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Applicant:	Eterno Ivica S.r.I., via Austria Z.I. n. 25/E - Padova		
Application:	Received at 09/12/2013		
Material:	3 samples of pedestal "ETERNO SE0" series, received at 09/12/2013. The "ETERNO SE0" is an adjustable pedestal for raised floors. It is composed by a cylindrical base element (B0), an intermediate screw element (V0) threaded on the base. The intermediate screw element has a concave housing at the top for the self-levelling head element.		
Required test:	Measure the maximum compressive eccentric load of the specimen and the displacement of the testing machine's crossbar.		
Testing method:	The compression tests were made for all the 3 samples. The components of the pedestal had been assembled and the four tabs removed, the height of pedestal was regulated to the medium (33mm) stroke of the screw. Testing speed set to 10 mm/min (checking movement of moving crossbar of the universal testing machine Galdabini, type Sun/60, with a load capacity of 600 kN). The load applied with hardened steel plate on the base of specimen and a steel rectangular prism on the top of the pedestal with an eccentricity of 27.5 mm. The values of maximum load (F_{max}) are the values of load at first failure/rupture. The testing machine's certificate of calibration is n°016-14F about Calibration centre LAT n° 34 with due data January 14 th , 2015. Test activities were carried out on February 6 th , 2014. For any technical and dimensional detail, assembling scheme and any other information not included in this document, brochures and technical data sheets are at Applicant's disposal.		
Test Result			

Specimen	Max Load F _{max} [kN]	Stroke at F _{max} [mm]
1	11.18	5.3
2	11.90	5.3
3	11.76	5.4

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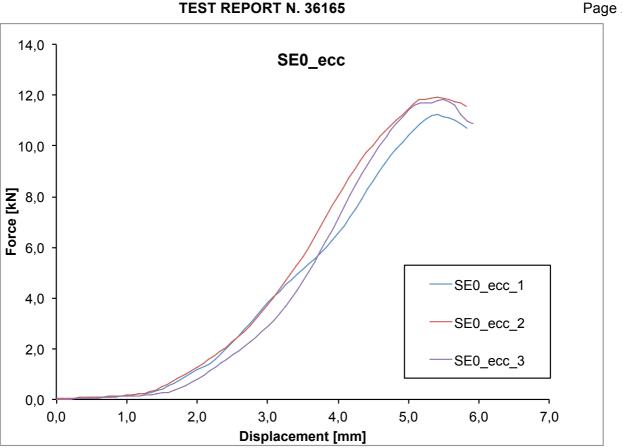


Figure 1 Diagram force versus displacement of testing machine's crossbar for "ETERNO SE0" specimen.

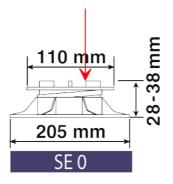


Figure 2 Typical "ETERNO SE0" specimen.

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