x 600mm x 12.5mm thick and hatch opening 510mm x 510mm x 19mm thick including back panel.

Finish coat

To achieve the specified performances, the system should be finished using Gyproc jointing products. See the product range guides on the British Gypsum website for more information.

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System performance

Please read performance data with any associated standards.

Sound absorption class	D
Sound absorption coefficient (αw)	0.35
Minimum cavity / plenum (mm)	400
Maximum ceiling load (kg/m2)	30

Maximum cavity / plenum (mm)

5600

Standards

These standards relate to the above performance data.

BS EN 20354, Acoustics - Measurement of sound absorption in a reverberation room.

Further information

SpecSure® system performance warranty confirms that British Gypsum proprietary systems will perform as specified for the lifetime of the building. The SpecSure® warranty requires that all components are specified in full and constructed in accordance with British Gypsum's installation guidance. For more details see the British Gypsum website. Always check with the design team before making any changes to the chosen specification, ensuring appropriate substantiation is sought to confirm that the solution still meets all required project performances.

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