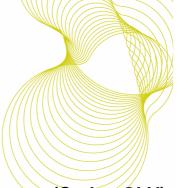


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The

Manthorpe SmartVerge[®] Linear Dry Verge System (Code: GLV)

was tested in the BRE high speed wind tunnel on

20th July 2007

Photographs of the verges as tested with plain tiles and fibre cement slates are shown below.





The testing showed that when installed as described in the manufacturers instructions, the Manthorpe SmartVerge[®] Linear Dry Verge System is capable of withstanding wind speeds of up to at least 48.5m/s (108mph). At this wind speed the verges showed no visible signs of distress and at the end of the testing there were no indications that the verges or their fixings had sustained any wind-induced damage.

Signed.

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