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Hammerglass AB Åkagårdsvägen 269 71 Förslöv Sweden

Explosion test

(3 supplements)

1 Introduction

Hammerglass AB, Förslöv, commissioned SP Technical Research Institute of Sweden to perform an explosion protection test to a window unit. The window was manufactured from Hammerglass, a special type of polycarbonate, mounted into a steel frame.

2 Test methods

The test was performed in accordance with the following standard:

- SS-EN 13124-2-2004 "Windows, Doors And Shutters Explosion Resistance Test Method Part 2: Range Test"
- SS-EN 13123-2-2004 "Windows, Doors, And Shutters Explosion Resistance Requirements And Classification Part 2: Range Test"

Test date: 12 November 2012

Test site: Sågebacken, Uddevalla, Sweden

Test personnel: Peter Blomgren, Per-Arne Thuresson, Mikael Videby

Temperature: +4.0°C Air humidity: 68.4%

Explosive substance: Poladyn dynamite

Detonation height: The explosive charge was positioned 0.5 metres above ground level

3 Test items

Test object: Sheets of polycarbonate mounted in a steel frame. The sheets measured

1500 x 900 mm, with a thickness of 12 mm.

Manufacturer: Hammerglass AB

Drawings: See supplement 1

Photograph: A photograph of the test unit is shown in supplement 2

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4 Performance and results

4.1 Description of test object

Test no.	Test object		
1	Flat sheet mounted with 24 M8 bolts in steel frame, see supplement 1, page 1.		
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3	Curved sheet mounted with 24 M8 bolts in steel frame, see supplement 1, page 2.		
4 Extra test*	Curved sheet mounted with 24 M8 bolts in steel frame, see supplement 1, page 2.		

^{*} Same test object as in Test 3 but with a bag of stones placed next to explosive charge

4.2 Test results

Test	Class	Charge (kg)	Distance (m)	Pressure P _{so} bar	Impulse I _{so} bar/ms
1	EXR1	3	5	1.22	1.17
2	EXR2	3	3	2.06	1.77
3	EXR1	3	5	1.07	0.94
4	EXR2	3	3	1.67	1.87

5 Summary

Hammerglass AB commissioned an explosion protection test on Hammerglass sheets. The tested polycarbonate sheets met the requirements in each class in accordance with SS-EN 13123-2-2004 "Windows, Doors, And Shutters - Explosion Resistance - Requirements And Classification - Part 2: Range Test".

The measurement tolerance for pressure was \leq 2.0%, and \leq 2.0% for impulse. The test results apply solely for the examples tested.

This report was reviewed due the addition of definitions.

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Supplements

- 1. Drawings of frames (2 pages)
- 2. Photographs
- 3. Graphs

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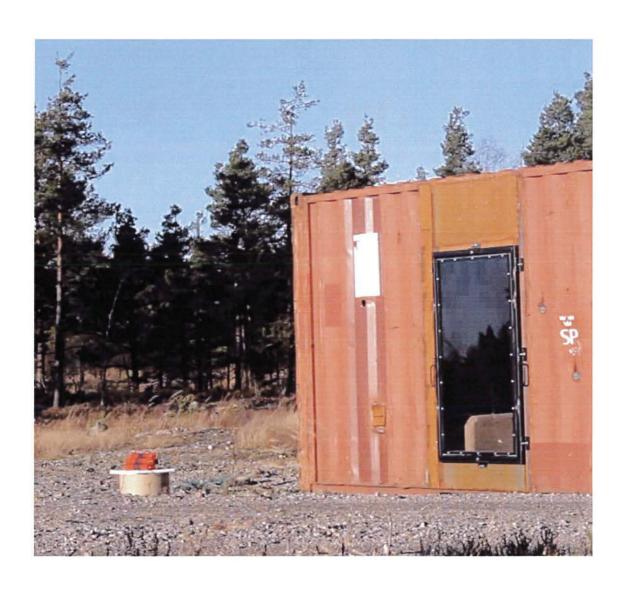




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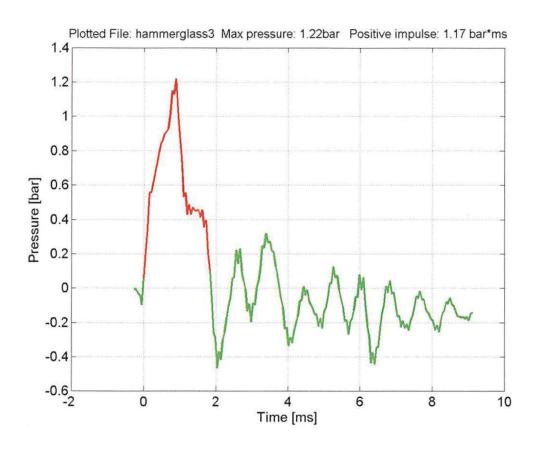




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Test 1

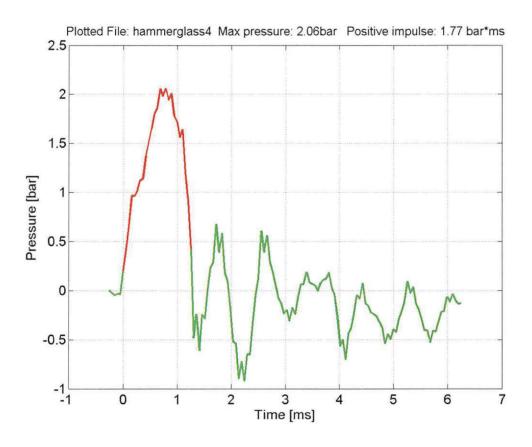




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Test 2

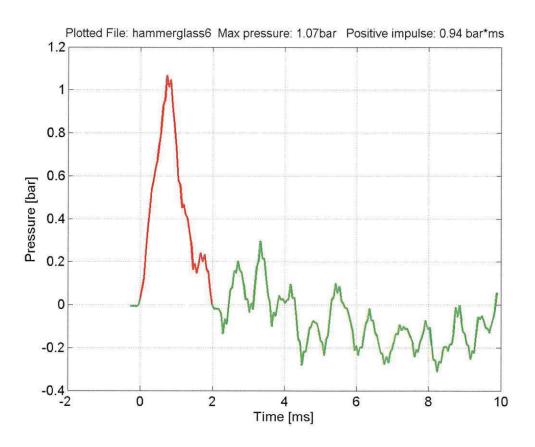




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Test 3

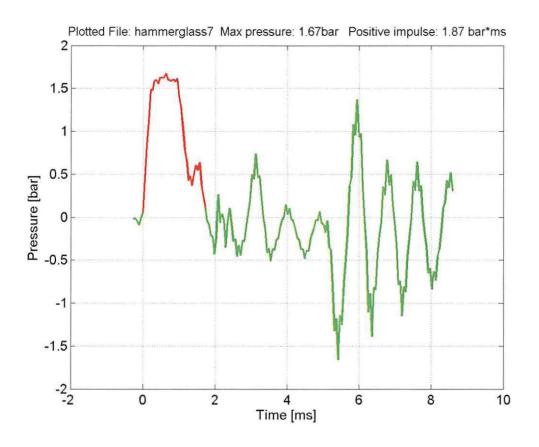




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Test 4