



# WSAA PRODUCT APPRAISAL CERTIFICATE

## Saint-Gobain PAM PAM HYDROCLASS® and INTEGRAL® Ductile Iron Pipes

This appraisal is for a range of PAM ductile iron pipes suitable for conveyance of drinking water, non-drinking, sewerage and aggressive waters.

This Issue 6 is to amend the seal coat material from a bituminous based paint to a water based 2-part epoxy paint. The change was prompted for environmental reasons.

The scope of this appraisal includes ductile iron pipe in sizes DN 100 to DN 750 with spigot and socket elastomeric joints manufactured to AS/NZS 2280:2020 *Ductile iron pipes and fittings*.

The pipes are available in sizes from DN 100 to DN 750 in pressure classes PN20, PN35 and Flange Class.

The jointing system for both the HYDROCLASS and INTEGRAL range of pipes is the T-type elastomeric joint.

HYDROCLASS pipes may be internally lined with GP, GB or SR cement mortar with a seal coat option. The INTEGRAL pipes are lined with calcium aluminate cement mortar.

External coatings may be metallic zinc (mean mass 200 g/m<sup>2</sup>) or ZINALIUM metallic zinc-aluminium alloy (mean mass 400 g/m<sup>2</sup>) with a synthetic resin finishing layer.

Quality certifications and details of products are included in the attached Schedules A and B.

<b>Product Category</b>	Ductile Iron Pipes
<b>PA Number:</b>	PA 1418 Issue 6
<b>Supplier</b>	Saint-Gobain PAM
<b>Brand</b>	PAM
<b>Standards</b>	AS/NZS 2280:2020 <i>Ductile iron pipes and fittings</i>
<b>WSAA Product Specification</b>	WSA PS-200 <i>Ductile Iron Pipes (CIOD) for Pressure Applications – Drinking Water, Non-Drinking Water Supply and Sewerage.</i>
<b>Issue date</b>	13 November 2024
<b>Expiry date</b>	20 October 2028
<b>Recommendations</b>	It is recommended that WSAA members and associates accept/authorise the PAM HYDROCLASS and INTEGRAL range of DI pipes that are relevant to pressure pipelines in water supply and sewerage, provided pipeline design, installation, acceptance testing and commissioning are in accordance with applicable WSAA Codes and the manufacturer's requirements where specified.
<b>Disclaimer</b>	The disclaimer on Page 2 explains a number of very important limits on your ability to rely on the information in this Product Appraisal Certificate and the assessment criteria used to underlay it. Please read it carefully and take it into account when considering the content in this Certificate.

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**QUALITY AND PRODUCT CERTIFICATIONS**

Copies of the following Quality Certificates are available from WSAA.

**TABLE A1**

**SAINT- GOBAIN PIPELINES CO LTD - MANAGEMENT SYSTEM**

Maanshan Anhui China and Rizhao Shandong China	
Quality Systems Standard	ISO 9001:2015
Certification Licence No.	CN046415
Certifying Agency	Bureau Veritas
First Date of Certification	17 October 1999
Current Date of Certification	23 October 2023
Expiry Date of Certification	14 November 2026

**TABLE A2**

**SAINT- GOBAIN PIPELINES – PRODUCT CERTIFICATION**

15 Edgars Road Thomastown Vic	
Product Standard/Spec.	AS/NZS 2280:2020
Certificate No.	BMP 549624
Issuing Certification Body	BSI
First Date of Certification	16 June 2009
Current Date of Certification	16 October 2023
Expiry Date of Certification	15 June 2029



**HYDROCLASS & INTEGRAL  
DUCTILE IRON CEMENT MORTAR LINED PIPES**

Nominal Diameter DN	Length	Outside Diameter	Pressure Classification		
			PN20	PN35	FLCL
mm	m	mm			
100	5.75	122		✓	✓
150	5.75	177		✓	✓
200	5.75	232		✓	✓
225	5.75	259	✓	✓	✓
250	5.75	286	✓	✓	✓
300	5.75	345	✓	✓	✓
375	5.75	426	✓	✓	✓
450	5.75	507	✓	✓	✓
500	5.75	560	✓	✓	✓
600	5.75	667	✓	✓	✓
750	5.75	826	✓	✓	✓

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