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# Wedge Anchors BPIR Declaration

Version: v1

# Designated building product: Class 1

#### **Declaration**

GFC Fasteners has provided this declaration to satisfy the provisions of Schedule 1(d) of the Building (Building Product Information Requirements) Regulations 2022.

#### Product/system

Name	Wedge Anchors
Line	Mechanical Anchor
Identifier	TWAGM12100 (12= diameter, 100 = length

#### **Description**

pre-assembled torque controlled mechanical stud anchor, which when tightened draws the tapered end of the bolt into the expander clip expanding it to create expansion forces against the wall of the hole.

#### Scope of use

Wedge anchors intended uses are primarily suited for light to heavy-duty anchoring purpose. They can only be used if the base material is solid concrete.

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#### Conditions of use

The responsibility for choosing the correct size/diameter and finish of the product, as well as applying the appropriate torque during installation in accordance with the application's requirements, rests with the user.

#### Relevant building code clauses

**B1 Structure** — B1.3.1, B1.3.2, B1.3.3 (b, d, e, f, g, h, j, q), B1.3.4

**B2 Durability** — B2.3.1 (a)

F2 Hazardous building materials — F2.3.1

#### Contributions to compliance

N/A

# Supporting documentation

The following additional documentation supports the above statements:

Wedge Anchor v1 <a href="https://www.gfcfast.co.nz">https://www.gfcfast.co.nz</a>
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For further information supporting Wedge Anchors claims refer to our website.

#### Contact details

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# Responsible person

As the responsible person as set out in Regulation 3, I confirm that the information supplied in this declaration is based on information supplied to the company as well as the company's own processes and is therefore to the best of my knowledge, correct.

I can also confirm that Wedge Anchors is not subject to a warning on ban under <u>\$26</u> of the Building Act.

Signed for and on behalf of GFC Fasteners:

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# **Appendix**

# **BPIR Ready selections**

Category: Fixings and fasteners

# Building code performance clauses

#### **B1** Structure

B1.3.1

*Buildings*, *building elements* and *sitework* shall have a low probability of rupturing, becoming unstable, losing equilibrium, or collapsing during *construction* or *alteration* and throughout their lives.

B1.3.2

*Buildings*, *building elements* and *sitework* shall have a low probability of causing loss of amenity through undue deformation, vibratory response, degradation, or other physical characteristics throughout their lives, or during *construction* or *alteration* when the *building* is in use.

B1.3.3

Account shall be taken of all physical conditions likely to affect the stability of *buildings*, *building* elements and *sitework*, including:

- (b) imposed gravity loads arising from use
- (d) earth pressure
- (e) water and other liquids
- (f) earthquake
- (g) snow
- (h) wind
- (j) impact
- (q) time dependent effects including creep and shrinkage

B1.3.4

Due allowances shall be made for:

- a. the consequences of failure,
- b. the intended use of the building,

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- c. effects of uncertainties resulting from *construction* activities, or the sequence in which *construction* activities occur,
- d. variation in the properties of materials and the characteristics of the site, and
- e. accuracy limitations inherent in the methods used to predict the stability of buildings

#### **B2** Durability

B2.3.1

*Building elements* must, with only normal maintenance, continue to satisfy the performance requirements of this code for the lesser of the *specified intended life* of the *building*, if stated, or:

• (a) the life of the building, being not less than 50 years, if: those building elements (including floors, walls, and fixings) provide structural stability to the building, or those building elements are difficult to access or replace, or failure of those building elements to comply with the building code would go undetected during both normal use and maintenance of the building

### F2 Hazardous building materials

F2.3.1

The quantities of gas, liquid, radiation or solid particles emitted by materials used in the *construction* of *buildings*, shall not give rise to harmful concentrations at the surface of the material where the material is exposed, or in the atmosphere of any space.

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