




# Certificate of Compliance VOC Emissions

**Product Name: AFT Cellulose Insulation**

Product Sample Information	
Manufacturer:	Advanced Fiber Technology
Manf. Website:	www.advancedfiber.com
CSI Category & No.:	Thermal Insulation (07 21 00)
Date Produced:	7/13/2011

Certificate Information	
Certificate No:	110804-02
Certified By:	 Raja S. Tannous, Laboratory Director
Date:	August 4, 2011

**Reference Standard:** California Department of Public Health CDPH/EHLB/Standard Method Version 1.1, 2010 (Emission testing method for CA Specification 01350)

### Acceptance Criteria and Results Demonstrating Compliance of Product Sample to Referenced Standard:

Exposure Scenario <sup>1</sup>	Individual VOCs of Concern <sup>2</sup>		Formaldehyde <sup>3</sup>	
	Criterion	Compliant?	Criterion	Compliant?
School Classroom	≤½ Chronic REL	YES	≤9.0 µg/m <sup>3</sup>	YES
Private Office	≤½ Chronic REL	YES	≤9.0 µg/m <sup>3</sup>	YES

1. Exposure scenarios & product quantities for classroom & office are defined in Tables 4-2 – 4-5 (CDPH Std. Mtd. V1.1-2010)
2. Maximum allowable concentrations of individual target VOCs are specified in Table 4-1 (*ibid.*)
3. Maximum allowable formaldehyde concentration is 16.5 µg/m<sup>3</sup> before Dec. 31, 2011 & 9 µg/m<sup>3</sup> on Jan 1, 2012 (*ibid.*)

### Potential Applications

- CALGreen, CA Code of Regulations Title 24, Part II, 2010, Sections A4.504.3/A5.504.4.8: Thermal Insulation
- ANSI/ASHRAE/USGBC/IES Standard 189.1-2009, Section 8.4.2.6: Ceiling & Wall Systems
- USGBC LEED for Schools, 2009, IEQ Credit 4.6: LEM - Ceiling & Wall Systems
- Collaborative for High Performance Schools (CHPS) rating system, 2009, Criteria EQ.2.6: Ceiling & Wall Systems
- ANSI/GBI 01-2010 Green Building Assessment Protocol, 2010, Table 12.2.1-C: Floors & Other Interior Products

**Narrative:** Advanced Fiber Technology selected a sample representative of its AFT Cellulose Insulation product and submitted it for testing commencing on 7/14/2011. Berkeley Analytical measured and evaluated the emissions of VOCs from this sample following CDPH/EHLB/Standard Method V1.1-2010. The results of the test are presented in Berkeley Analytical report, 543-001-01A-Aug0411.

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