



PRODUCT DATA SHEET

# Roof

## PINK® BATTS® CEILING INSULATION

### Application

Pink® Batts® ceiling insulation is a lightweight flexible glass wool insulation product designed to:

- Thermally insulate ceilings in new homes, be retrofitted into existing homes without insulation, or over existing insulation for better performance
- Fit easily into standard ceiling constructions, or be easily cut to fit in non-standard constructions
- Meet the requirements of the New Zealand Building Code (NZBC) for different designs and environments

### Features and Benefits

- High R-values – R-values up to R7.0 to assist in keeping homes above 18°C as per the World Health Organisation's recommendation for a healthy and comfortable home
- Easy to install – lightweight, flexible and simple design makes the installation fast and easy
- Internationally certified for Indoor Air Quality – gives assurance that products meet strict chemical emissions limits
- Non-combustible – will not easily burn in the event of a fire
- Made from over 80% recycled glass-making sustainable use of waste
- Designed for New Zealand building conditions

## Environment

Pink® Batts® insulation is a sustainable and energy efficient product.

- Manufactured using over 80% recycled glass, making sustainable use of waste
- Energy used during the manufacture of Pink® Batts® products is offset by the energy saved by a home fully insulated with Pink® Batts® products within 3-15 months<sup>1</sup>
- Manufactured in New Zealand and Australia, reducing shipping distances
- Recycleable packaging

### Green Star NZ Credits

Green Star is a comprehensive environmental rating system for buildings; materials with certain attributes can receive points that contribute to the overall score of a rated home.

New Zealand Green Building Council (NZGBC) does not test or certify products; they rely on the work done by third party certification bodies and eco labels like Environmental Choice. Further information is available at [nzgbc.org.nz](http://nzgbc.org.nz).

### Environmental Choice

Higher R-value Pink® Batts® ceiling insulation products have Environmental Choice New Zealand Accreditation (refer to Specification Notes on page 5 for accredited products)

Independently assessed for:

- **Waste Minimisation:** Recycled content, and recycling of process waste
- **Energy Management:** Effective energy management policies and procedures
- **Manufacturing Process:** Not manufactured using blowing agents with a Global Warming Potential (GWP) or Ozone Depleting Potential (ODP)
- **Product Characteristics:** Durability and performance



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Thermal Building Insulants

While only the higher R-value products are eligible for Environmental Choice, all Pink® Batts® thermal insulation products are manufactured in the same environmentally considerate way.

**Note** that Pink® Batts® R3.6 ceiling is manufactured in both New Zealand and Australia. Environmental Choice New Zealand applies to New Zealand made product only.

<sup>1</sup> [Beca Carter Hollings & Ferner Ltd, Energy Economics of Fibreglass Insulation, 2005]

## Health and Safety

### Product Safety

Pink® Batts® insulation is a non-hazardous, safe product.

- IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer) classifies the glass wool formulation used to manufacture Pink® Batts® products as Group 3: 'Not classifiable as to its carcinogenicity to humans'. This is the same classification as caffeine, tea, hair colouring, chlorinated drinking water and saccharin
- Pink® Batts® insulation is bio-soluble. In the unlikely event any fibres are inhaled into the lungs they will dissolve in the body fluids and be cleared from the body



### Indoor Air Quality

- Pink® Batts® insulation is certified under the GREENGUARD Certification Program. Being certified for indoor air quality gives an assurance that products meet strict chemical emissions limits (including minimal levels of VOCs and formaldehyde), to help create healthier indoor environments



### General Health

- Pink® Batts® insulation will assist in meeting the World Health Organisation recommendation for houses to be maintained at a minimum temperature of 18°C to provide a healthy and comfortable home
- A Wellington School of Medicine study found insulated houses resulted in families with fewer sick days and the economic benefit was double the initial cost of the insulation<sup>2</sup>

<sup>2</sup> Howden-Chapman, P. et al. "Effect of insulating existing houses on health inequality: cluster randomised study in the community" British Medical Journal, 2007, p334:460

## Technical Data

Properties	Result		Test/Method/Standard	Test Results
Combustibility	Non-Combustible	✓	AS/NZS 1530.1:1994	Group Number 1S
Early Fire Hazards		✓	AS/NZS 1530.3:1993 - Ignitability (Range 0-20) - Spread of Flame Index (Range 0-10) - Heat Evolved Index (Range 0-10) - Smoke Developed Index (Range 0-10)	= 0 = 0 = 0 = 0-1
R-value	Various*	✓	AS/NZS 4859.1:2002	
Corrosion	Non-Corrosive	N/A	AS/NZS 4859.1:2002-Glass wool exempt	
Moisture Absorption	Non-Hygroscopic	N/A	AS/NZS 4859.1:2002-Glass wool exempt	
Vermin Resistance	No Food Source	✓	AS/NZS 4859.1:2002-Glass wool exempt	

\* Stated thicknesses are values at which stated R-values are achieved and are likely to be minimum values. See table on Page 5.

## Acoustic Properties

Pink® Batts® insulation will assist with noise control, however penetrations in ceilings and walls will transmit sound readily. Superior noise control can be achieved by using Pink® Batts® insulation products in conjunction with good acoustic design.

## New Zealand Building Code (NZBC) and Limitations

Pink® Batts® ceiling insulation when used, installed and maintained in accordance with the requirements outlined in this datasheet, will meet or contribute to meeting the following provisions of the NZBC:

### NZBC Clause B2: Durability

Meets the requirement NZBC B2.3.1 a) 50 years and NZBC B2.3.1 b) 15 years

### NZBC Clause E3: Internal Moisture

Contributes to meeting these requirements

### NZBC Clause F2: Hazardous Building Materials

Meets this requirement and will not present a health hazard to people

### NZBC Clause H1: Energy Efficiency

Contributes to meeting this requirement

## Limitations

To meet the provisions of the NZBC as outlined in this datasheet, Pink® Batts® ceiling insulation MUST be:

- Installed and maintained in a dry protected environment
- Installed in a building where the provisions of NZBC E2 and E3 are met
- Installed to the requirements of NZS 4246:2016: Energy Efficiency-Installing bulk thermal Insulation in Residential Buildings

Pink® Batts® ceiling insulation should NOT be crushed or folded

## Specification Notes

State the following:

Product required: Pink® Batts® ceiling insulation and required R-value

## Product Specifications

	LIFETIME* WARRANTY	BRANZ APPRAISED	ENVIRONMENTAL CHOICE	GREENGUARD CERTIFICATION	PRODUCT CODE	SIZE (mm)	NOMINAL STABILISED THICKNESS* (mm)	NOMINAL TOTAL AREA PER BALE (m <sup>2</sup> )	APPROX. COVERAGE PER BALE** (m <sup>2</sup> )
<b>ROOF - Thermal Insulation</b>									
Pink® Batts® Classic R1.8 Ceiling	✓	✓		✓	7110118	1220 x 432	95	13.7	14.4
Pink® Batts® Classic R2.2 Ceiling	✓	✓		✓	7110122	1220 x 432	115	12.6	13.3
Pink® Batts® Classic R2.6 Ceiling	✓	✓		✓	7110126	1220 x 432	140	10.5	11.1
Pink® Batts® Classic R3.2 Ceiling	✓	✓		✓	7110132	1220 x 432	170	8.4	8.8
Pink® Batts® Classic R3.6 Ceiling †	✓	✓	✓‡	✓	7110136	1220 x 432	180	7.4	7.7
Pink® Batts® Ultra® R4.0 Ceiling	✓	✓	✓	✓	7110140	1220 x 432	195	6.3	6.6
Pink® Batts® Ultra® R5.0 Ceiling	✓	✓	✓	✓	7110150	1220 x 432	220	4.2	4.4
Pink® Batts® Ultra® R6.0 Ceiling	✓	✓	✓	✓	7110160	1220 x 432	235	3.7	3.9
Pink® Batts® Ultra® R6.3 Ceiling	✓	✓	✓	✓	7110163	1220 x 432	250	3.2	3.3
Pink® Batts® Ultra® R7.0 Ceiling	✓	✓	✓	✓	7110170	1220 x 432	260	2.6	2.8
Pink® Batts® Skillion Roof R3.2	✓	✓		✓	7110232	1220 x 432	115 max	3.7	3.9
Pink® Batts® Skillion Roof R3.6	✓	✓	✓	✓	7110236	1220 x 432	165 max	6.3	6.6
<b>ROOF - Retrofit Insulation</b>									
Pink® Batts® Retrofit R2.9 Ceiling <b>NEW</b>	✓	✓		✓	7110129	1220 x 432	150	9.5	10.0
Pink® Batts® Retrofit R3.3 Ceiling <b>NEW</b>	✓	✓		✓	7110133	1220 x 432	175	8.4	8.8

## Accreditations/Appraisals/Certifications



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\* Designers should allow for an additional 10% increase in loft for restricted cavities e.g skillion roofs

\*\* Coverage relates to standard structure and actual coverage may vary.

‡ This product is manufactured in both New Zealand and Australia. Environmental Choice New Zealand applies to New Zealand made products only.

# For full details of the Pink® Batts® Lifetime Warranty visit pinkbatts.co.nz



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