



# Gorter® always on top!

Gorter® is an international organisation founded in 1928. Gorter has specialised in roof, floor, wall, and ceiling access since the nineties of last century. The Gorter Group™ is now represented in Europe, Australia, Asia, and the Middle East.

Its own engineering department enables Gorter® to deliver complete and reliable access solutions in the form of hatches with associated climbing facilities. The components are optimally adapted to each other, not only in terms of design, but also from the perspective of safety, and certified by authorised bodies where possible. Gorter is the specialist in roof, floor, walls, and ceiling access for a reason.



























# **Roof hatch RHT**

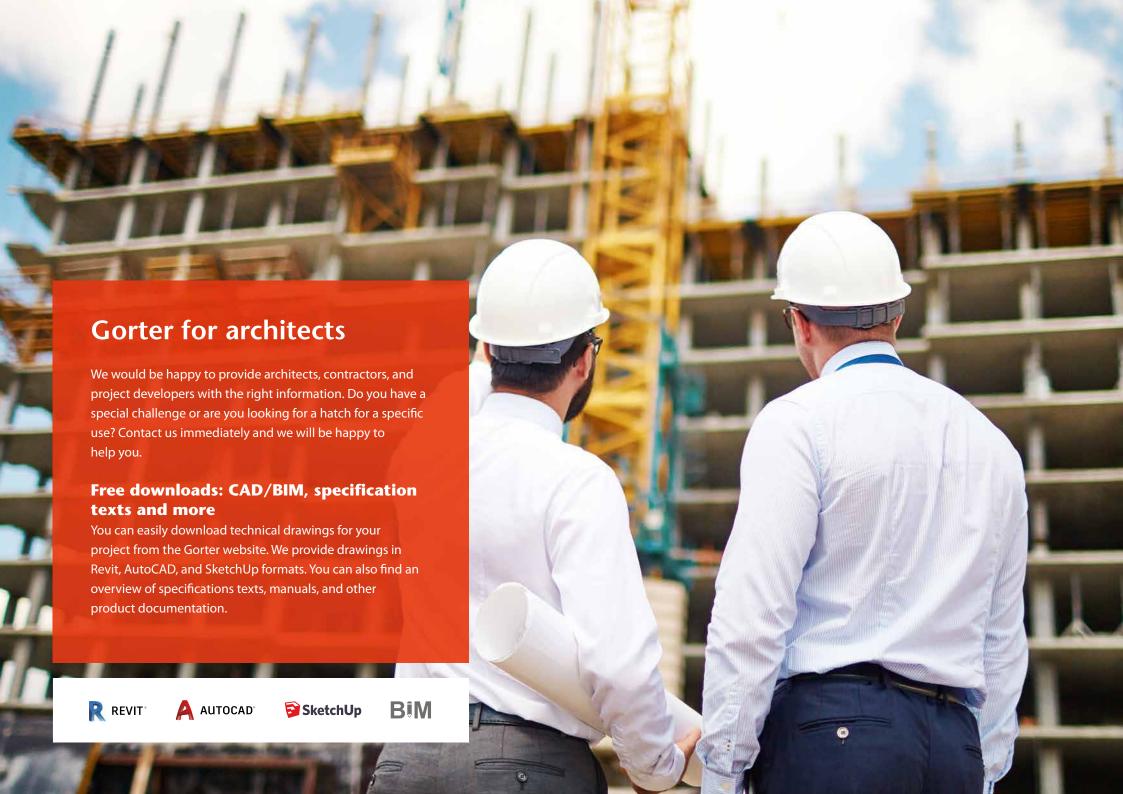
### For roof patio, office, and home

RHT roof hatches can be used as an escape hatch but usually offer a practical way to access roof patios, cooling systems, lift engine rooms, window cleaning installations, solar collectors, and other roof facilities. RHT roof hatches can be used on flat, insulated or non-insulated, concrete, steel or wooden roofs. Besides the standard versions, Gorter also delivers glazed, fire-resistant, explosion-venting roof hatches and hatches with special dimensions.

Almost all roof hatches are available in combination with a Gorter ladder, fixed stairs, or scissor stairs. A roof hatch is a practical alternative to a roof structure. Gorter roof hatches merge inconspicuously with the roof appearance and can be placed with little modifications. This often speeds up obtaining a roof permit.







# Safe roof access

Gorter products guarantee the highest level of safety. Besides smart, integrated security facilities, a lot of our products have been inspected and certified by official bodies, ensuring the safest roof access possible.

### Why does your building need roof access?

There are several ways to access a roof. However, the safest way is through a building. The building provides sufficient handholds in the form of existing facilities and there is a very small risk of falling. Placing a roof hatch with accompanying climbing equipment makes the last phase of accessing the roof safe as well.

### Safety facilities of the roof hatch

The Gorter RHT roof hatches have multiple safety facilities. One of the safety facilities is unique to Gorter, the yellow handhold, which offers safe support when accessing or leaving the roof. Another safety facility is the automatic lock when opened, which ensures that the roof hatch can never close unexpectedly. The roof hatch also has a counter-balance system which ensures that the cover can be opened and closed with one hand and only little effort. Gorter climbing facilities, such as the scissor stairs and ladder, can be locked during use to make sure they cannot be moved or retracted unexpectedly.

### Safety certification

The safety of Gorter RHT roof hatches and combinations have been checked based on the most stringent EN standards and are, where applicable, delivered with a TÜV NORD certificate, Aboma safety label, and KOMO® certificate. The RHT roof hatches are also the first on the market that are delivered with an European Technical Assessment (ETA), which indisputably demonstrates the proven performance and the CE marking.

















# Maximum thermal insulation

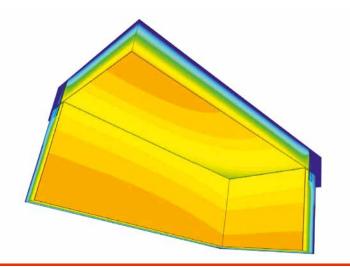
The RHT roof hatches have a fully separated thermal structure. Thanks to the lack of cold bridges and the smartly placed insulation materials, the roof hatch offers a very high degree of insulation throughout the structure. The prevents condensation and saves energy costs.

### Proven high insulation value

Gorter is aware of the fact that the roof hatch is an integral part of the roof and that it must add to the overall insulation value. The Gorter roof hatches are the only roof hatches with a proven, very high insulation value for the entire structure. EuroSolid has studied the thermal performance in accordance with EN-ISO 10077-2 and it has officially been demonstrated that the Gorter RHT roof hatches have an insulation value of  $U_{...} \le 0.319 \text{ W/(m}^2.\text{K)}$ .

#### Patented structure for a better interior climate

The roof hatch has a patented (patent no. 2519072) fully separated thermal structure and extremely good sealing around the cover. Thanks to its unique design, the roof hatch is also very suitable for use during cold winters or in cold areas. The structure prevents ice or condensation on the inside of the roof hatch. Little or no unwanted air flows to the underlying space will take place thanks to the lack of large temperature differences on the inside.





### **CE certification, ETA-15/0338**

The Gorter RHT roof hatches are delivered with an European Technical Assessment (ETA), which indisputably demonstrates the proven performance and the CE marking. The ETA is a document with information about the performance of the roof hatch in relation to its essential characteristics. The ETA for the Gorter roof hatches was issued by the Technical Assessment Body SKG-IKOB established in the Netherlands.

The ETA is valid in all 28 European Member States and members of the European Economic Area, as well as Turkey and Switzerland.











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### **RHT**

#### ETA 15/0338

#### **Gorter Roof Hatch with Thermalbreak**

Resistance to permanent : 1050 kg/m² load, concentrated and uniformly distributed

(Eurocode EN 1993-1-1) Thermal transmittance

: U ≤ 0.32 W/(m<sup>2</sup>.K)

(EN-ISO 10077-2)

Resistance to snow load : 3.97 kN/m<sup>2</sup>

Resistance to wind load : Class E 3000

(EN 12210)

Water tightness (EN 12208)

(EN 1991-1-3)

: Class E 650

Impact, hard body

: Class P5A

(EN 356)

Impact, soft body (EN 13049)

: Class 5

Airborne sound insulation : 26 dB

(EN-ISO 717-1)

Air permeability (EN 12207)

: Class 3

Content and/or release of : Declaration of dangerous substances



### Use and options



### **Burglar-proof**

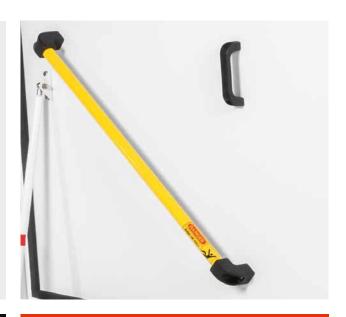
The roof hatch construction is indestructible, preventing it from twisting if forced. Roof hatches are as standard equipped with a safe stainless steel Euro cylinder lock. Additionally, the roof hatches can optionally be delivered with a cylinder in accordance with EN1303 and EN12209.

### **Noise reduction**

Sound can also enter a building through the roof. Just think of the sound of planes. The Gorter RHT roof hatch is well insulated and offers a standard noise reduction of 26 dB.







### Standard manual operation

All default Gorter RHT roof hatches have a ounterbalance system which ensures that the hatches can be used with one hand and little effort. Opening or closing the hatch does not require more than 5 kg of push or pull strength. The cover can be unlocked using one hand, which ensures you will always have one hand free for a handhold.

### **Electric operation**

The Gorter GT35 electric operation is an option for a default Gorter RHT roof hatch. The two powerful electric engines are always installed in pairs on both sides of the cover.



### **Explosion-venting version**

The Gorter roof hatch is also available as an explosion-venting, special RHTX version. This roof, also called an explosion hatch, has a patented Explosion Release Control (ERC) which automatically unlocks the roof hatch in case of an unexpected pressure increase. The opening pressure can be adjusted, but we recommend using a pressure of 100 kgf.



### Assembly, delivery, and warranty

### Support

Gorter has a dedicated support team for a range of countries. The Gorter support team helps you with requests for quotations, questions about specifications and installation options, order handling, and after-care. We would be happy to be of service.

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### **Quick delivery**

Most standard products are available from stock, often within 24 hours.



The roof hatches, which are suitable for use in a sea climate environment, are provided with a powder coating on both sides with a dry layer thickness of at least 80 micron. An additional special protective layer is placed before the powder coating.

### 10-year warranty on roof hatches

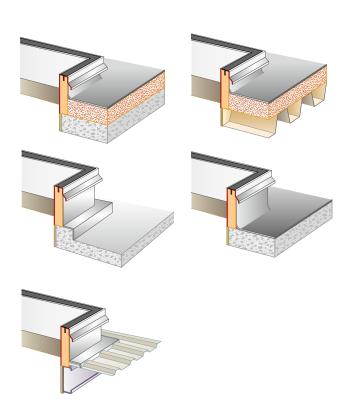
All Gorter roof hatches come with a default 10-year warranty period. A 1-year warranty period applies to electronic operation systems, hook-on ladders, scissor stairs, and fixed stairs.

### Assembly

Gorter RHT roof hatches are relatively light. This ensures low roof load where, in general, there are few or no adjustments to the roof required. Due to the limited weight, the standard RHT roof hatch is in many cases easy to lift and install without many tools. It can be installed on both insulated and non-insulated concrete, wood, and steel roofs. The maximum slope for installation of the RHT hatches is 30°.









# RHT default specification

	RHT
Insulation value, according to EN-ISO 10077-2	$U_{_{W}} \le 0.32 \text{ W/(m}^2.\text{K)}$
Noise attenuation, according to EN-ISO 717-1:2013	26 dB
Waterproof, in accordance with EN 12208	Class E 650
Resistant to permanent load, in accordance with Eurocode EN 01/01/1993	1050 kg/m <sup>2</sup>
Air tightness (EN 1026)	0,5 m <sup>3</sup> /hm <sup>1</sup>
Resistance to wind stress, in accordance with EN 12210	Class E 3000
Resistance to snow load, EN 1991-1-3	3,97 kN/m <sup>2</sup>
Impact hard body classification, in accordance with EN 356	Class P5A
Impact soft body classification, in accordance with EN 13049	Class 5
Air permeability, in accordance with EN 12207	Class 3

Roof hatch Type	Access in mm	Weight
RHT7010	700 x <b>1000</b>	56 kg
RHT7014	700 x <b>1400</b>	68 kg
RHT1010	1000 x <b>1000</b>	65 kg
RHT1015	1000 x <b>1500</b>	84 kg
RHT1020	1000 x <b>2000</b>	101 kg
RHT1025	1000 x <b>2500</b>	120 kg
RHT1030	1000 x <b>3000</b>	134 kg

Hinge sides are in **bold**.

Exterior	Interior
RAL 7047	RAL 9010



### Options:

- Electric operation
- » Special dimensions
- » Explosion-venting
- » Roof hatches with double cover

### Certification:

- » CE ETA-15/0338
- » TÜV NORD for the combinations











# **Roof hatch combinations**

## Why should you choose for a combination?

A Gorter combination provides you with a complete solution for roof access from the top floor of a building. A combination consists of a roof hatch with accompanying scissor stairs, ladder, or fixed stairs, and the roof hatch and climbing facility will be fully adapted to each other. Most combinations are TÜV NORD certified and you can cover your RIE with the delivered documents.



### Hook-on ladder

The combination of roof hatch with ladder is, depending on the ceiling height, available with a single, double-section, or triple-section hook-on ladder. The Gorter ladder is by default delivered with mounting brackets to safely store the ladder when not in use. This makes the combination perfect for infrequent use of the roof hatch. We recommend a roof hatch with a scissor stairs or a fixed stairs if used more frequently.



### **Scissorstairs**

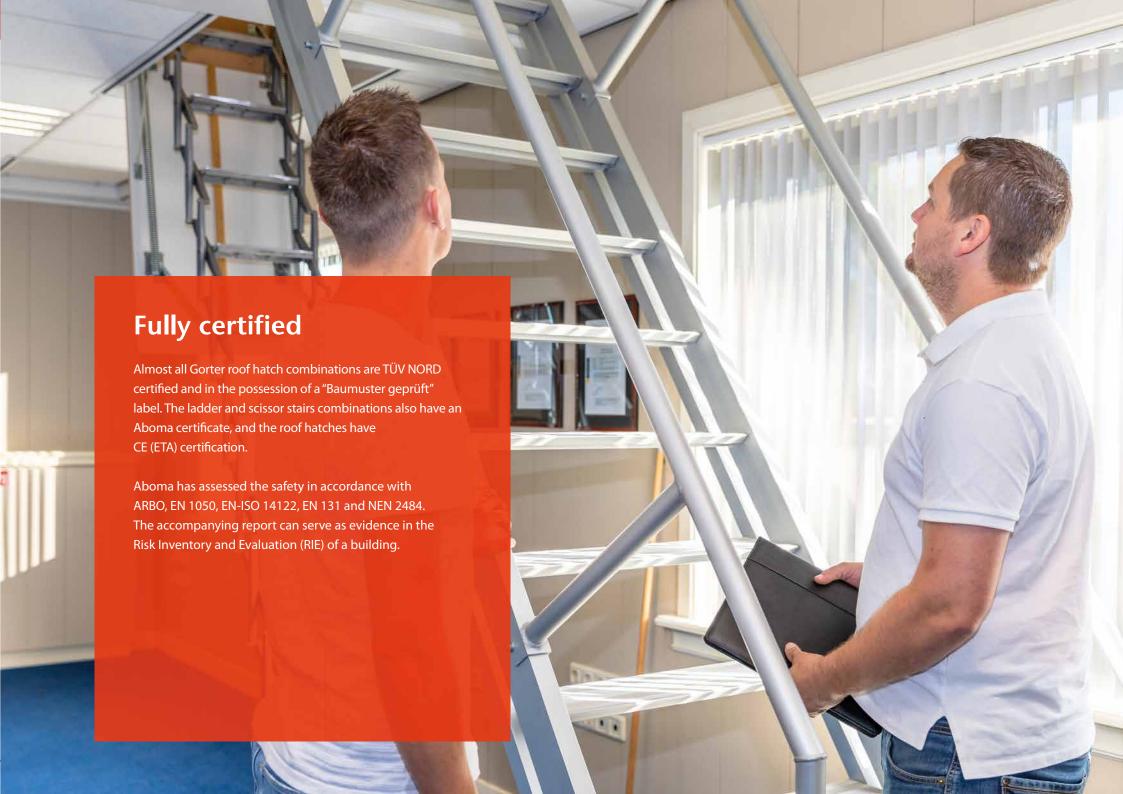
A roof hatch with scissor stairs is available in six default combinations. The scissor staircases can be extended where needed to bridge a plenum. Roof hatches combined with a scissor stairs are perfect for incidental but also frequent access to the roof.

A retracted scissor stairs frees up the space below the roof hatch.



### Fixed stairs

The Gorter fixed staircases are available in two versions for large or small Gorter roof hatches. The stairs have a modern look and can be used in virtually any interior with ceiling heights ranging between 2500 mm and 3370 mm. The self-adjusting steps make the stairs easy to install and suitable for changing locations.





### RHT with ladder







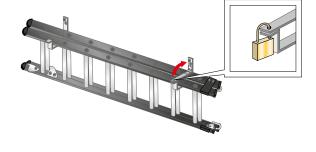












» Locked during storage and usage







- » The ladder is attached to the provided step used to get on or off the ladder with an anti-slip profile.
- » The mounting system can be provided with a padlock to avoid theft and abuse.
- » The ladder is mounted using two delivered mounting brackets after use, one of which with the option to place a padlock.
- » Ladders are by default delivered in anodised aluminium.

### Certification:

- » RHT roof hatch: CE ETA-15/0338
- » Combination with Aboma certificate and TÜV NORD certificate in accordance with NEN-EN 131, with label "Baumuster geprüft"

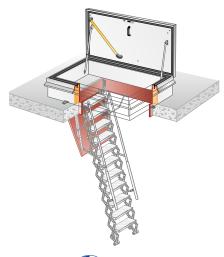




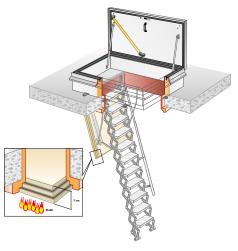
# RHT with scissor stairs, S+, Large, or XL

# RHT with scissor stairs Electric

# RRHT with scissor stairs El-60





















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### **Specifications**

	Туре	Passage in mm	Scissor stairs type	Structural opening in mm
1	RHT7010	700 x <b>1000</b>	S+	700 x 1000
2	RHT7014	700 x <b>1400</b>	Large	700 x 1200
3	RHT7014	700 x <b>1400</b>	Large electric 1)	700 x 1200
4	RHT7014	700 x <b>1400</b>	Large El-60 2)	700 x 1200
5	RHT1015	1000 x <b>1500</b>	XL	1000 x 1300

### Hinge sides are in **bold**.

1) 230 Vac, including control unit and wireless RF remote. 2) Fire-resistance grade El-60.

### Certification:

- » RHT roof hatch: CE ETA-15/0338
- » All scissor stairs are TÜV NORD certified in accordance with EN 14975:2010
- » Scissor stairs Large El60: KOMO:SKG.0372.0457, fire-resistance in accordance with EN 1634-1
- » RHT1015 + XL certified for access to lift engine rooms (EN-ISO 14122-3)

### Plenum

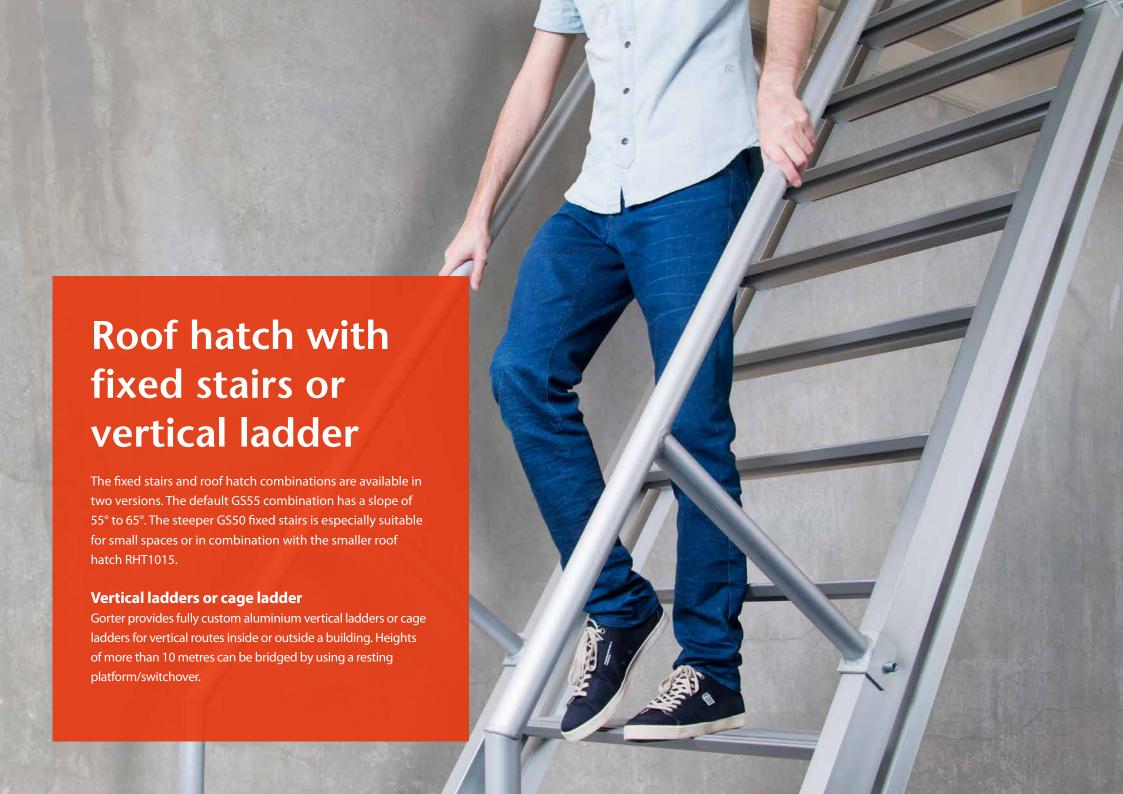


# Scissor stairs extension for suspended ceilings

The scissor stairs extension safely bridges the gap between the scissor stairs installed in the suspended ceiling and the roof hatch.

- » Dutch patent no. 2000298
- » Not applicable to scissor stairs types S+, El60 and Large Electric

View all Plenum options and dimensions on the Gorter website.



### RHT with fixed stairs



### **Specifications**

Roof hatch type	Passage in mm	Fixed stairs type
RHT1015	1000 x <b>1500</b>	GS50
RHT1020	1000 x <b>2000</b>	GS50/GS55
RHT1025	1000 x <b>2500</b>	GS50/GS55
RHT1030	1000 x <b>3000</b>	GS50/GS55

Hinge sides are in **bold**.

### **GS50** or **GS55**

- » GS50 for floor heights of 2500 to 3000 mm, slope 50° to 66°
- » GS55 for floor heights of 3000 to 3370 mm, slope 55° to 65°

### Certification:

- » RHT roof hatch: CE ETA-15/0338
- » The GS55 combination with TÜV NORD certificate in accordance with NEN-EN-ISO 14122-3 and "Baumuster geprüft" label.

### RHT with fixed vertical stairs





Roof hatch type	Passage in mm
RHT1010	1000 x <b>1000</b>

### Hinge sides are in **bold**.

### Fixed vertical ladder

- » Aluminium, custom-made, including wall brackets
- » According to EN-ISO 14122-3-4
- » Façade ladder up to a maximum height of 2999 mm; Cage ladder is required for greater heights
- » Heights > 10 metres with resting platform
- » Resting platform/step with anti-slip grate step
- » Aluminium cage with five beam section bars. Cage starts at 2200 2500 mm from
- » the first step. The ring distance is 1200 1500 mm.

**Option:** different façade distance, support plates, reinforced bars with support plates and top bracket for mounting without wall brackets.

### Certification:

» RHT roof hatch: CE ETA-15/0338

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