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#### **General Part**

Technical Assessment Body issuing the European Technical Assessment:

Trade name of the construction product

Product family to which the construction product belongs

Manufacturer

Manufacturing plant

This European Technical Assessment contains

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Keil Undercut Anchor for Swisspearl facade panels

Fastener for the rear fixing of façade panels made of fibre cement flat sheets according to EN 12467:2012

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#### **Specific Part**

#### 1 Technical description of the product

The Keil Undercut Anchor for Swisspearl façade panels is a fastener made of a crosswise slotted anchor sleeve with internal thread and a rectangular sheet metal at the top, a related screw and a shimer. The anchor sleeve, screw and shimer are made of stainless steel.

The fastener is put into an undercut drill hole, locked against rotation by setting to the fixing member (single agraffe, double agraffe, long-span agraffe or panel load-bearing profile) and placed form-fitted and anchored way-controlled by pulling the screw.

The product description is given in Annex A. The material values, dimensions and tolerances of the components of the fastener not indicated in the annexes shall correspond to the values laid down in the technical documentation<sup>1</sup>.

### 2 Specification of the intended use in accordance with the applicable European Assessment Document

The performances given in Section 3 are only valid if the fastener is used in compliance with the specifications and conditions given in Annex B.

The verifications and assessment methods on which this European Technical Assessment is based lead to the assumption of a working life of the anchors of at least 50 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 right 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 Mechanical resistance and stability (BWR 1)

Essential characteristic	Performance
Characteristic resistance for tension and shear loads	See Annex C 1
Anchor distances and dimensions of members	See Annex C 1
Durability	Corrosion Resistance Class (CRC) III accoding to EN 1993-1-4:2015

#### 3.2 Safety in case of fire (BWR 2)

Essential characteristic Performance	
Reaction to fire	Class A1
Resistance to fire	No performance assessed

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The technical documentation comprises all information of the holder of this ETA necessary for the production, installation and maintenance of the fastener; these are in particular design drawings. The part to be treated confidentially is deposited with Deutsches Institut für Bautechnik and, as far as this is relevant to the tasks of the approved bodies involved in the procedure of attestation of conformity, shall be handed over to the approved body.





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

In accordance with EAD No. 330030-00-0601 the applicable European legal act is: [97/161/EG]. The system to be applied is: 2+

5 Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system, as provided for in the applicable European Assessment Document

Technical details necessary for the implementation of the AVCP system are laid down in the control plan deposited with Deutsches Institut für Bautechnik.

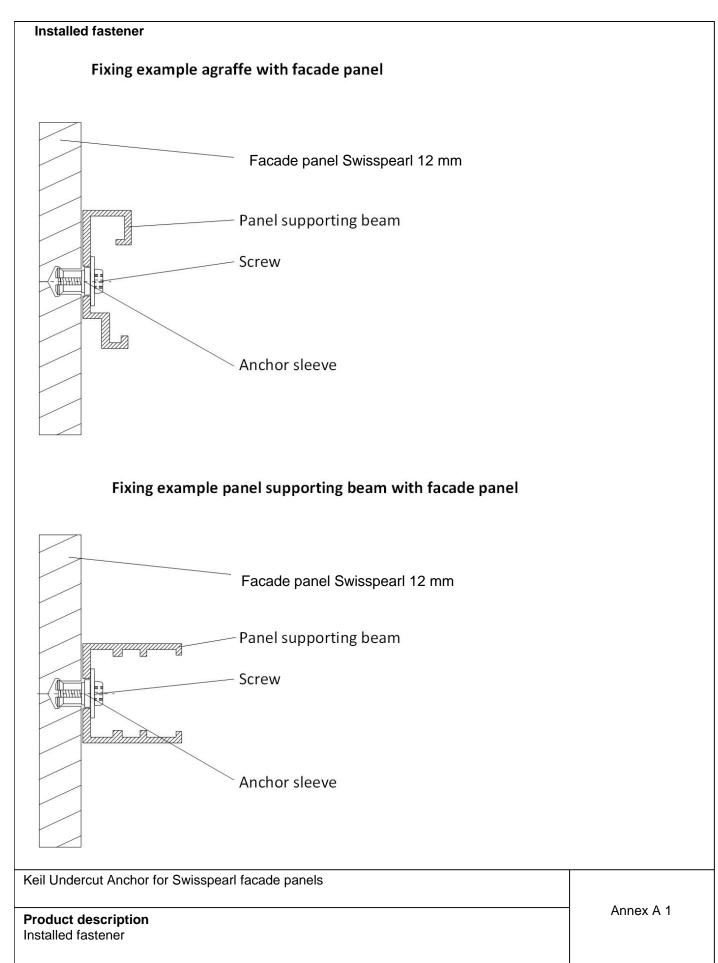
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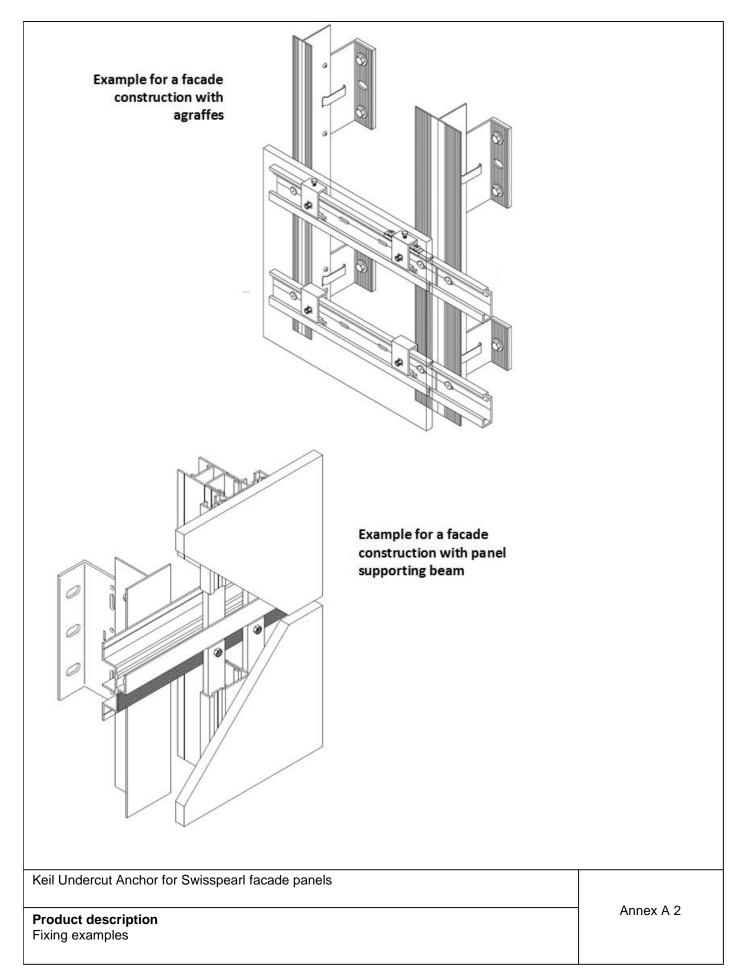
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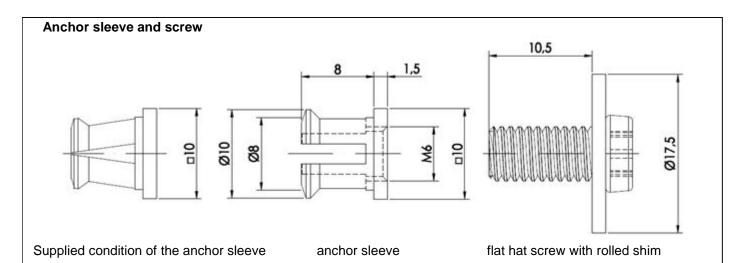




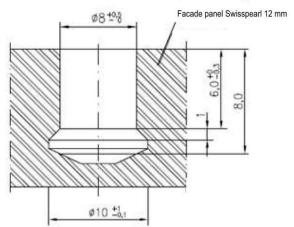


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#### **Borehole geometry**



#### **Table A1 Dimensions**

embedment depth	h <sub>s</sub> =	[mm]	8
panel thickness	h <sub>nom</sub> ≥	[mm]	12
diameter of drill hole	$d_0 =$	[mm]	8
diameter of undercut	$d_1 =$	[mm]	10
installation torque moment	$T_{inst}$	[Nm]	$2,5 \le T_{inst} \le 4,0$

#### **Table A2 Materials**

anchor sleeve	Stainless steel according to EN 10088:2014
Screw with slim	Stainless steel according to EN 10088:2014

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Product description Fixing examples	Annex A 3



#### Specifications of intended use

#### Anchorages subject to:

Static and guasi-static loads.

#### Use conditions (Environmental conditions):

 According to EN 1993-1-4:2015 according to the Corrosion Resistance Class of the fastener (see ETA-text section 3.1)

#### Base materials:

Swisspearl façade panels according to EN 12467:2012

In regard to the properties, composition and other requirement of fibre-cement flat sheets, the flat sheet type "Grey cement" and "White cement" comply with class 4, category A according EN 12467:2012.

For admissible deviation of the nominal dimensions apply level I according to EN 12467:2012. For admissible deviation of straightness of the edges and the admissible deviation of the rectangularity apply level I according to EN 12467:2012.

The characteristic values of the façade plates correspond to Table B1.

Tabelle B1: characteristic values of the facade plates – geometrical und physical properties

Colour				white	grey
			[mm]	3050 x 1250	
Nominal panel thickness h <sub>nom</sub> ≥			[mm]	12	
Modulus of elastic $E_{mean} =$			[N/mm²]	12000	
Poisson ratio $v =$			[-]	0,25	
Specific weight $\gamma =$			[kN/m³]	17,5	
Density $\rho$		[g/cm³]	1,65 - 1,90		
bending stress (crossways direction) without climatic pre-stressing <sup>2)</sup>	without coating	$\sigma_{u5\%}^{1)} \ge$	[N/mm²]	17,6	22,3
bending stress (crossways direction) after storage in water <sup>3)</sup>	wit	$\sigma_{u5\%,WL}^{1)} \geq$	[N/mm²]	11,4	14,9
bending resistance (crossways direction) without climatic pre-stressing <sup>2)</sup>	with coating <sup>4)</sup>	$\sigma_{u5\%}^{1)} \ge$	[N/mm²]	19,8	22,5
bending resistance (crossways direction) after storage in water <sup>3)</sup>	coa ≰	$\sigma_{u5\%,WL}^{1)} \ge$	[N/mm²]	17,1	20,3

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1)</sup> 5%-Quantil by a confidence level of 75 % and unknown standard deviation

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2)</sup> Dry storage, according to EN 12467:2012, table 10, line 2; the visible face of bending pressure zone.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3)</sup> Storage in water, according to EN 12467:2012, table 10, line 2; the visible face of bending pressure zone.

<sup>4)</sup> coating with acrylic, coating with UV curing functioning layer, coating with 2k-PUR-coating

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#### Design:

#### General:

- Each façade panel is fixed with at least four anchors in a rectangular arrangement via single agraffes on the substructure (for small panels or small fitted pieces, differential or fill- in pieces the number and position of the anchors shall be chosen constructively).
- Edge distance and spacing shall be observed. For small fitted pieces, differential and fill-in pieces the edge distance and spacing shall be chosen.
- The substructure is constructed such that the façade panels are fixed technically strain-free via skids (loose bearings) and one fixed point (fixed bearing) the fixed point may be placed at the panel edge or in the panel field.
- Two fixing points of the façade panel are designed such that they are able to carry the dead load of the façade panel.
- Constraint loads shall be into account for design, If constraint loads exists.
- When using agraffes on horizontal load-bearing profiles the fixing points of a façade panel situated horizontally at the same height are fastened in each case to the same load-bearing profile.
- The thickness of the fixing member (agraffe or panel load-bearing profile) shall be at least 2,0mm and must not exceed 3,0 mm.
- At the agraffes or panel load-bearing profiles shall be arranged one square hole with 10.2 mm x 10.2 mm (fixed point). Agraffes with two anchors shall provide one rectangular hole with the dimension 10.2 mm (sliding point). At the panel load-bearing profile shall be arranged further holes with the dimension 10.2 mm x 20 mm to ensure a strain-free bearing of the façade panels at the panel load-bearing profile. Annex B 5 shows fixed points and loose points.
- Verifiable calculation notes and drawings shall be prepared taking account of the loads to be anchored, the nature and strength of the base materials and the dimensions of the anchorage members as well as of the relevant tolerances. The position of the anchor is indicated on the design drawings.

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Verification ultimate limit state

Anchorages are designed under the responsibility of an engineer experienced in anchorages and facade construction.

$$\frac{N_{Ed}}{N_{Dd}} \le 1$$

$$\frac{V_{Ed}}{V_{Pd}} \le 1$$

$$\frac{N_{Ed}}{N_{Rd}} + \frac{V_{Ed}}{V_{Rd}} \le 1,2$$

N<sub>Ed</sub>: Design value of the tensile force

$$N_{Ed} = N_{Ek,w} \cdot \gamma_F + N_{Ek,V} \cdot \gamma_F$$

 $N_{\text{Ek},w}$ : characteristic value of the tensile force of wind load

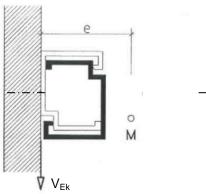
y<sub>F</sub>: partial safety factor according to EN 1990:2010

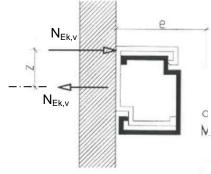
 $N_{Ek,V}$ : For flush fixed anchors and for installation of horizontal load-bearing profiles permanent loads due to torsion of the profile shall be considered in addition to actions from dead load and wind in direction of the anchor axes. The verification can be omitted, if there is no horizontal distance between anchor and vertical load-bearing profile ( $N_{Ek,V} = 0$ ).

$$N_{Ek,V} = V_{Ek} \cdot e/z$$

 $V_{\text{Ek}}$  = characteristic value of the shear force due to dead load of the façade panel e and z [mm] see picture

M shear centre





N<sub>Rd:</sub> design value of the tensile load-bearing capacity

 $N_{Rd} = N_{Rk} / \gamma_{M}$ 

N<sub>Rk</sub>: characteristic value of the tensile load-bearing capacity according to Table C1

y<sub>M</sub> = 1,8; recommended partial safety factor, in absence of national regulations

 $V_{\text{Ed}}$ : design value of the shear force

 $V_{Ed} = V_{Ek} \cdot \gamma_F$ 

V<sub>Ek</sub> : characteristic value of the shear force

(F: partial safety factor according to EN 1990:2010

V<sub>Rd</sub>: design value of the shear load-bearing capacity

 $V_{Rd} = V_{Rk} / \gamma_{M}$ 

V<sub>Rk</sub> : characteristic value of the shear load-bearing capacity according to Tabelle C1

 $\gamma_{\rm M} = 1.8$ ; recommended partial safety factor, in absence of national regulations.

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#### Installation:

- The drillings are done at the factory or on site under workshop conditions; when making the drillings on site
  the execution is supervised by the responsible project supervisor or a skilled representative of the project
  supervisor.
- Making of the undercut drilling is done with the drill bit according to Annex B 7 and a special drilling device in accordance with the information deposited with Deutsches Institut für Bautechnik.
- · In case of aborted hole: new drilling at a minimum distance away of twice the depth of the aborted hole.
- the geometry of the drill hole is checked on 1 % of all drillings. The following dimensions shall be checked and documented according to manufacturer's information and testing instructions by means of a measuring device according to Annex B 7:
  - Volume of the undercut drill hole.
  - Depth position of the undercut; the distance between the lower edge of the measuring device and the façade panel is between 0,0 and 0,3 mm (see Annex B 5).

If the tolerances given in Annex A 3 are exceeded, the geometry of the drill hole shall be checked on 25% of the drillings performed. No further drill hole may exceed the tolerances otherwise all the drill holes shall be controlled. Drilling holes falling below or exceeding the tolerances shall be rejected.

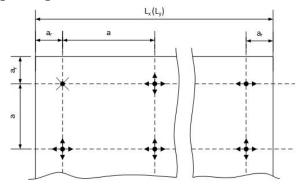
Note: Checking the geometry of the drill hole on 1 % of all drillings means that on one of the 25 panels (this corresponds to 100 drillings in façade panels with four anchors) one drilling shall be checked. If the tolerances given in Annex A 3 are exceeded the extent of the control shall be increase to 25 % of the drillings, i.e. one drilling each shall be checked on all the 25 panels.

- During transport and storage on site the façade panels are protected from damages; the façade panels are not be hung up jerkily (if need be lifters shall be used for hanging up the façade panels); façade panels and reveal panels respectively with incipient cracks are not be installed.
- The façade are installed by skilled specialists and the laying instructions of the manufacturer shall be paid attention to.
- The anchor is put into an undercut drill hole, locked against rotation by setting to the fixing member and placed form-fitted and anchored way-controlled by pulling the screw. Fixing the screw is achieved with a torque moment (2,5 Nm ≤ Tinst ≤ 4,0 Nm) using a calibrated torque.
- Installation of the anchor in rectangular holes (sliding points) needs additional spring washers between anchor sleeve and washer.
- The façade panels are arranged in a "reclined" or "upright" position.
- Overhead mounting is not possible

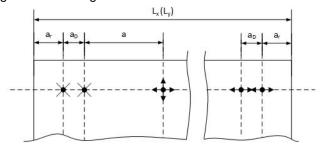


### Definition of edge distance and spacing

single fixing



fixing with double agraffes



#### Legend

= spacing - distance between anchors а

= spacing – distance between anchors of double agraffes  $\mathbf{a}_{\mathsf{D}}$ = edge distance – distance between anchor and panel edge  $\mathbf{a}_{\mathsf{r}}$ 

= length of the facade panel in horizontal direction

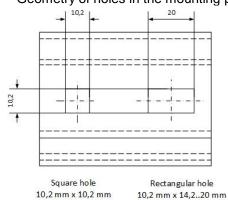
= length oft he facade panel in vertical direction

= fixed point (locating bearing) between facade panel and substructure

= horizontal sliding point (floating bearing) between panel and substructure

= horizontal and vertical sliding point between facade panel and substructure

Geometry of holes in the mounting part for fixed point and horizontal sliding point



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as sliding point

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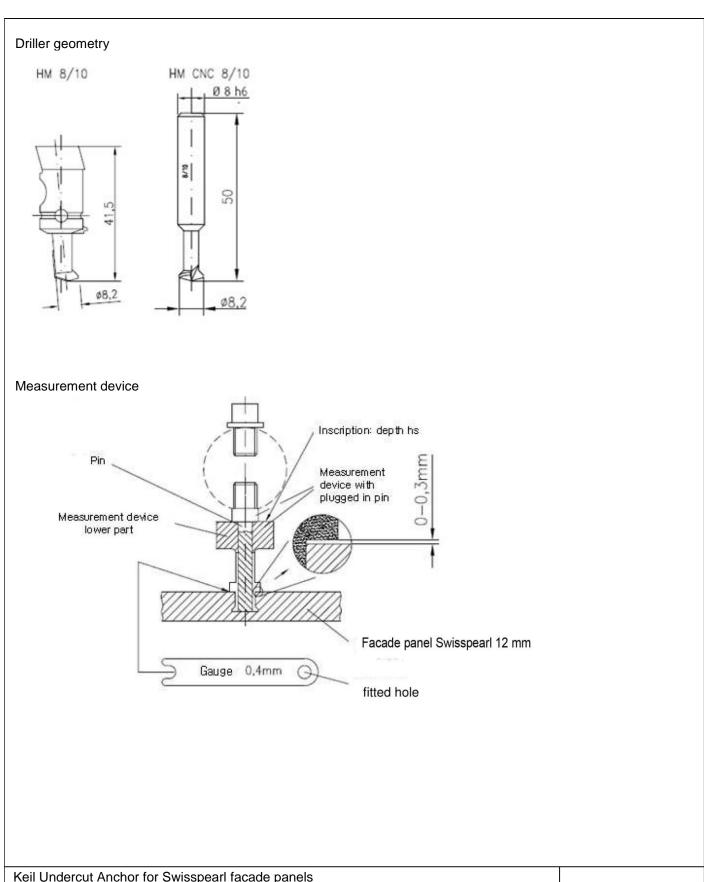
as fixed point

Definition of edge distance and spacing

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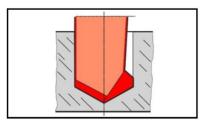




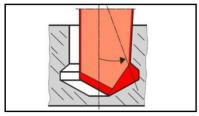
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Intended use
Driller and measurement device

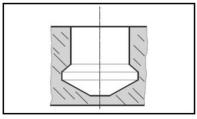
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a) Drilling

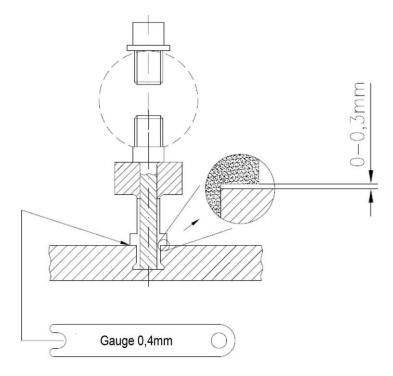


b) Undercutting



c) Undercut Hole

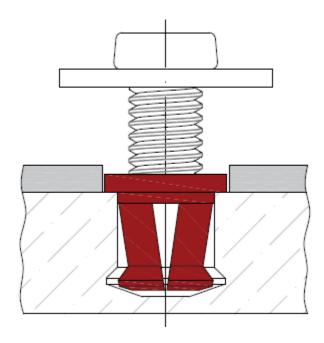
#### 2. Checking the undercut hole



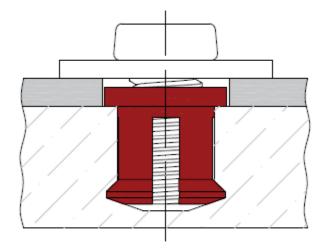
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#### 3. Installation (anchor sleeve and screw)



a) Form fit installation of anchor sleeve by tightening with screw



b) Installed undercut anchor

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Intended use
Installation instruction

Annex B 8





### Characteristic values of the anchor Swisspearl façade panel according Table B 1

#### Table C1

colour			white	grey	
Embedment depth		h <sub>s</sub> =	[mm]	8	
characteristic resistance 1)	tension load	N <sub>Rk</sub> =	[kN]	0,90	1,20
	shear load	V <sub>Rk</sub> =	[kN]	2,90	3,50
edge distance		a <sub>r</sub> ≥	[mm]	50	
spacing		а	[mm]	100 ≤ a ≤ 700	
spacing double agraffe		a <sub>D</sub> ≥	[mm]	n] 45	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1)</sup> with and without coating (coating with acrylic, coating with UV curing functioning layer, coating with 2k-PUR-coating)

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Performance
Characteristic values of the anchor in Swisspearl facade panel white and grey

Annex C 1