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## European Technical Assessment

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**Trade name of the construction product**

R-TFIX-8M  
R-TFIX-8M-095  
R-TFIX-8M-115

**Product family to which the construction  
product belongs**

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

**Manufacturer**

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**Manufacturing plant(s)**

Rawplug S.A.

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contains**

13 pages including 11 Annexes which form  
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## 1. Technical description of the product

The nailed-in plastic anchor R-TFIX-8M consist of an anchor sleeve with enlarged shaft, an insulation plate made of polypropylene, pin made of reinforced polyamide and special ring nail made of galvanized steel, steel coated by zinc flake or stainless steel as expansion element. The expanding part of the anchor sleeve is slotted.

The nailed-in plastic anchor R-TFIX-8M-095 and R-TFIX-8M-115 consist of an anchor sleeve with insulation plate made of polypropylene and an accompanying specific nail of galvanised steel. The head of the nail has an additional plastic coating.

The anchors may in addition be combined with the anchor plates KWL-90PP, R-KWL-90, KWL-110PP and R-KWL-140.

The anchor is expanded by hammering the expansion element into the anchor sleeve. The illustration and the description of the product are given in Annex A.

## 2. Specification of the intended use in accordance with the applicable EAD

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 provisions made in this European Technical Assessment are based on an assumed working life of the anchor of 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 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 in case of fire (BWR 2)

Not assessed based on EAD 330196-01-0604.

### 3.2 Safety in use (BWR 4)

Essential characteristic	Performance
Characteristic resistance under tension loads	See Annex C 1
Displacement	See Annex C 2
Plate stiffness	See Annex C 3

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

Essential characteristic	Performance
Point thermal transmittance	See Annex C 3

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

According to the Decision 97/463/EC of the European Commission<sup>1</sup>, the system 2+ of assessment verification of constancy of performance (see Annex V to the Regulation (EU) No 305/2011) apply.

## 5. Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system, as provided in the applicable EAD

Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system are laid down in the control plan deposited at Technical and Test Institute for Construction Prague.

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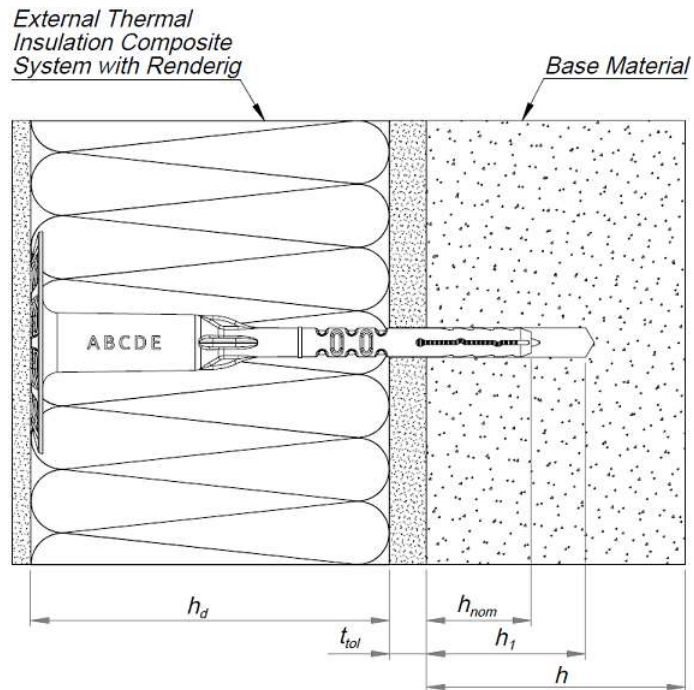
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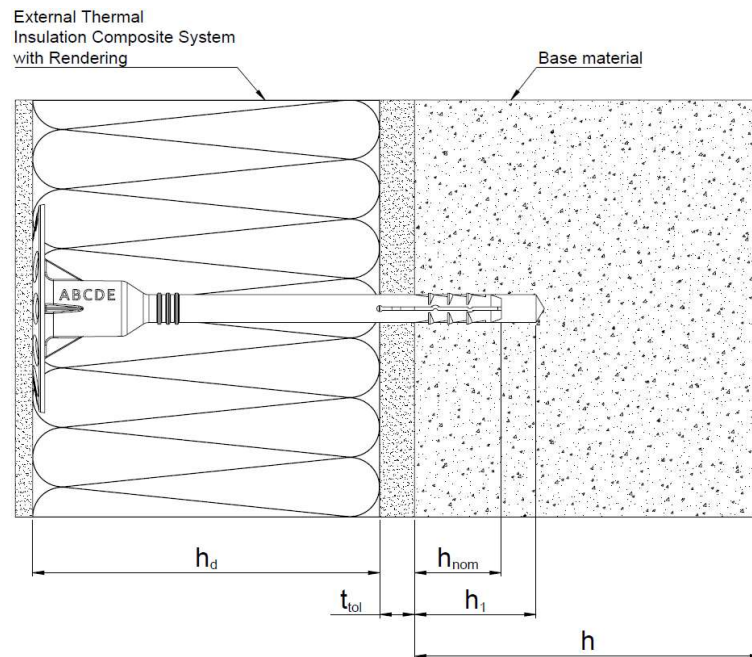


<sup>1</sup> Official Journal of the European Communities L 198/31 25.7.1997

## R-TFIX-8M



## R-TFIX-8M-095, R-TFIX-8M-115



- $h_{nom}$  = overall plastic anchor embedment depth in the base material
- $h$  = 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

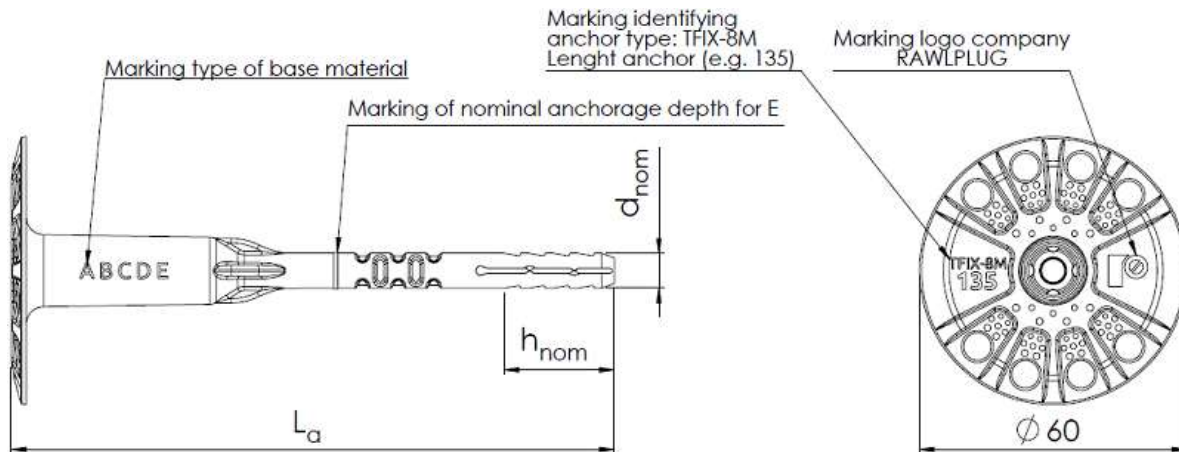
### R-TFIX-8M, R-TFIX-8M-095, R-TFIX-8M-115

**Product description**  
Installed conditions

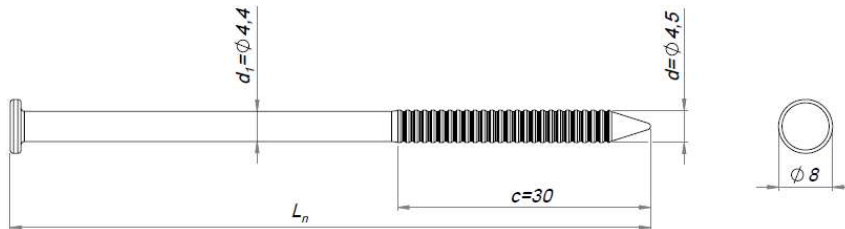
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## R-TFIX-8M

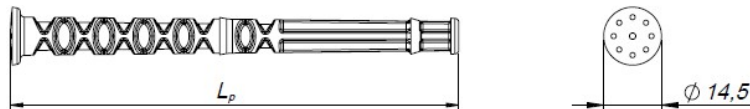
### Anchor sleeve



### Nail



### Pin



**Table A1: Dimensions R-TFIX-8M**

Anchor type	Anchor sleeve			Nail	Pin
	$h_{nom} = h_{ef}$ [mm]		$\phi d_{nom}$ [mm]		
Use category	A, B, C, D	E			
R-TFIX-8M	25	45/65	8	85 - 185	41 - 113

Determination of max. thickness of insulation:

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

e.g.  $L_a = 135$  mm,  $t_{tol} = 10$  mm,  $h_{nom} = 25$  mm,  $h_d = 135 - 10 - 25 = 100$  mm

**Table A2: Materials of anchor R-TFIX-8M**

Designation	Color	Material
Anchor sleeve	Natural, white, red, grey, yellow, black, blue, green, orange	Virgin plastic - Polypropylene
Expansion nail	Natural	Galvanized steel, steel coated by zinc flake or stainless steel
Pin	Blue, natural, white, red, grey, yellow, black, green, orange	Glass fibre reinforced polyamide

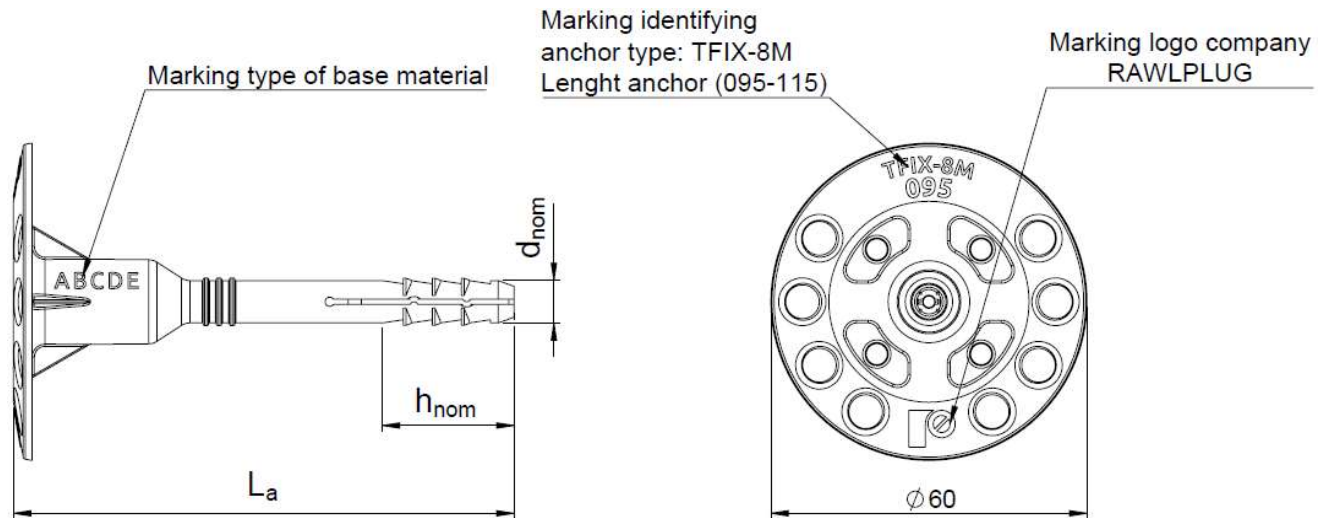
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**Product description**  
 Dimensions  
 Materials

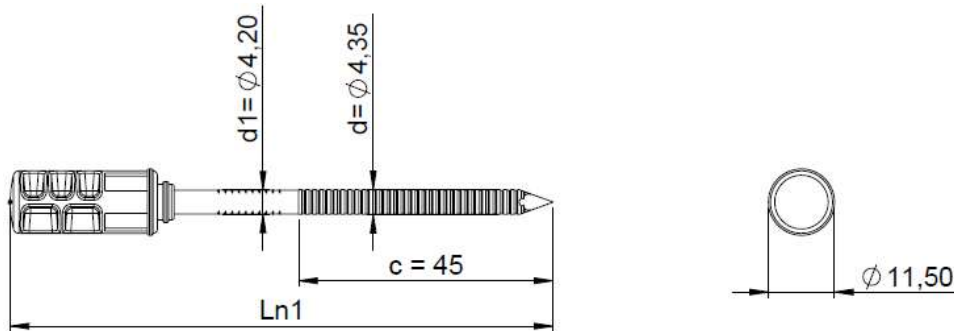
**Annex A 2**

**R-TFIX-8M-095, R-TFIX-8M-115**

**Anchor sleeve**



**Nail**



**Table A3: Dimensions R-TFIX-8M-095, R-TFIX-8M-115**

Anchor type	Anchor sleeve			Nail
	$h_{nom} = h_{ef}$ [mm]		$\phi d_{nom}$ [mm]	
Use category	A, B, C, D	E		$L_{n1}$ [mm]
R-TFIX-8M-095	25	45	8	95 - 115
R-TFIX-8M-115				

Determination of max. thickness of insulation:

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

e.g.  $L_a = 115$  mm,  $t_{tol} = 10$  mm,  $h_{nom} = 25$  mm,  $h_d = 115 - 10 - 25 = 80$  mm

**Table A4: Materials of anchor R-TFIX-8M-095, R-TFIX-8M-115**

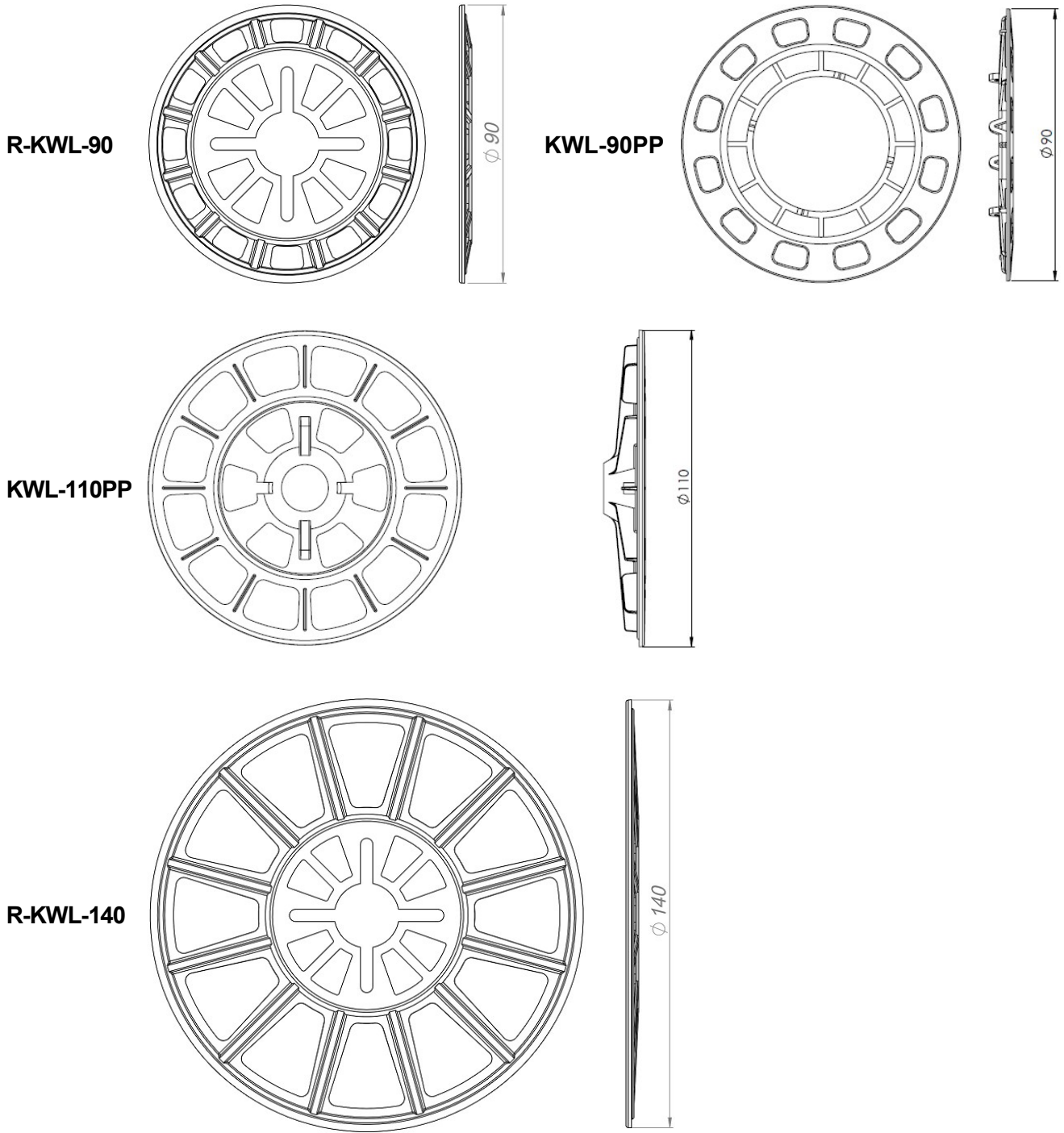
Designation	Color	Material
Anchor sleeve	Grey	Virgin plastic - Polypropylene
Expansion nail	Natural	Steel, electrogalvanized $\geq 5 \mu\text{m}$ acc. EN ISO 4042
	Blue overmolding	Glass fibre polyamide overmolding

**R-TFIX-8M, R-TFIX-8M-095, R-TFIX-8M-115**

**Product description**  
Dimensions  
Materials

**Annex A 3**

**Additional plates**



**Table A5: Materials of additional plates**

Plate	Diameter	Color	Material
R-KWL-90, KWL-90PP	90	Natural, white, red, grey, yellow, black, blue, green, orange	Virgin plastic PA6 + GF, PP
KWL-110PP	110		
R-KWL-140	140		

**R-TFIX-8M, R-TFIX-8M-095, R-TFIX-8M-115**

**Product description**  
Additional plates

**Annex A 4**

## Specifications of intended use

### Anchorage subject to:

- Multiple fixing for the anchorage of bonded thermal insulation composite systems (ETICS).

### Base materials

#### R-TFIX-8M

- Reinforced or unreinforced normal weight concrete (Use category A), according to Annex B 3.
- Solid brick (Use category B), according to Annex B 3.
- Perforated sand-lime brick according to EN 771-2 and perforated clay brick according to EN 771-1 (Use category C), according to Annex B 3.
- Lightweight aggregate concrete hollow blocks LAC (Use category D), according to Annex B 3.
- Autoclaved aerated concrete (Use category E), according to Annex B 3.

#### R-TFIX-8M-095, R-TFIX-8M-115

- Reinforced or unreinforced normal weight concrete (Use category A), according to Annex B 4.
- Solid brick (Use category B), according to Annex B 3.
- Perforated sand-lime brick according to EN 771-2 and perforated clay brick according to EN 771-1 (Use category C), according to Annex B 3.
- Lightweight aggregate concrete hollow blocks LAC (Use category D), according to Annex B 3.
- Autoclaved aerated concrete (Use category E), according to Annex B 3.

#### R-TFIX-8M, R-TFIX-8M-095, R-TFIX-8M-115

- The characteristic tension resistance of the anchor may be determined by means of job site tests according to EOTA TR 051, edition December 2016, carried out on the material actually used, if a characteristic resistance of the base material does not exist (for example masonry made of other solid masonry units or made of perforated clay bricks).

### Use conditions

- 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. The dead loads have to be transmitted by the bonding of the thermal insulation composite system.

### Use categories:

- A, B, C, D and E.

### Design:

- The design of anchorages is carried out in compliance with EAD 330196-01-0604, "Plastic anchors made of virgin or non-virgin material for fixing of external thermal insulation composite systems with rendering " under the responsibility of an engineer experienced in anchorages.
- Verifiable calculation notes and drawings shall be prepared taking account of the loads to be anchored, the nature and strength of the base materials, the thickness of insulation and the dimensions of the anchorage as well as of the relevant tolerances.
- Proof of direct local application of load on the base material shall be delivered. The anchor shall only be used for the transmission of wind suction loads. All other loads such as dead load and restraints shall be transmitted by the adhesion of the relevant external thermal insulation composite system.

**R-TFIX-8M, R-TFIX-8M-095, R-TFIX-8M-115**

**Intended use**  
Specifications

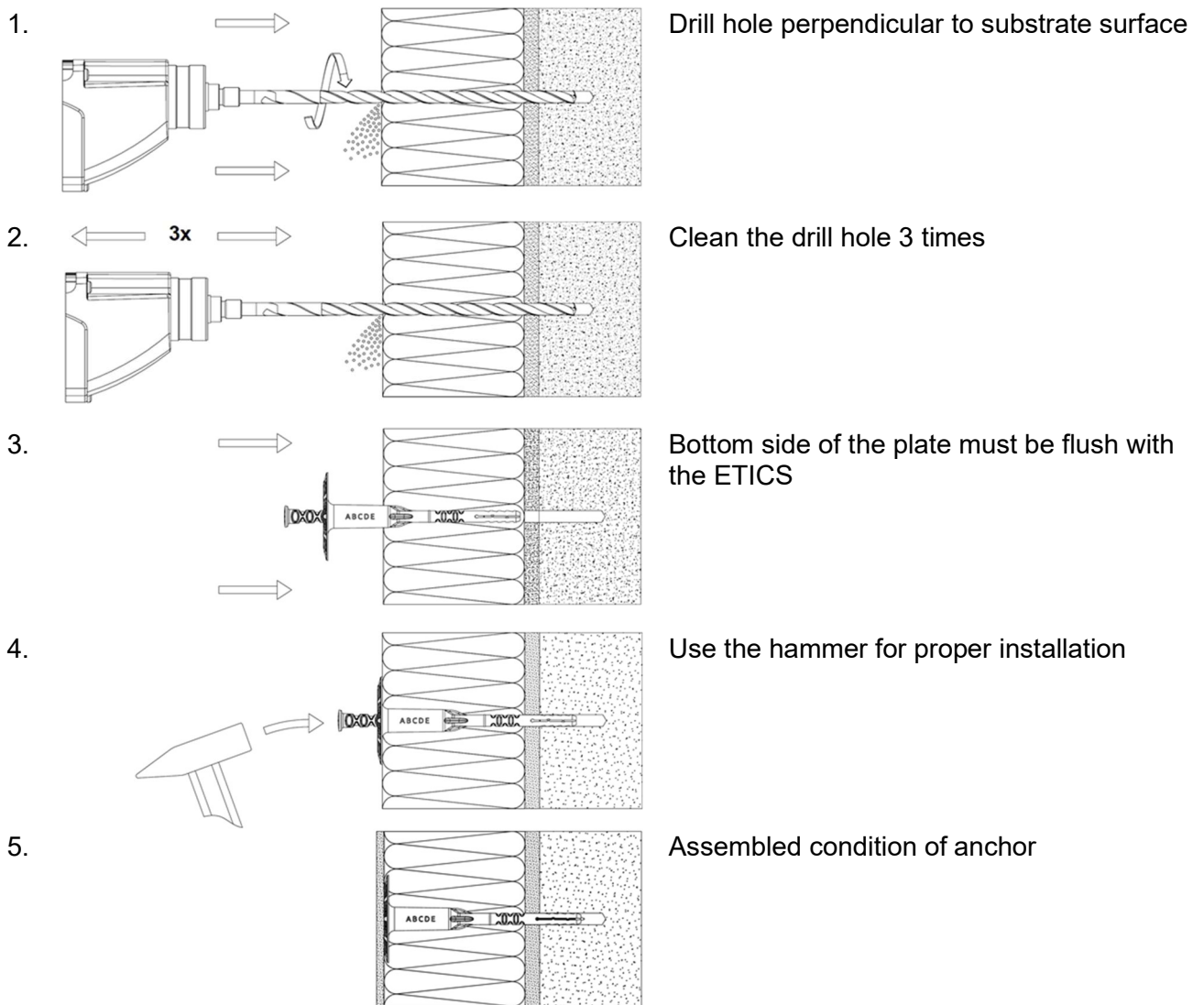
**Annex B 1**

**Installation:**

The fitness for use of the anchor can only be assumed if the following conditions of installation are met:

- Anchor installation carried out by appropriately qualified personnel under the supervision of the person responsible for technical matters on site.
- Observation of the drill method (Drill holes in masonry made of perforated sand-lime bricks, vertically perforated clay bricks, lightweight aggregate concrete hollow blocks (LAC) and autoclaved aerated concrete may only be drilled using the rotary drill. Other drilling methods may also be used if job-site tests evaluate the influence of hammer or impact drilling.)
- Placing drill holes without damaging the reinforcement
- Temperature during installation of the anchor  $\geq 0^{\circ}\text{C}$ .
- Exposure to UV due to solar radiation of the anchor not protected by rendering 6 weeks.

**Installation instructions**



<b>R-TFIX-8M, R-TFIX-8M-095, R-TFIX-8M-115</b>	<b>Annex B 2</b>
<b>Intended use</b>	
Installation Installation instructions	



## Types of base materials

**Table B1: Base materials R-TFIX-8M**

Base material	Use category	Bulk density [kg/dm <sup>3</sup> ]	Min. compressive strength β [N/mm <sup>2</sup> ]	General remarks	Drilling method
Concrete C 12/15 according to EN 206-1	A				Hammer drilling
Concrete C 16/20 – C 50/60 according to EN 206-1	A				Hammer drilling
External wall panel of concrete C 16/20 – C50/60 according to EN 206-1	A			Minimum thickness ≥ 40 mm	Hammer drilling or rotary drilling
Solid clay bricks Mz according to EN 771-1	B	≥ 2,0	12	Vertically perforation up to 15%	Hammer drilling
Solid sand-lime bricks according to EN 771-2	B	≥ 1,8	12	Vertically perforation up to 15%	Hammer drilling
Lightweight concrete solid block, Vbl <sup>2)</sup> according to EN 771-3	B	≥ 0,7	4	Proportion of handle hole to resting area up to 10%. Maximum size of handle hole 110x45 mm	Only rotary drilling
Perforated sand-lime bricks SENDWIX 8DF-LD <sup>1)</sup> according to EN 771-2	C	≥ 1,4	21	Vertically perforation more than 15% with outer web thickness of ≥ 20 mm	Only rotary drilling
Perforated sand-lime bricks KSL according to EN 771-2	C	≥ 1,6	12	Vertically perforation more than 15% with outer web thickness of ≥ 23 mm	Hammer drilling
Vertically perforated clay bricks POROTHERM 17,5 P+D <sup>1)</sup> according to EN 771-1	C	≥ 0,9	15	Vertically perforation more than 15% and less than 50% with outer web thickness ≥ 11 mm	Only rotary drilling
TeknoAmerBlok PK17,8 <sup>1)</sup> according to EN 771-3	C	≥ 1,6	12,5		Hammer drilling
Vertically perforated clay bricks HLz <sup>2)</sup> according to EN 771-1	C	≥ 1,0	12	Vertically perforation more than 15% and less than 50% with outer web thickness ≥ 14 mm	Only rotary drilling
Lightweight concrete hollow block, Hbl <sup>2)</sup> according to EN 771-3	C	≥ 0,9	2	Outer web thickness ≥ 30 mm	Only rotary drilling
Lightweight aggregate concrete hollow blocks LAC according to EN 1520	D	≥ 1,2	4		Only rotary drilling
Autoclaved aerated concrete AAC 5 <sup>1)</sup> according to EN 771-4	E	≥ 0,6	5		Only rotary drilling
Autoclaved aerated concrete AAC 4 <sup>2)</sup> according to EN 771-4	E	≥ 0,5	4		Only rotary drilling

<sup>1)</sup> only for R-TFIX-8M

<sup>2)</sup> only for R-TFIX-8M-095 and R-TFIX-8M-115

**R-TFIX-8M, R-TFIX-8M-095, R-TFIX-8M-115**

**Intended use**  
Base materials

**Annex B 3**

## Installation

**Table B2: Installation characteristics**

Anchor type	R-TFIX-8M			R-TFIX-8M-095 R-TFIX-8M-115	
	A, B, C, D	E		A, B, C, D	E
Use category	A, B, C, D	E		A, B, C, D	E
Nominal diameter of drill bit $d_o$ [mm]	8	8		8	8
Min. diameter of drill bit $d_{cut, min} \geq$ [mm]	8,2	8,2		8,2	8,2
Max. diameter of drill bit $d_{cut, max} \leq$ [mm]	8,4	8,4		8,4	8,4
Depth of drill hole $h_1 \geq$ [mm]	35	55	75	35	55
Effective embedment depth $h_{ef} \geq$ [mm]	25	45	65	25	45

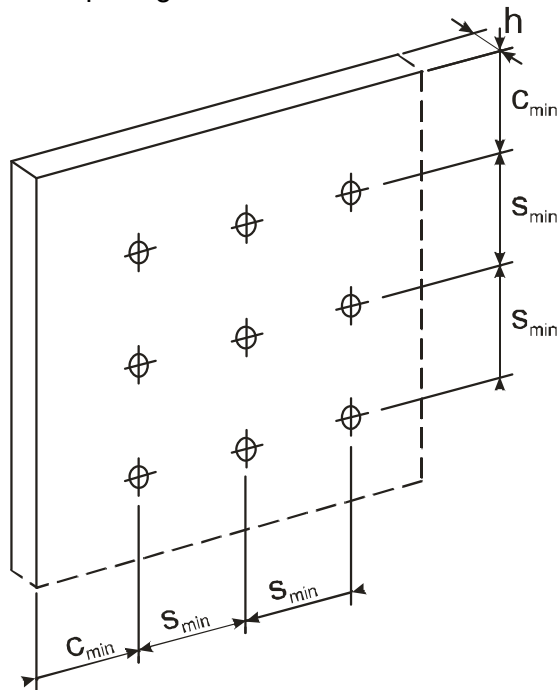
**Table B3.1: Minimum thickness of base material, edge distance and anchor spacing**

Anchor type	Minimum thickness of base material $h$ [mm]	Minimum spacing	Minimum edge distance
		$s_{min}$ [mm]	$c_{min}$ [mm]
R-TFIX-8M R-TFIX-8M-095 R-TFIX-8M-115	100	100	100

**Table B3.2: Minimum thickness of external wall panel of concrete, edge distance and anchor spacing**

Anchor type	Minimum thickness of base material $h$ [mm]	Minimum spacing	Minimum edge distance
		$s_{min}$ [mm]	$c_{min}$ [mm]
R-TFIX-8M	40	100	100

Scheme of distance and spacing.



**R-TFIX-8M, R-TFIX-8M-095, R-TFIX-8M-115**

**Intended use**  
Installation characteristics  
Edge and axial distances

**Annex B 4**

**Table C1: Characteristic resistance to tension loads for single anchor**

Base material	Use category	Bulk density [kg/dm <sup>3</sup> ]	Min. compressive strength $\beta$ [N/mm <sup>2</sup> ]	R-TFIX-8M R-TFIX-8M-095 R-TFIX-8M-115 [kN]
Concrete C 12/15 according to EN 206-1	A			1,1
Concrete C 16/20 – C 50/60 according to EN 206-1	A			1,2
External wall panel of concrete C 16/20 – C50/60 according to EN 206-1	Rotary drilling	A		1,0 <sup>1)</sup>
	Hammer drilling			1,1 <sup>1)</sup>
Solid clay bricks Mz according to EN 771-1	B	≥ 2,0	12	1,2
Solid sand-lime bricks according to EN 771-2	B	≥ 1,8	12	1,2
Lightweight concrete solid block, Vbl according to EN 771-3	B	≥ 0,7	4	0,5 <sup>2)</sup>
Perforated sand lime brick SENDWIX 8DF-LD according to EN 771-2	C	≥ 1,4	21	1,1 <sup>1)</sup>
Perforated sand-lime bricks KSL according to EN 771-2	C	≥ 1,6	12	0,9
Vertically perforated clay bricks POROTHERM 17,5 P+D according to EN 771-1	C	≥ 0,9	15	0,5 <sup>1)</sup>
TeknoAmerBlok PK17,8 according to EN 771-3	C	≥ 1,6	12,5	0,75 <sup>1)</sup>
Vertically perforated clay bricks HLz according to EN 771-1	C	≥ 1,0	12	0,6 <sup>2)</sup>
Lightweight concrete hollow block, Hbl according to EN 771-3	C	≥ 0,9	2	0,5 <sup>2)</sup>
Lightweight aggregate concrete hollow blocks LAC according to EN 1520	D	≥ 1,2	4	0,5
Autoclaved aerated concrete AAC 5 according to EN 771-4	$h_{ef} = 45 \text{ mm}$	E	≥ 0,6	5
	$h_{ef} = 65 \text{ mm}$			0,55 <sup>1)</sup>
Autoclaved aerated concrete AAC 4 according to EN 771-4	E	≥ 0,5	4	1,0 <sup>1)</sup>
Autoclaved aerated concrete AAC 4 according to EN 771-4	E	≥ 0,5	4	0,55 <sup>2)</sup>
Partial safety factor	$\gamma_M^{3)}$	2,0		

<sup>1)</sup> only for R-TFIX-8M

<sup>2)</sup> only for R-TFIX-8M-095 and R-TFIX-8M-115

<sup>3)</sup> in the absence of other national regulations

**R-TFIX-8M, R-TFIX-8M-095, R-TFIX-8M-115**

**Performances**  
Characteristic tension load

**Annex C 1**

**Table C2: Displacement under tension loads**

Base material		Tension load $N_{Sk}$ [kN]	Displacement $\Delta\delta_N$ [mm]
Concrete C 12/15 according to EN 206-1		0,37	0,60
Concrete C 16/20 – C 50/60 according to EN 206-1		0,40	0,60
External wall panel of concrete C 16/20 – C50/60 according to EN 206-1	Hammer drilling	0,37 <sup>1)</sup>	0,46 <sup>1)</sup>
	Rotary drilling	0,33 <sup>1)</sup>	0,40 <sup>1)</sup>
Solid clay bricks Mz according to EN 771-1		0,5	0,70
Solid sand-lime bricks according to EN 771-2		0,5	0,80
Lightweight concrete solid block, Vbl according to EN 771-3		0,15 <sup>2)</sup>	0,2 <sup>2)</sup>
Perforated sand lime brick SENDWIX 8DF-LD according to EN 771-2		0,37 <sup>1)</sup>	0,54 <sup>1)</sup>
Perforated sand-lime bricks KSL according to EN 771-2		0,30	0,80
Vertically perforated clay bricks POROTHERM 17,5 P+D according to EN 771-1		0,17 <sup>1)</sup>	0,23 <sup>1)</sup>
TeknoAmerBlok PK17,8 according to EN 771-3		0,25 <sup>1)</sup>	0,62 <sup>1)</sup>
Vertically perforated clay bricks HLz according to EN 771-1		0,20	0,60
Lightweight concrete hollow block, Hbl according to EN 771-3		0,15 <sup>2)</sup>	0,30 <sup>2)</sup>
Lightweight aggregate concrete hollow blocks LAC according to EN 1520		0,17	0,33
Autoclaved aerated concrete AAC 5 according to EN 771-4	$h_{ef} = 45 \text{ mm}$	0,18 <sup>1)</sup>	0,40 <sup>1)</sup>
	$h_{ef} = 65 \text{ mm}$	0,33 <sup>1)</sup>	0,67 <sup>1)</sup>
Autoclaved aerated concrete AAC 4 according to EN 771-4		0,30 <sup>2)</sup>	0,65 <sup>2)</sup>

<sup>1)</sup> only for R-TFIX-8M

<sup>2)</sup> only for R-TFIX-8M-095 and R-TFIX-8M-115

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**Performances**  
Displacement under tension load

**Annex C 2**

**Table C3: Plate stiffness**

Anchor type	Diameter of the anchor plate [mm]	Load resistance of the anchor plate [kN]	Plate stiffness [kN/mm]
R-TFIX-8M R-TFIX-8M-095 R-TFIX-8M-115	60	1,53	1,0

**Table C4: Point thermal transmittance**

Anchor type	Insulation thickness $h_D$ [mm]	Point thermal transmittance $\chi$ [W/K]
R-TFIX-8M-095 R-TFIX-8M-115	70 - 90	0,002
R-TFIX-8M	100 - 260	0,001

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Plate stiffness

Point thermal transmittance

**Annex C 3**