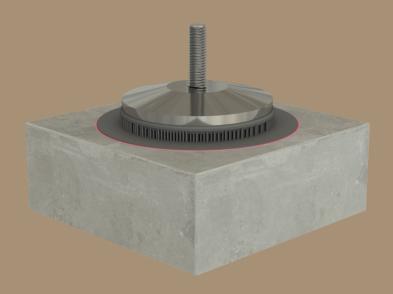


# TECHNICAL DATASHEET C-BLOCK<sup>TM</sup>

The Anti-Seismic Bonded Plate for Concrete Support



## THE BONDED ANTISISMIC FASTENER FOR CONCRETE

C-BLOCK<sup>TM</sup> is a mechanically strong fixing point that is bonded directly to the concrete. The advantage of this anchor is its non-intrusive nature in the concrete (no drilling).

C-BLOCK<sup>™</sup> is a bonded assembly. It consists of the following items:

- a circular steel plate with a threaded rod,
- an intermediate deformation layer of polymer,
- a nut and a washer.

## **VERSIONS:**

- C-BLOCK<sup>TM</sup> T: Temporary applications (<6 months)
- C-BLOCK<sup>TM</sup> L: Permanent applications (up to 60 years)







Cracked concrete

#### **STANDARDS**

EAD 330499-00-0601, 2017 | EAD 330232-00-0601, 2016 EN1992-4, 2018 | EN1992-1-1, 2005





Non-intrusive

Removable

## **AVAILABLE RANGES**

Designation	C-BLOCK <sup>™</sup> T	C-BLOCK <sup>™</sup> L
M8 & M10	On request	On request
M12	Available	Available

## STANDARD SERVICE CONDITIONS (1)

Fea	tures	C-BLOCK <sup>™</sup> T	C-BLOCK <sup>™</sup> L
$\blacksquare$	Expected service life	6 months	Up to 60 years
<b>^</b>	Environment	Indoor locations	Indoor locations <sup>1</sup>
•	Humidity	≤ 80%	≤ 60%
	Service temperature	5°C ≤ T ≤ 35°C	5°C ≤ T ≤ 25°C
	Accidental temperature	40°C	40°C
**	Radiation exposure	"worker zone" (ie. <2 mSv/h)	"worker zone" (ie. <2 mSv/h)
Livin	Min. thickness of concrete substrate	100 mm	100 mm
Livi	Min. distance to the edge	100 mm	100 mm
Livi	Min. distance between 2 C-BLOCKs	160 mm	160 mm
	Seismic resistance	No	Qualification on-going

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For any deviation from the standard service conditions presented in this Technical datasheet, please contact COLD PAD for a case by case study.

## PRECALCULATED VALUES / STATIC LOADS

Non-cracked C25/30 concrete - C-BLOCK<sup>™</sup> T (temporary version) and C-BLOCK<sup>™</sup> L (permanent version)

	Tensi	le strength (kN)		Shear (kN)
C-BLOCK <sup>™</sup>	Design resistance $N_{rd,ucr}$		Design resistance $V_{rd,ucr}$	
	C-BLOCK <sup>™</sup> T	C-BLOCK <sup>™</sup> L	$C$ -BLOCK $^{TM}$ T	C-BLOCK <sup>™</sup> L
M12	5.7	Qualification on-going	4.6	Qualification on-going

The design value is obtained by statistical analysis of the results of the C-BLOCK<sup>TM</sup> qualification campaign according to the formula :

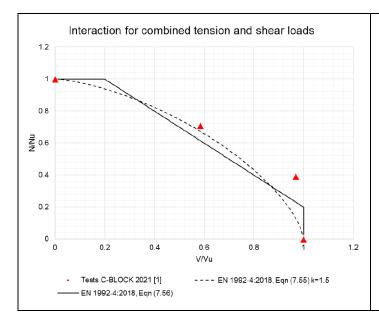
$$X_{Rd,ucr} = \frac{X_{Rk,25,ucr}}{\gamma_c * \gamma_{inst}}$$

- $X_{Rk,25,ucr}$ : Characteristic mechanical capacity (8.6 kN in tensile strength; 7 kN in shear)
- $\gamma_c = 1.5$  safety factor for permanent and transient design cases (see Eurocode 2 part 4)
- $\gamma_{inst} = 1$ : safety coefficient taking into account the proof load test

For higher grade concrete, the characteristic tensile and shear strengths are considered the same as for C25/30 concrete (conservative approach).

The pre-calculated values are obtained according to EN1992-4, EN1992-1-1, EN1990. Depending on the structure, system or components to be fixed with C-BLOCK<sup>TM</sup>, additional safety factors could be applied.

The mechanical capacities for combined tensile-shear loads are presented below:



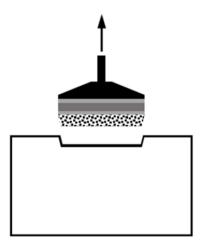
- N: tensile load
- V: shear load
- Nu : Ultimate tensile load (12.4 kN)
- Vu: Ultimate shear load (8.7 kN)

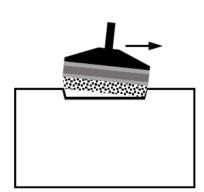


# Cracked concrete - Permanent version (C-BLOCK<sup>™</sup> L) - under qualification

## **FAILURE MODE:**

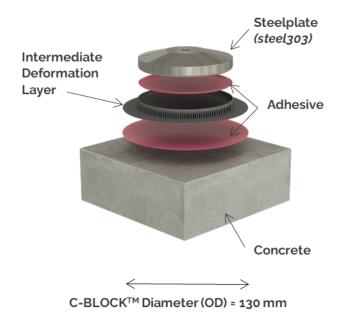
• The expected mode of failure in tensile strength and shear is predominantly failure in concrete C25/30.





# C-BLOCK<sup>TM</sup> MATERIALS

C-BLOCK <sup>TM</sup>	C-BLOCK <sup>™</sup> T	C-BLOCK <sup>™</sup> L
Dish	SS 303	SS 303
Threaded rod	A4-70	A4-70
Washer	A4	A4
Hexagonal nut	A4-70	A4-70
Adhesive	HIT-RE 500 V3	HIT-RE 500 V3
Intermediate deformation layer (IDL)	Polymer	Polymer



# C-BLOCK<sup>™</sup> DIMENSIONS

Properties	Value
Outside diameter	130 mm
Distance between the concrete surface and the bottom of the threaded rod	24 mm
Thread diameter / Height of the threaded rod	M12 / 40 mm
Weight (per unit)	1 kg

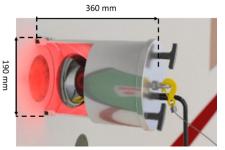
## **INSTALLATION**

## **INSTALLATION TOOLING**

Designation	Product details
Bonding tool - C-Hawk	Control box and installation bell
Temperature setting tool – C- Heat	Infrared lamp 250W
Concrete resurfacer with diamond disc	Makita PC5010C 1400 W
<ul><li>Adhesive kit</li><li>Adhesive Cartridge</li><li>Application gun</li><li>Static mixer</li></ul>	HIT RE 500 V3
Proof load kit	Hydrajaws



Installation Bell



Pre Heating Bell

## **PROOFLOAD TEST**

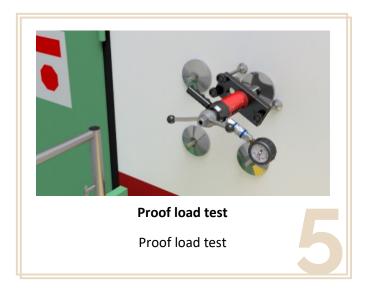
The proof load test is to be carried out on each C-BLOCK<sup>TM</sup> using the dedicated proof load test kit. The specifications of the test are as follows:

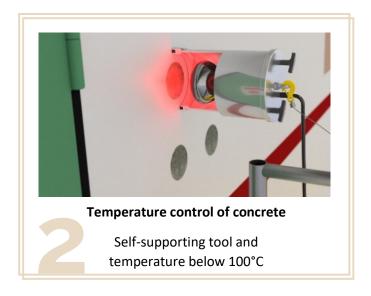
- Minimum time between the end of the bonding process and the execution of the proof load test: 16 hours (at ambient temperature)
- Test value: 5.2 kN
- Test duration: 30 seconds

## **INSTALLATION SEQUENCE**

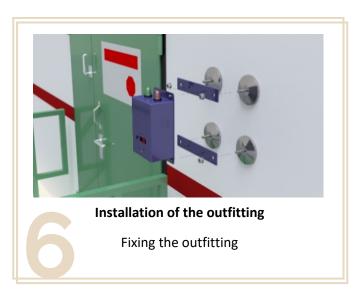












## **EXAMPLES OF APPLICATIONS:**

## **TEMPORARY APPLICATIONS:**







Scaffolding - general view



Scaffolding - zoomed view

## **PERMANENT APPLICATIONS:**







Cable trays



Electrical tooling

## **PRODUCT ROADMAP**

The C-BLOCK<sup>TM</sup> is made available on the market in three stages:

- Temporary applications for non-safety rated equipment: already available since April 2021.
- Permanent applications for non-safety rated equipment: availability expected during Q3 2022.
- Permanent applications for safety rated equipment: availability expected during Q4 2022.