

FIRE RESISTANCE

Dock Four: fire behaviour and requirements

If the Dock Four is intended for use in the home, it is not subject to any specific fire-behaviour-related requirements. The following applies when using a Dock Four Stylepad in public spaces: Dock Four is a decoration or design element and, according to Section 7.4 of the 2012 Buildings Decree (*Bouwbesluit 2012*), must only contribute marginally to the creation of a fire hazard. Most Dock Four Stylepads (consisting of a limited number of m²s) make just a marginal contribution to the creation of a fire hazard. As such, no further requirements apply in this respect either.

If *no* marginal contribution is made to fire behaviour, or a special designated use is the case, requirements may be imposed in relation to fire class and smoke class.

The constituent components used by Dock Four: *the various hard and soft upholstery materials, acoustic foams, MDF and ABS hanging system* enable it to comply with certain fire and smoke-class requirements, immediately or once several extra measures have been implemented.

Please contact the Dock Four team to discuss special designated uses. We are always happy to help.



Efectis Nederland (formerly TNO), a laboratory that carries out fire testing, tested and issued a report on the fire behaviour of various Dock Four combinations. Test results are available on request and via the downloads section of this website.

