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# Speed of opening, stability, descent rate

Inspection certificate number:	EP_167.2016	UPDATED	Test Report
Manufacturer data			
Manufacturer name:	AirDesign GmbH		
Representative:	Stephan Stiegler		
Street:	Rhomberstrasse 9, 3. Stock		
Post code / Place:	6067 Absam		
Country:	Austria		
Sample data			
Name:	Donut	Size:	100
Steerable	Νο	Maximum weight in flight (1) [kg]:	100
Weight <sup>(2)</sup> [kg]	1333	volume packed [cm <sup>3</sup> ]:	4440
Serial number:	XR01-100-2-16450807		
Test data <sup>(3)</sup>	Test no. 1	Test no. 2	
Place of test	Villeneuve	Villeneuve	
Date of test	13.12.2016	13.03.2017	
Inspector:	Alain Zoller	Alain Zoller	
Atmosphere AGL			
[°C]	2	7.8	
RH [%]	78	80	
[hPa]	974	977.5	
Wind [m/s]	0.1	0.1	

Summary of both results <sup>(4)</sup>	EN	LTF	
Time of opening test [s]:	4.31	4.31	
Calculated descent rate test [m/s]:	5.17	5.17	
Stability test:	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	
Behaviour during descent test:	Stable	Stable	

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F	ormula using to calculate corrected mass	$m_{c \text{ orr}} := m_{dec} \cdot \frac{1}{p_0 \cdot T}$
Sink rate test no. 1 <sup>(5)</sup>		
Ground level atmospheric pressure at tes	t location: (p)	974 [hPa]
ICAO standard atmospheric pressure at M	/ISL: (po)	1013.25 [hPa]
Ground level temperature at the test local	tion: (T)	2 [°C]
		275.15 [°K]
ICAO standard temperature at MSL: (To)		15 [°C]
		288.15 [°K]
Declared maximum payloadt: (mdec)		100 [kg]
Corrected mass: (mcorr)		100.67 [kg]
Corrected mass with uncertainty: (mcorr)		101.57 [kg]
Time when pilot release rescue		17.24 <b>[s]</b>
Time when weak link broken		21.4 <b>[s]</b>
Calculated speed opening [s]:		<b>4.31</b> [s]
Time ball touch the water:		14.68 [s]
Time pilot touch the water:		21 <b>[s]</b>
Time between ball and pilot touching wate	er (30m)	6.17 [s]
Calculated sink rate [m/s]:		<b>4.87</b> [m/s]

#### Sink rate test no. 2 (5)

Ground level atmospheric pressure at test location: (p)	977.5 [hPa]
ICAO standard atmospheric pressure at MSL: (po)	1013.25 [hPa]
Ground level temperature at the test location: (T)	7.8 [°C]
	280.95 [°K]
ICAO standard temperature at MSL: (To)	15 [°C]
	288.15 [°K]
Declared maximum payloadt: (mdec)	100 [kg]
Corrected mass: (mcorr)	98.94 [kg]
Corrected mass with uncertainty: (mcorr)	99.84 [kg]
Time when pilot release rescue	10.76 <b>[s]</b>
Time when weak link broken	13.96 <b>[s]</b>
Calculated speed opening [s]:	<b>3.35</b> [s]
Time ball touch the water:	12.2 <b>[s]</b>
Time pilot touch the water:	18.16 <b>[s]</b>
Time between ball and pilot touching water (30m)	5.81 [s]
Calculated sink rate [m/s]:	<b>5.17</b> [m/s]

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#### Weak link test no. 2



Instrument & type no.	Validity	Manufacturer	S/N
Weak link	2020	Tost	N/A
Line 30 meter	2020	Air Turquoise SA	N/A
Geos n° 11 Skywatch	08.05.2017	JDC elec.	22

The validation of this test report is given by the signature of the test manager on inspection certificate 71.5.1

Air Turquoise SA has thoroughly tested the sample of emergency parachute mentioned above and certifies its conformity with the standards: EN 12491:2001 chapter 5.3.3 / 5.3.4 -LTF NFL II 9/09 chapter 6

<sup>(1)</sup> Total weight in flight exclude weight of paraglider, also called payload - <sup>(2)</sup> Weight of the emergency parachute

<sup>(3)</sup>The rescue system is droped from a paraglider in straight flight at 8 [m/s] +-1 [m/s] and a vertical airspeed of less than 1,5 [m/s]. The paraglider is released as the rescue system begins to open. Wink link 200 [N] is used to measure the speed opening. After a minimum of 100 m of descent, the average rate of descent is measured over 30 m of descent. The test is carried out twice.

<sup>(4)</sup> The calculated value include the value minus the uncertainty / The uncertainty stated is the expanded uncertainty obtained by multiplying the standard uncertainty by the coverage factor k = 2. The value of the measurand lies within the assigned range of values with a probability of 95%. The tests do not include any compatibility tests with alternative inner containers. Required time from the instant of free drop until a load of 200 [N] is sustained for EN 5 [s] and for LTF 5 [s]. The required maximum sink rate is for EN 5.5 [m/s] and for LTF 6.80 [m/s]. The final result is the worst case of both tests.

(5) Condition for the descent rate test. A. At horizontal airspeed 8 m/s and vertical speed 1.5 m/s B. Formula to be used for correcting the test mass ofr differences from ICAO standard atmosphere

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## Strength test - 40 m/s opening shock

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Sample data			
Name:	Donut	Size:	100
Steerable	No	Maximum weight [kg]:	100
Weight [kg]	1333	volume packed [cm <sup>3</sup> ]:	4440
Serial number:	XR01-100-3-16450807		
Test data <sup>(1)</sup>	Test no. 1	Test no. 2	
Place of test	Illarsaz	Illarsaz	
Date of test	08.12.2016	08.12.2016	
Corrected mass [kg]	103.37	103.37	
Inspector:	Alain Zoller	Alain Zoller	
Atmosphere AGL			
[°C]	2	2	
RH [%]	67	67	
[hPa]	991.4	991.4	
Wind [m/s]	0.2	0.2	
Test results	Test no. 1	Test no. 2	
Speed of opening (maximum 5 s)	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	
Strength test (40m/s shock)	POSITIVE	POSITIVE	
Aircraft speed uncertainty K=2			
[m/s] <sup>(2)</sup>	1.7	1.7	

Item / type no.	Validity	Manufacturer	S/N	
Weight	2020	Air Turquoise SA	N/A	
Geos nº 11	08.05.2017	JDC elec.	22	
Weak link	2020	Tost	N/A	

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Formula using to calculate corrected m Corrected mass for strength test no. 1	mass $m_{c \text{ orr}} \coloneqq m_{dec} \cdot \frac{p \cdot T_0}{p_0 \cdot T}$
Ground level atmospheric pressure at test location: (p)	991.4 [hPa]
ICAO standard atmospheric pressure at MSL: (po)	1013.25 [hPa]
Ground level temperature at the test location: (T)	2 [°C]
	275.15 [°K]
ICAO standard temperature at MSL: (To)	15 [°C]
	288.15 [°K]
Declared maximum payloadt: (mdec)	100 [kg]
Corrected mass: (mcorr)	102.47 [kg]
Corrected mass with uncertainty: (mcorr)	<b>103.37</b> [kg]
Corrected mass for strength test no. 2	
Ground level atmospheric pressure at test location: (p)	991.4 [hPa]
ICAO standard atmospheric pressure at MSL: (po)	1013.25 [hPa]
Ground level temperature at the test location: (T)	2 [°C]
	275.15 [°K]
ICAO standard temperature at MSL: (To)	15 [°C]
	288.15 [°K]

Declared maximum payloadt: (mdec)	100 [kg]
Corrected mass: (mcorr)	102.47 [kg]
Corrected mass with uncertainty: (mcorr)	103.37 [kg]

The validation of this test report is given by the signature of the test manager on inspection certificate 71.5.1

Air Turquoise SA has thoroughly tested the sample of emergency parachute mentioned above and certifies its conformity with the standards: EN 12491:2001 chapter 5.3.5.1 -LTF NFL II 9/09 chapter 6

(1) The emergency parachute (in its standard inner container and packed according to the user's manual instructions) is stowed on the drop test device. The test parachute's riser (or both risers in the case of a two riser parachute) is (are) connected to the single anchor point on the drop text device using the connector(s) specified and supplied by the parachute manufacturer.

The drop test device is accelerated to a straight line velocity of 40 m/s and the parachute deployed using its handle or handle attachment point by a static line attached to a drogue chute or similar low force deployment system.

The test is carried out twice with the same parachute.

Speed of opening must be less than 5 seconds and shock not exceeded 15g.

<sup>(2)</sup> Calculated value include the value minus the uncertainty (on safe side) / The uncertainty stated is the expanded uncertainty obtained by multiplying the standard uncertainty by the coverage factor k = 2. The value of the measurand lies within the assigned range of values with a probability of 95%.