

# Sound absorption coefficient ISO 354

## Measurement of sound absorption in reverberation rooms

**Client:** Silent Gliss Fabrics & Components GmbH,  
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**Test specimen:** Curtain Colorama Akustik,  
curtain track system Wave, wall distance 200 mm

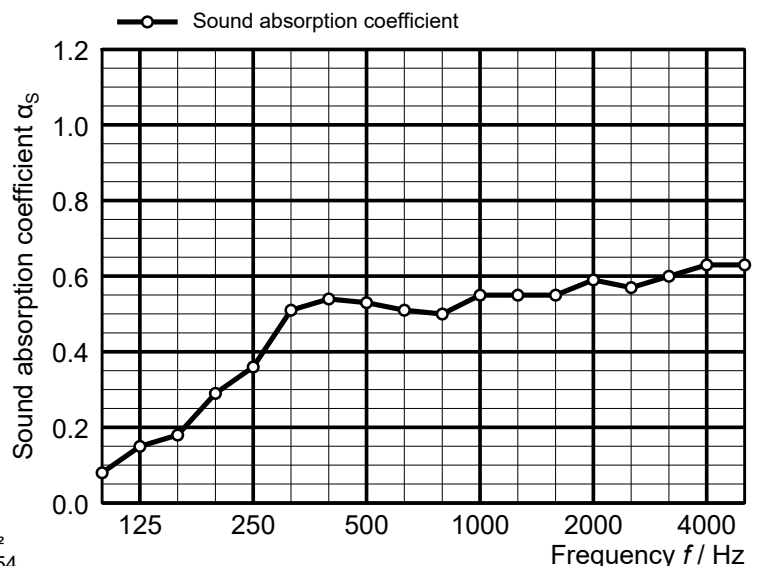
- Fabric:**
- manufacturer Silent Gliss
  - curtain fabric type "Colorama Akustik"
  - material 100 % polyester
  - area specific mass app.  $m'' = 131 \text{ g/m}^2$
  - specific airflow resistance  $R_S = 37 \text{ Pa s/m}$
  - thickness  $t = 0.36 \text{ mm}$

- Test arrangement:**
- in style of mounting type G-200 acc. EN ISO 354, test arrangement without enclosing frame
  - curtain fabric with total dimensions of  $W \times H = 7000 \text{ mm} \times 2990 \text{ mm}$ , top edge with 75 mm curtain tape, lateral edges with 20 mm hems
  - Wave-mounting with 100 % fabric addition, width of curtain  $W = 3500 \text{ mm}$
  - Wave-profile: 80 mm distance between fixing points at curtain rail  
depth of Wave-profile 120 mm (each 60 mm to both sides of the rail)
  - fixed to a Wave curtain track system rail at the ceiling of the reverberation room
  - 200 mm distance from the wall to the axis of the curtain rail
  - Prüffläche  $W \times H = 3500 \text{ mm} \times 2990 \text{ mm}$

Room: E  
Volume: 199.60 m<sup>3</sup>  
Size: 10.47 m<sup>2</sup>  
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	$\theta$ [°C]	$r. h.$ [%]	$B$ [kPa]
without specimen	19.8	39.2	95.5
with specimen	19.8	39.4	95.5

Frequency [Hz]	$\alpha_s$ 1/3 octave	$\alpha_p$ octave
100	0.08	
125	0.15	0.15
160	0.18	
200	0.29	
250	0.36	0.40
315	0.51	
400	0.54	
500	0.53	0.55
630	0.51	
800	0.50	
1000	0.55	0.55
1250	0.55	
1600	0.55	
2000	0.59	0.55
2500	0.57	
3150	0.60	
4000	0.63	0.60
5000	0.63	



◦ Equivalent sound absorption area less than 1.0 m<sup>2</sup>  
 $\alpha_s$  Sound absorption coefficient according to ISO 354  
 $\alpha_p$  Practical sound absorption coefficient according to ISO 11654

<p>Rating according to ISO 11654:  <b>Weighted sound absorption coefficient</b>  <math>\alpha_w = 0.55</math>                  Sound absorption class: D</p>	<p>Rating according to ASTM C423:  <b>Noise Reduction Coefficient <math>NRC = 0.50</math></b>  <b>Sound Absorption Average <math>SAA = 0.50</math></b></p>
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