# vmz Composite

Composite zinc panels for ventilated cladding and curtain walls.

## Data sheet



### **Advantages**

**Exceptionally flat** 

Exclusive large dimensions for zinc
Dimensional stability and exceptional rigidity
Suitable for complex shapes (can be formed

and bent easily)

The elegance of zinc.



Flat facades for all types of buildings, especially commercial and collective housing buildings. Suitable for new constructions and renovations.



1 0.5 mm zinc sheets

2 FR\* Polyethylene layer



#### **VMZ** Composite

Multilayered panels made up of two sheets of zinc that are 0.5 mm thick and thermo-glued to either side of a mineral-rich polyethylene core for optimum reaction to fire.

## **Technical**

#### **Exclusive large dimensions**

Maximum width	1,000 mm *
Standard length	2,000 mm - 3,000 mm - 4,000 mm
Lengths to order	up to 6,000 mm

<sup>\* 1,250</sup> mm on request solely in QUARTZ-ZINC® in 0.7 mm thickness.

#### Characteristics of panels

Surface aspects	Preweathered QUARTZ-ZINC® and ANTHRA-ZINC®
Thickness of zinc	0.5 mm
Inner layer	mineral-rich polyethylene (FR)*
Overall thickness	4 mm
Moment of inertia	0.39 cm⁴/m
Density of composite	12 kg/m²
Expansion coefficient	2.2 mm per 100°C

<sup>\*</sup> Fire Retardancy

# Area of use

Installation

VMZ Composite can be installed in panels fixed with rivets or screws, in vertical cassettes or in horizontal cassettes.

Authorised supports Installation on a connected aluminium substructure fixed to brickwork, concrete or metal supporting structures. Ventilated support (38 mm minimum air space).

**Types of facade** To be installed on flat, vertical supports or on under-surfaces.

**Climates** All wind regions.

# Reference documents

EN 988 standard

European standard pertaining to the quality of zinc, copper and titanium.

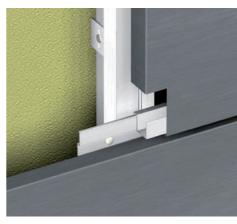
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Cassette systems: vertical cassettes



Cassette systems: horizontal cassettes



#### Further information on VMZINC®

Standard or customised descriptions, references, specification and installation guide on www.vmzinc.co.uk

