Wet room analysis

Zoning in the wet rooms:

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Wet zone – shower area and whole floor area + 100 mm up the wall

Moist zone – surrounding walls outside of the shower area

Class L (Light): Wet rooms with low water- and moisture load, that is few daily baths and good airing after use. Low water- and moisture load are found e.g. in wet rooms in single-family

houses, summer cottages for personal use and buildings with limited application.

Class M (Medium): Wet rooms with medium water- and moisture load, that is several daily baths and/or faulty airing. Averagely water- and moisture load are e.g. often found in dense-low homes, flats, hotels, summer cottages for rental and bathrooms to smaller jobs.

Class H (High): Wet rooms with high water- and moisture load, or where there is greater mechanical loads of the wet room's surfaces and constructions than normally in homes, e.g. many daily baths, periods with water on the floor, direct on-spraying of water on surfaces or use of dinner wagons and mobile machines. High water- and moisture load are found e.g. in shared bathrooms in sports centers, restoration kitchens, great kitchens, production rooms in the food industry, indoor pool area in single-family houses and summer cottages, see section 2.4, *Heavily loaded wet rooms*.





Floor construction:

- Inorganic sub floor on top of heavy slab constructions (concrete).
- LIP waterproofing system
- Elastic joints at the corners between tiles connections

The Building regulations demands that water on floors in wet rooms has to be drained off for floor drains. Floors therefore have to be carried out with slope against floor drains. (SBI 252)

Floor level from door to top of floor drain – 30 mm difference As shown:



SBI 252

Concrete height at floor drain - 60 mm



Actual floor construction:

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On top of hollow core deck elements (build up): 3 mm sound insulating matt 100 mm Thermotec 90 mm in-situ concrete 40 mm screed 2 mm waterproofing membrane (+ elastic joints at corners) 9 mm tiles

Wall analysis used in wet room:

The walls in the wet rooms in the building have light-weight construction of steel frame and 2 plates on each side – on the side towards another room that is not a wet room – used gypsum, and on the side towards the wet room – special plate that is moisture resistant:





Wall construction:

Steel profile 70 mm 2 x Solid Wet Board (12,5 mm each) on the side of the wet room Waterproofing membrane – LIP system Tiles Solid Wet boards are MK-approved, made of fiberglass-reinforced plasterboard with an impregnated plaster core.

Water tightening Wall construction	MK-approved tile system with membrane	PVC	At least 0,20 mm PE-foil or 1 mm wet room mem- brane as underlay for plate covering or boards	Tile system without membrane /paint treatment. The demands to achieve MK-ap- proval have to be fulfilled and be doc- umented ¹⁾	None, that is a water proof surface of tile covering/paint treat- ment or the like ²⁾
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Stud wall with wetroo plasterboard	^m ••••		008	000	000
Stud wall with fiber- plasterboard	000	•••	•••	000	•••

Ceiling analysis used in wet room:

Ceilings in wet rooms normally have to be carried out airtight in order to prevent up-flow of hot, moist room air. This can for example be gained by using a plate covering that has been connected air tight against the walls. Damp-stopping layers mustn't be placed on ceilings between two wet rooms, because a damp stopping layer can collect water and thus delay an observation of leaks in overlying wet room floors. (SBI 252)

Materials used in the project:

Suspended ceiling system (steel) from KNAUF 2 x gypsum boards Sealant along the corners

