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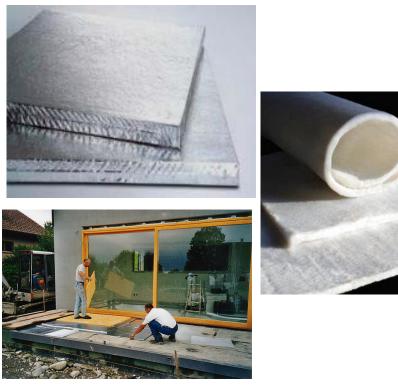


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Performance of thermal insulation in low energy buildings and advanced building renovation projects BRUSSELS – 15 December 2016

# Super Insulation materials : an overview of international activities and new products on the market



**IEA-EBC Annex 65:** Long-Term Performance of **Super-Insulating Materials** in Building Components & Systems

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Introduction

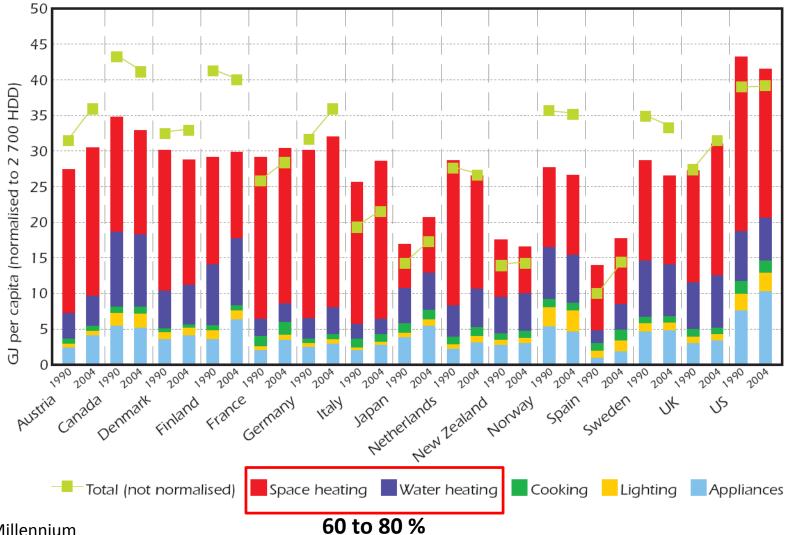
Why SIM ?

What are SIM ?

SIM around the world

**Technical Assessment – Certification - Normalization** 

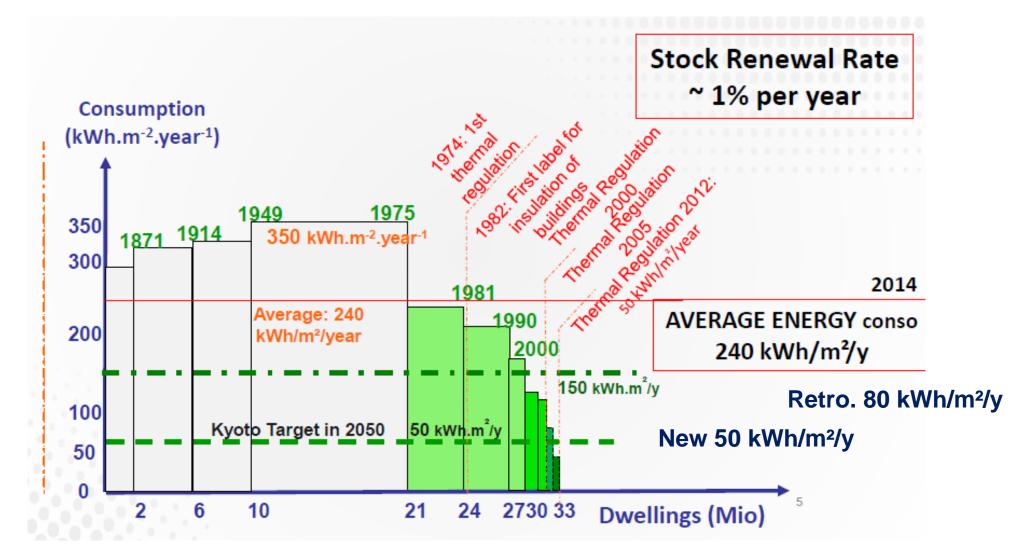
#### "Heatleaks", the first energy user ?



... through building envelope, water tank, pipes ...

Source : IEA - Millennium

## For example, in France ...



Buildings of yesterday are the problems of today & tomorrow

### **2050 : Challenges in the building sector**

#### **New Buildings**

- > NZEB : a well insulated building first
- > only 10 % to 20 % of additional energy consumption (2050)

#### **Renovation/Retrofitting**

- Building stock : more than 80% of energy consumption.
- About 75% of current buildings will still be standing in 2050

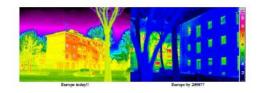


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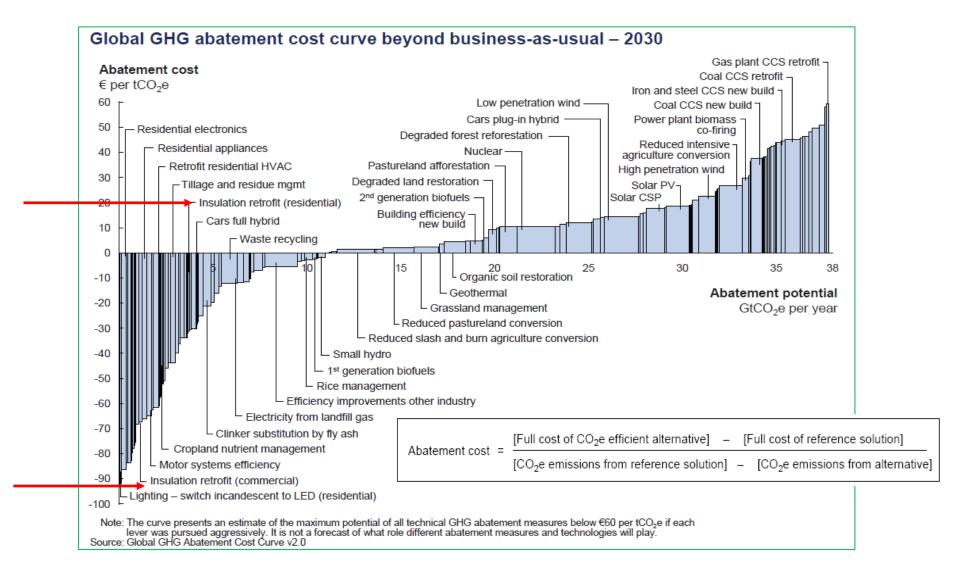
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# Insulation among the most efficient way to reduce GHG

Global cost curve for greenhouse gas abatement measures beyond "business as usual".



McKinsey, "Pathways to a Low Carbon Economy. Version 2 of the Global Greenhouse Gas Abatement Cost Curve", McKinsey & Company, 2009.

# Why new insulating materials ?

#### Already a large number of insulating materials ...



Source FIW

... but still some weak points at the wall & building scales

#### **Insulation requires Continuity** No Thermal Bridges, No "Air Tunnels"

#### 1 : still, too much thermal bridges, even for ETICS



The better the insulation, the more we should care about thermal bridges

Window reveal Balconies Terrace

Thermal bridges = "cold spots" Risk of condensate Risk of mould growth Risk of corrosion

Source: POUGET consultant

# **Retrofitting Downtown**

#### 2 : Space savings

#### Maison de l'Alsace



The choice of SIM comes from the Indoor Designer

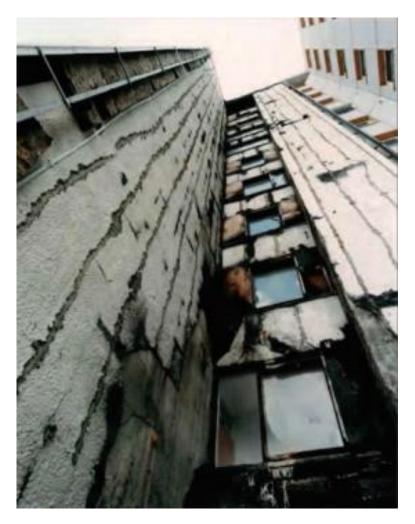
### **Fire**

#### 3 - Fire risks for ETICS

China : From early 2009 to early 2011

Three major fires of high rise building with loss of lives and destruction of property (millions of USD)

In 2/3 scenarios, traditional insulation materials - release of huge tonnage of toxic hydrocarbons

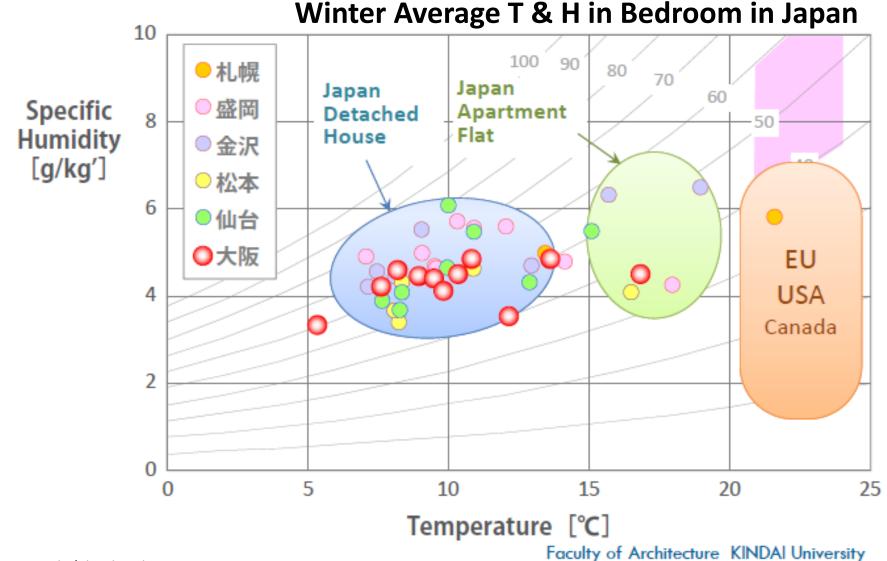


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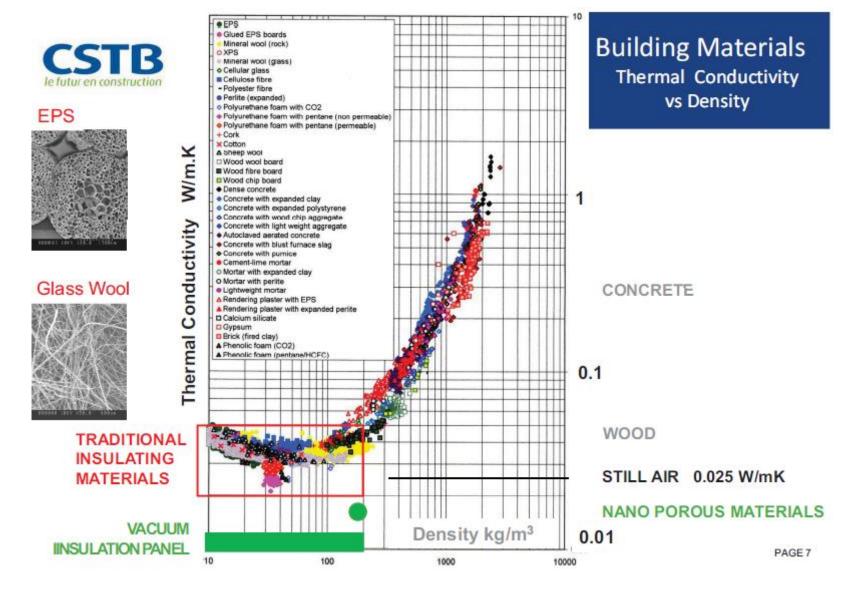
Energy and Buildings - Energy and Buildings 85 (2014) 644–653 Structure of vacuum insulation panel in building system Fred Edmond BOAFA et al. NUAA

# **Comfort & Health**

#### 4 – Low room temperature & diseases

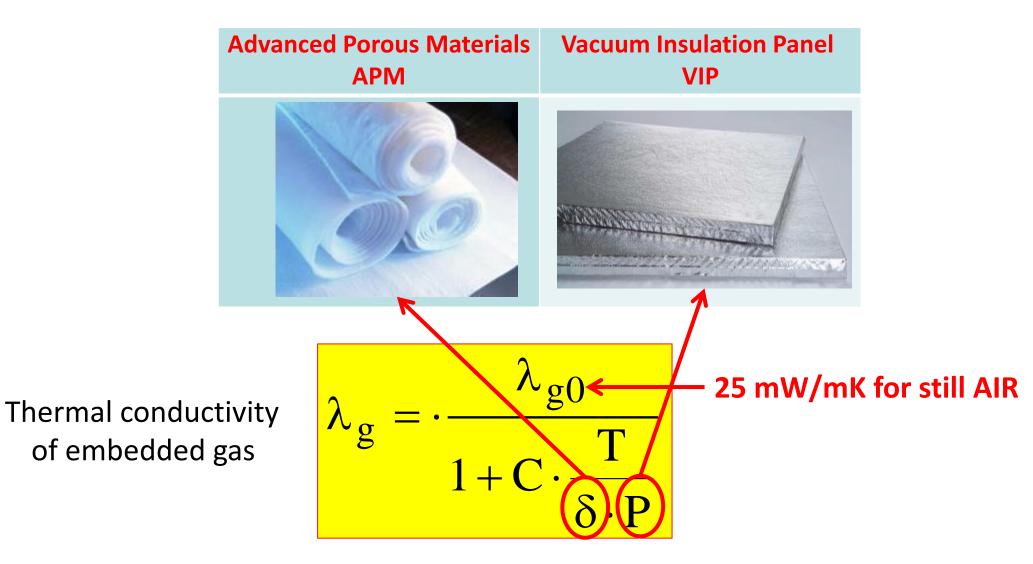


# What are Super Insulating Materials ?



Anderson B.R., Kosmina L., Panzhauser E., Lechleitner J., Achtziger J., Sandberg P.I., Johnsson B., Pompeo C., Frank T., Mühlebach H., Torroja B., 1999. Analysis, selection and statistical treatment of thermal properties of building materials for the preparation of harmonised design values – Final Report of the Thermal Values Group. BRE Scottish Laboratory, for Directorate General DG XII of the European Commission, Contract SMT4-CT96-2050, March 1999

# What are Super Insulating Materials ?



## **Heat Transfer Reduction**

Heat flow  $\phi$  (W) through a wall:

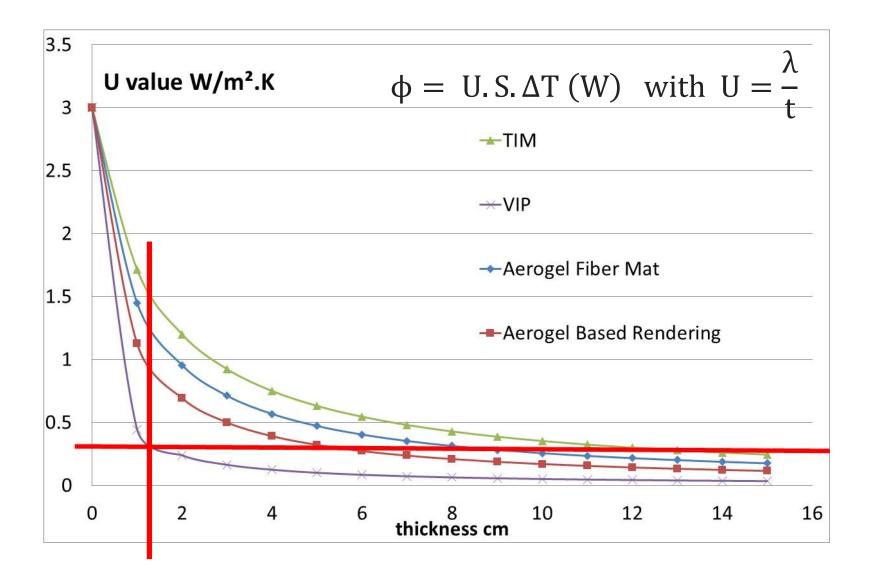
$$\phi = U.S.\Delta T (W)$$
 with  $U = \frac{\lambda}{t} W/m^2.K$ 

- 1 : reduce the surface S: architects and designers , compactness
- 2 : reduce the temperature gradient ∆T: climatic conditions and occupant behavior ...
- 3: reduce the U-value (W/m<sup>2</sup>.K):
  - increasing the thickness (t)
  - reducing the thermal conductivity  $\lambda$

How to keep living space without increasing building footprint ?

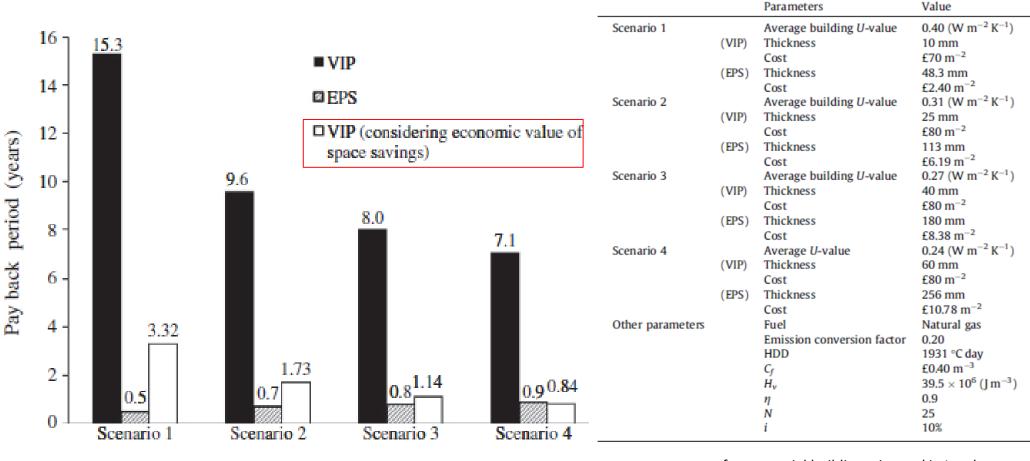
Thin Walls ?

#### **U-value**



# **Payback period of VIP and EPS** different scenarios of insulation for buildings

Insulation scenarios and main parameters used in payback period calculation.

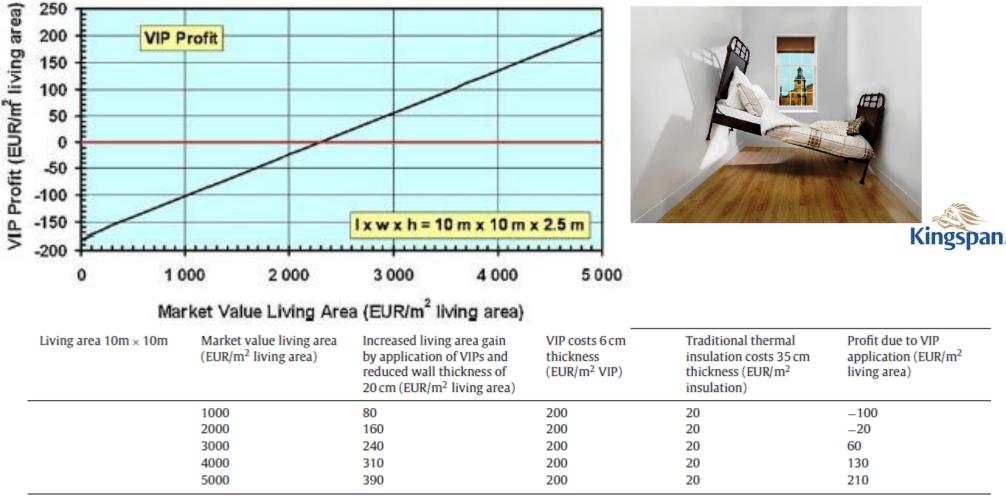


average rent of commercial buildings situated in London

assumed as  $\pounds 40 \text{ ft}^2$ 

Vacuum Insulation Panels (VIPs) for building construction industry – A review of the contemporary developments and future directions - Applied Energy 88 (2011) 3592–3602 M. Alam 1, H. Singh, M.C. Limbachiya Sustainable Technology Research Centre (STRC), Kingston University, Roehampton Vale, Friars Avenue, London SW15 3DW, UK

# **Profit as function of living area market**



Profit in EUR/(m2 living area) by application of VIPs as function of living area market value where the wall thickness reduction is 20cm for an example building of 10m × 10 m. An interior floor to ceiling height of 2.5m is assumed

Traditional, state-of-the-art and future thermal building insulation materials and solutions – Properties, requirements and possibilities - Energy and Buildings 43 (2011) 2549–2563 - Bjørn Petter Jelle , SINTEF, NTNU - Norrway

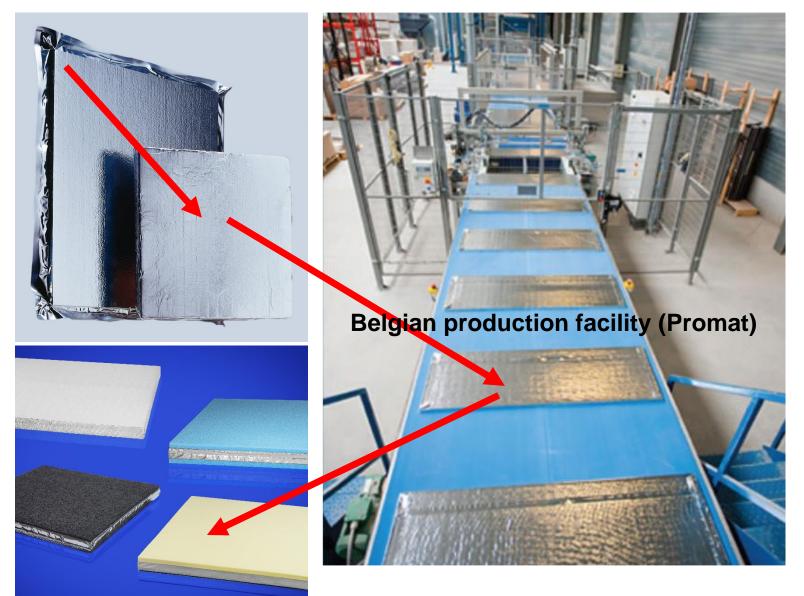
### SIM around the world

### **VIP : Vacuum Insulation Panels**

# APM : Advanced Porous Materials (aerogel, porous silica)

### SIM : mature products but ...





Source : BPIE – PROMAT - MORGAN Plc

# ... still an important innovation potential

# BARRIERS

 SIMs have a high material cost

 SIMs are not adapted to the needs and concerns of the construction sector, i.e. robust and system approach

 Actors such as architects and insulation installers lack experience with SIMs

RS	The current and future
ш	energy performance standards
DRIV	for renovations demand high
ä	insulation levels

 Insulation products needed to solve thermal bridge problems

 Space or weight saving insulation materials needed

SIMs are product mature

- ONS Evolve from a single material or product to a system SOLUTI solution that includes fixings, finishing, etc. System solution leading
  - to reduced labour costs
  - Design and execution guidelines, training etc. bringing SIMs to relevant actors in the construction value chain

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#### The SIM market according IEA





# **Certified Products**

Description of ISOVIP product Panel core: Fumed silica under vacuum Envelope : Trimetallized film Surface : Mechanical protection for the 2 facings by glueing XPS (3 mm) Mechanical protection with XPS Fumed silica core Trimetallized film  $\lambda = 5.2 \text{ mW/(m.K)}$ Panel thicknesses between 25 and 50 mm Certifié ACERMI + 2 x 3 mm XPS protection XPS Two panel sizes 600 mm x 300 mm 600 mm x 1000 mm



# **System Solutions**

#### **OPTIMAVIP(1/7) – Step by step implementation**

#### Accept and prepare the construction site

Wall dimension measurements, configurator use, order products, prepare the wall surface







#### Fixation of Clip'Optima upper and lower horizontal rails

 Use a ISOVIP to adjust the rail at the correct distance from the wall. The panel must smoothly slide behind the rail without forcing in order to avoid piercing.





Procédé d'isolation thermique de murs en panneaux isolants sous vide ISOVIP.
Thermal insulation system of walls using vacuum insulation panels
System zur Wärmedämmung von Wänden mit Vakuumisolationspaneele

Procédé d'isolation thermique de murs en panneaux isolants sous vide ISOVIP.

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#### Optima VIP application en mur

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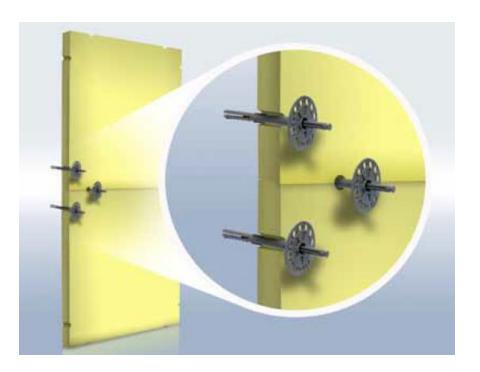
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# **System Solutions**

#### **Protected VIP**

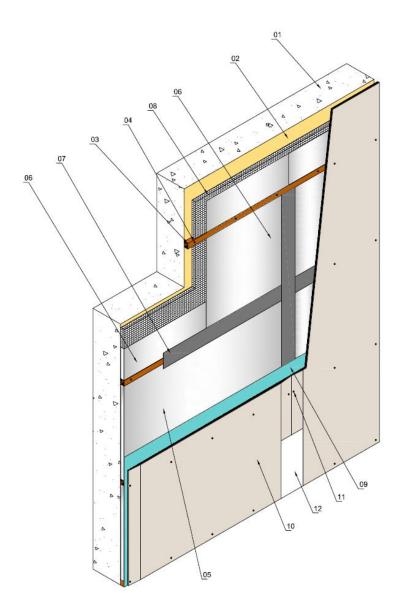




#### Handling & Transportation Installation / fixing

Sources : va-Q-tec – Roland CAPS

# **System Solutions**



- **01. Existing wall**
- **02.** Optional protection layer (PE foam, PET foam)
- 03. Stud (wood batten 27x35 mm<sup>2</sup>)
- 04. Plug + screw
- 05. VIP Slimvac 1200 x 600 mm<sup>2</sup> or 1300 x 600 mm<sup>2</sup>
- 06. VIP Slimvac other dimension
- 07. Tape 100 mm
- **08.** Finishing insulation material for gaps (PSE, PU)
- 09. Vapor control layer
- **10. Siniat Plasterboard BA13**
- 11. Siniat screw Prégy TF 212x35
- **12. Strip + Finishing**

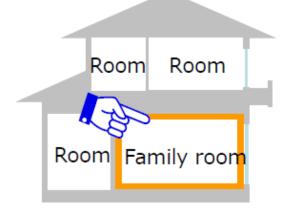
# **System Solutions in Japan**

#### Insulation Panel Living System

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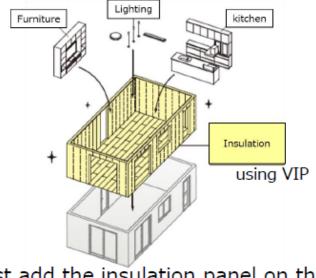
#### Background

Energy consumption in housing



Heat load in F. R. is 70%\* of the whole house in Japan

Insulation Panel Living System □Insulation retrofit



Just add the insulation panel on the existing wall from indoor side

#### Feature of Insulation Panel Living System

- Save the cooling and heating cost
  Easy and Quick install:without scaffolding.

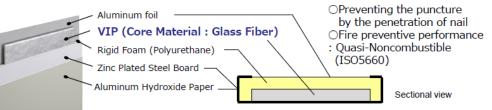


# **System Solutions in Japan**

#### Floor Panel



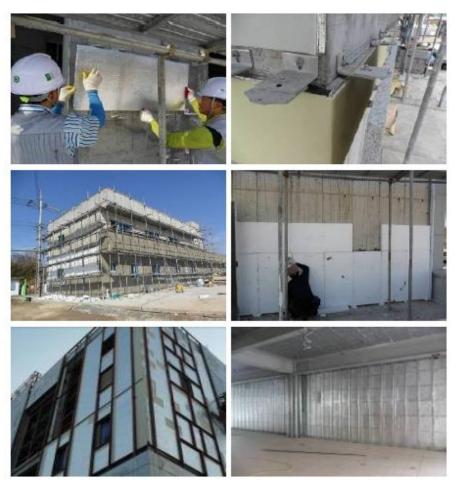
#### Wall Panel



# **VIP in KOREA**

Building type (city)	Insulation system	Insulation layers and thicknesses	Outer wall <i>U</i> -value (W/m <sup>2</sup> ·K)
H bank (Jeju)	External insulation	VIP, 30 mm	0.15
I office (Iksan)	External insulation	VIP, 15 mm + EPS, 45 mm	0.26
N office (Iksan)	Internal insulation	VIP, 20 mm	0.23

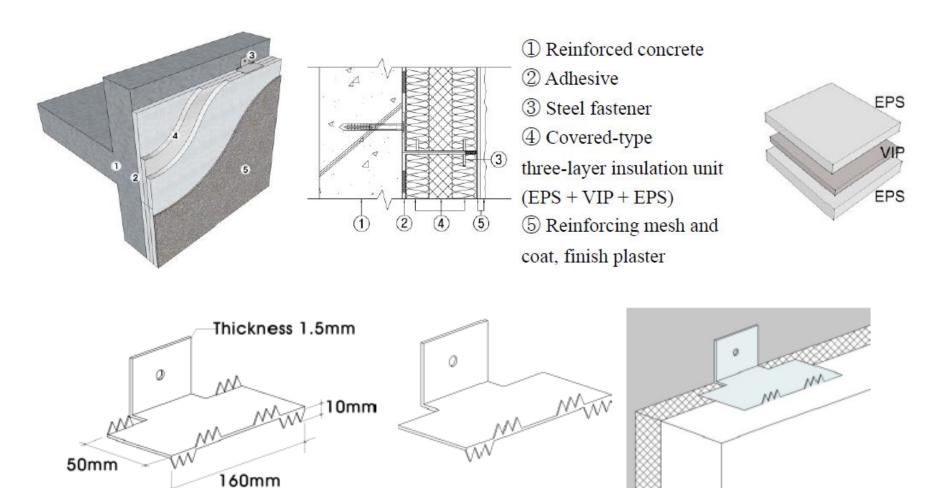
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### **VIP in KOREA**

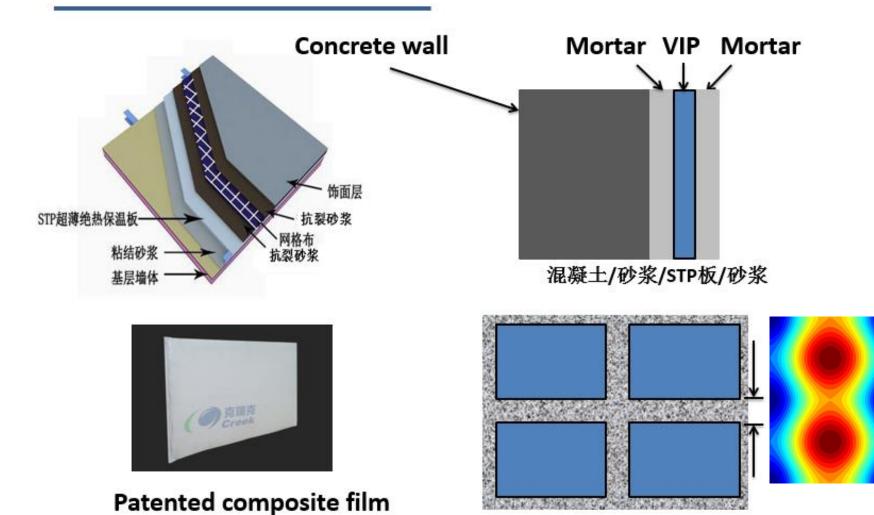
#### Fastening

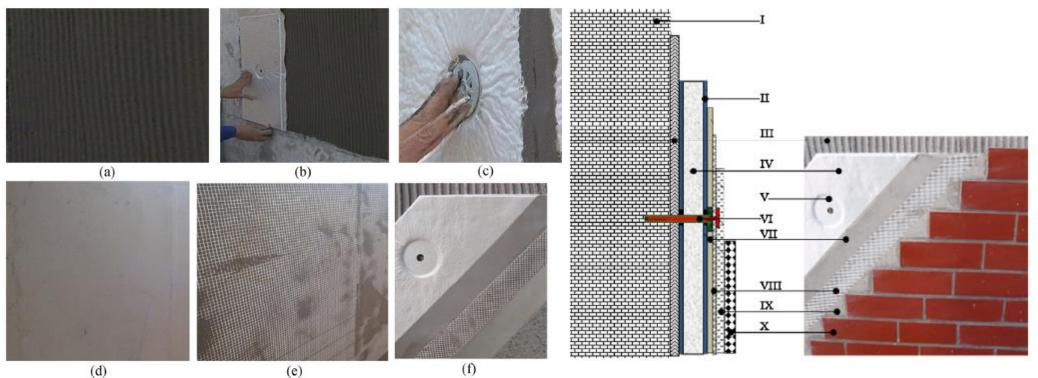


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# VIP Insulation System in China

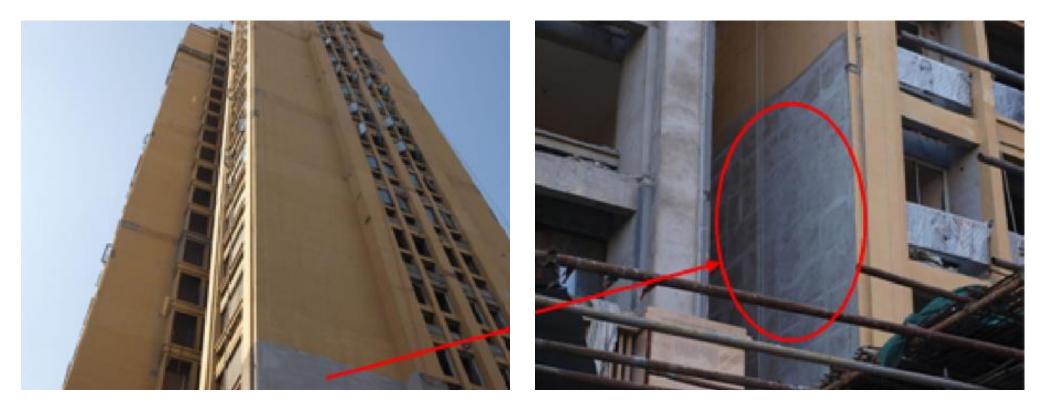






I - Existing wall II - Interface adhesive powder III - Bonding mortar (with gutters) IV-Vacuum insulation panel V - Hole for support VI - Plastic spacer VII - Plaster mortar VIII - Fiberglass mesh IX - Surface mortar plaster X - Surface decorations





Suzhou city renovated commercial building



Harbin city renovated residential building.

# **Aerogel in USA**

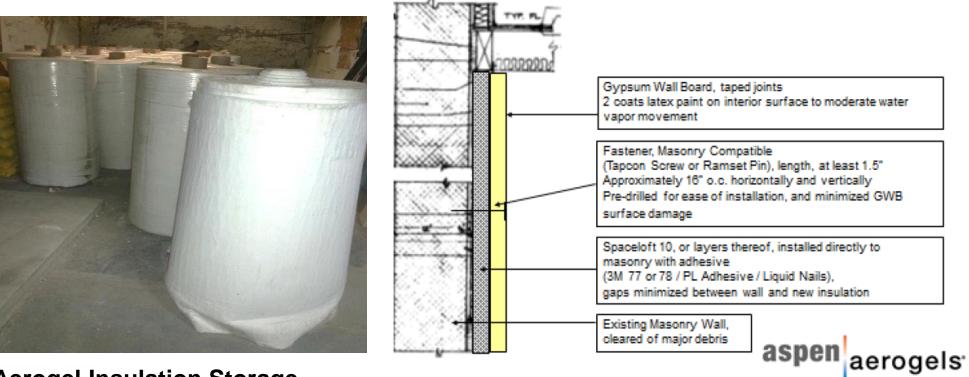


#### New York State Energy Research and Development Authority (NYSERDA)

1770 (left) and 1780 (right) Davidson Avenue – New York

# Aerogel in USA : storage & design

Proposed Wall Design Detail For Spaceloft Aerogel Insulation Interior Installation on Exposed Masonry or Concrete



**Aerogel Insulation Storage** 

### **Aerogel in USA : installation**











Aerogel blanket used in mobile homes



#### Aerogel blanket used in roofing applications

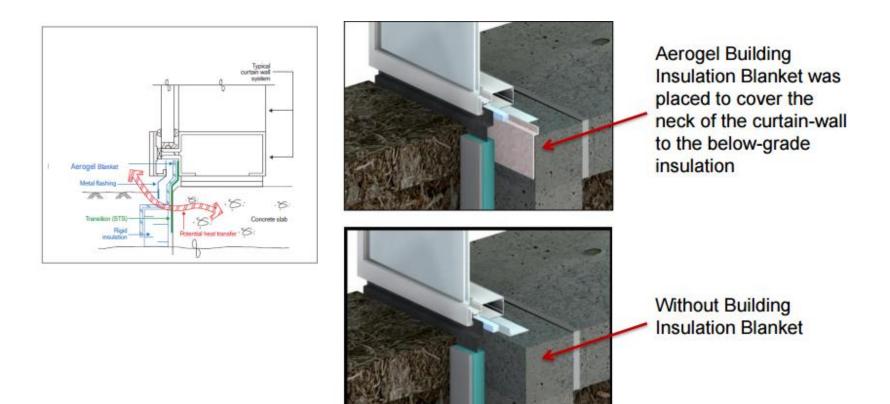


Aerogel blanket used under heating pipe

# Other aerogel Applications

A Study on the Architectural Application of Aerogel Young Cheol Kwon School of Architecture, Halla University, Gangwon 220-712, Korea Dec. 2013, Volume 7, No. 12 (Serial No. 73), pp. 1494-1500 - Journal of Civil Engineering and Architecture, ISSN 1934-7359, USA

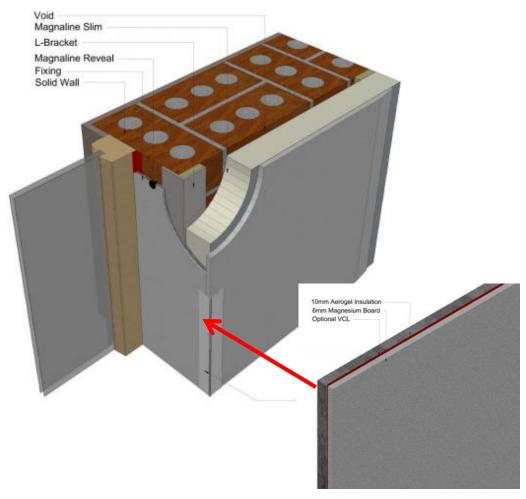
## **Aerogel Blanket for Thermal Bridges Treatment**



Perimeter heat loss for curtain-wall at-grade by varying U-values

Depth of	Below Grade	Slab Perimet (BTU/h	% Reduction	
Insulation	Insulation (hr·ft <sup>2,</sup> °F/BTU)	Without Building Insulation Blanket	10mm Building Insulation Blanket	in Heat Loss
24"	R-10	0.495	0.370	25%

## Aerogel Blanket for Thermal Bridges Treatment Window Reveals





Source : Enviroform

## **Aerogel for prefabricated buildings**



#### Sea Containers Refurbished For Residential Use





http://www.proctorgroup.com/projects/spacetherm-dundee & Aspen aerogel

## **Aerogel Rendering**

## **Aerogel Insulating Plaster**

- λ = 0.028 W/mK
- Commercially sold since 2013
- Water repellant & diffusion open
- Swiss environmental award at Swissbau 2014
- Innovation award "Praxis Altbau" at BAU 2015







# Technical Assessment & Standardisation



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Trimetallized film

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25	31	600x300	0,0027	0,0044	4,25
25	31	1000x600	0,0027	0,0044	4,55
30	36	600x300	0,0024	0,0039	5,00
30	36	1000x600	0,0024	0,0039	5,35
35	41	600x300	0,0021	0,0035	5,80
35	41	1000x600	0,0021	0,0035	6,25
40	46	600x300	0,0019	0,0033	6,60
40	46	1000x600	0,0019	0,0033	7,10
45	51	600x300	0,0017	0,0030	7,40
45	51	1000x600	0,0017	0,0030	7,95
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# Thermal insulation products for buildings — Factory made Vacuum Insulation Panels (VIP) — Specification

Produits isolants thermiques pour le bâtiment — Produits manufacturés en laine vacuum isolation panel (VIP) — Spécification

Source : Ulrich PASSON

## **Some preliminary conclusions from Annex 65**

#### **About Products & Systems**

- SIM can be considered as mature products
- > Need to move from single product to **system solutions**

#### **About Performances**

- Reproducible values for "fresh" products around the world
- Still some deviations for aged panels ?

#### **About Applications**

- Avoid severe conditions without preliminary design & SIM protections
- Interior Insulation is fine

### **Two Associations to promote VIP & APM**

## VACUUM INSULATION PANEL



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### Annex65 : a bridge between science & market



### Thank you for your attention

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