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About this document

Lindab supports now its Comfort Selection Tools integrated in MagiCAD for Revit. The benefits are that you can now use Lindabs advanced calculation and presentation methods and transfer the result into MagiCAD for Revit.

Installation of Revit Add-in

Requirements

To be able to use the connection between the Lindab Software and MagiCAD for Revit you need to have:

Revit

• Revit 2018 - 2023

MagiCAD (optional)

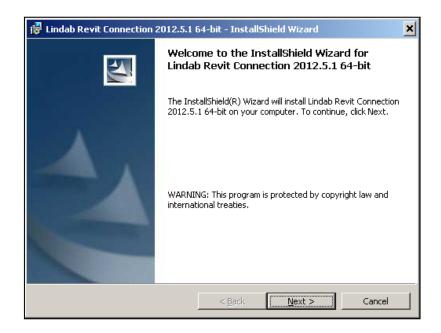
- MagiCAD for Revit 2022 (with Revit 2018 2022)
- MagiCAD for Revit 2023 (with Revit 2019 2023)

The 64-bit installer can be downloaded from:

https://portal.magicad.com/download/ProductSearch?searchStr=Lindab&categoryId=3

NOTE: You need to have local administrator rights to install the Plug-in on your computer.





The installation Wizard will guide you through the installation; we recommend selecting the suggested installation paths.





Starting the program

Now you can install the Lindab software. Please note that you must have the version numbers below or newer to use the Plug-in.

DIMsilencer: http://itsolution.lindab.com/downloads/dimsilencer/5.1/install.exe



Using the connections:



Start a project on Revit and select the "Add-Ins" tab.

Connection to DIMsilencer



Connection to LindQST (Webbased Comfort Selection Tool)





Connection to LindQST for silencers (Webbased Comfort Selection Tool)

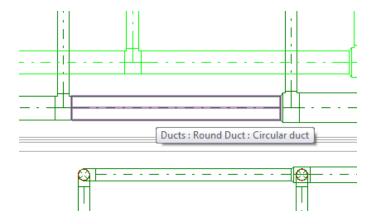




DIMsilencer

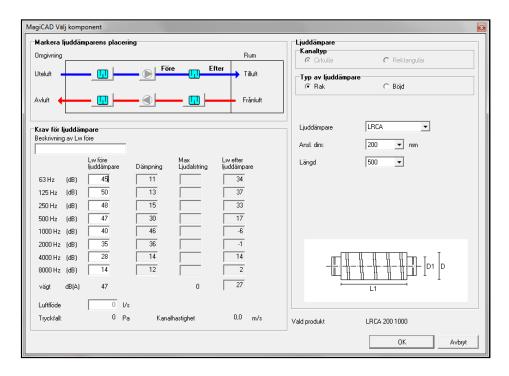
In DIMsilencer you can select Lindab silencers. DIMsilencer is an advanced software to state requirements, calculate results and compare Lindab silencers with each other are of great benefit to detect and solve sound problems in your duct design. Especially the possibility to use parametrical, will say non-standard sizes, for rectangular silencers and transfer them to MagiCAD are unique.

Push the DIMsilencer button and select the circular or rectangular duct for which you want to calculate and insert a silencer.



DIMsilencer will now open and you can enter the sound values before the silencer and the designated result after the silencer.

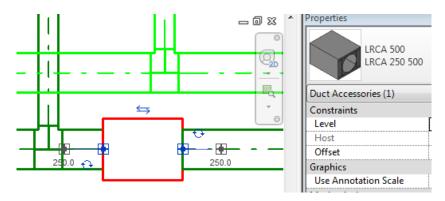
If you ran flow summation in MagiCAD before, the airflow will be transferred as well to calculate the sound generation; otherwise you can enter these values also manually.





When you selected a silencer you press the "OK"-button. DIMsilencer will then close and MagiCAD dialog asks you to state a User Code.

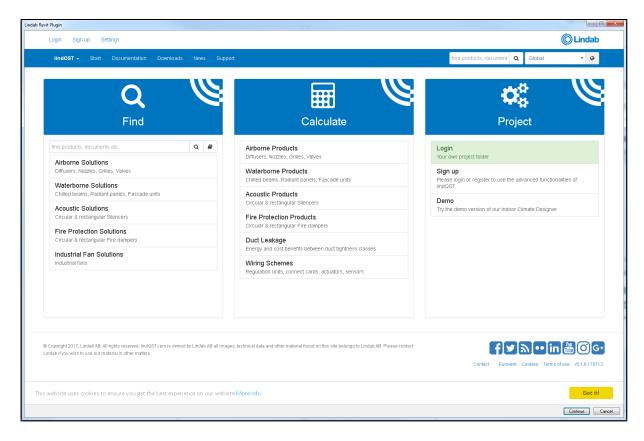
In the last step you click on the duct you want to insert your silencer into. You can even select larger or smaller ducts than the size of the selected silencer. MagiCAD will in this case insert reductions automatically.





LindQST

LindQST is a webbased selection tool for Lindabs Comfort product range including documentation.



Push the LindQST button in MagiCAD to open a web browser and start LindQST.

NOTE: You must start LindQST with the button in Revit to be able to use the transfer function into MagiCAD for Revit.

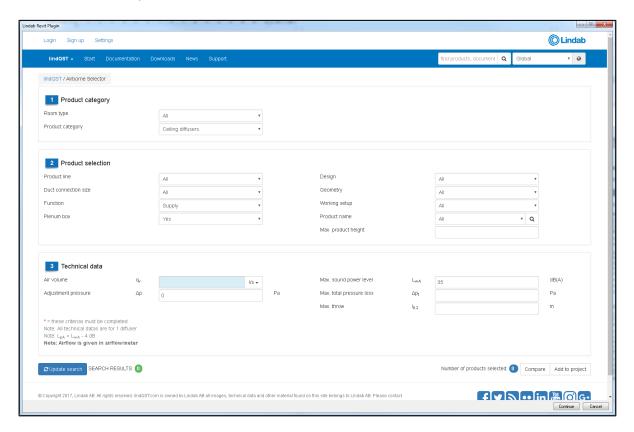


Example for a diffuser selection

1. Select a Airborne Solutions or find suitable products with search



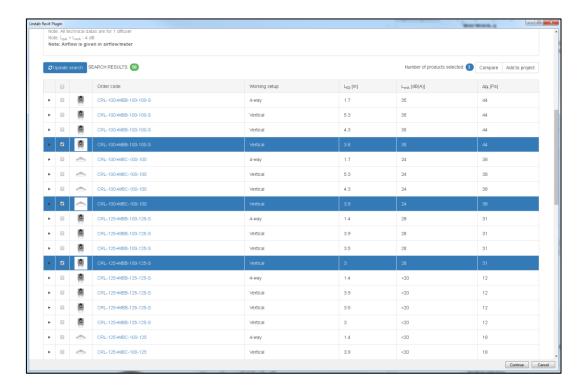
2. Select a product or define the search parameters for the diffuser you want to select. Enter the technical requirements, but at least airflow and sound.



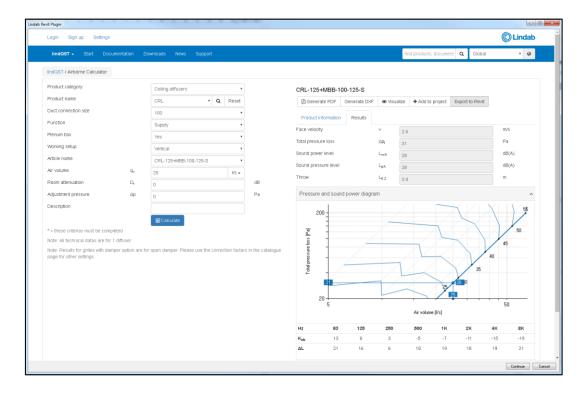
NOTE: the more parameter you define the quicker and more selective the calculations will work.



3. LindQST calculates all diffusers which fulfill the requirements. Push on"Update Search" to get a list of calculated diffusers. In the selection you can even compare 2 or more products to each other for detailed information.



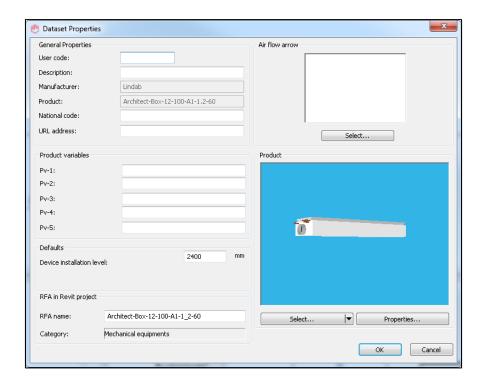
4. Select a diffuser to get a detailed report including the "Export to Revit" button.



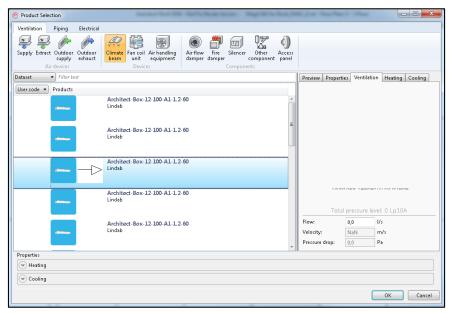


- 5. Insert the product into the Revit project
 - a. With MagiCAD

If plugin is used together with MagiCAD plugin adds the selected product to the MagiCAD dataset at first.



Then product installation continue by showing Product Selection dialog



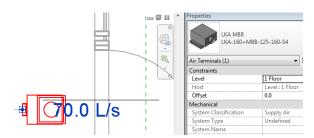
Then installation point of product is requested to shown at the plan.

b. Plain Revit (without MagiCAD)



If plugin is used without MagiCAD plugin adds the selected product's family to the list of Revit families at first. No dialog will be shown.

Then installation point of product is requested to shown at the plan.



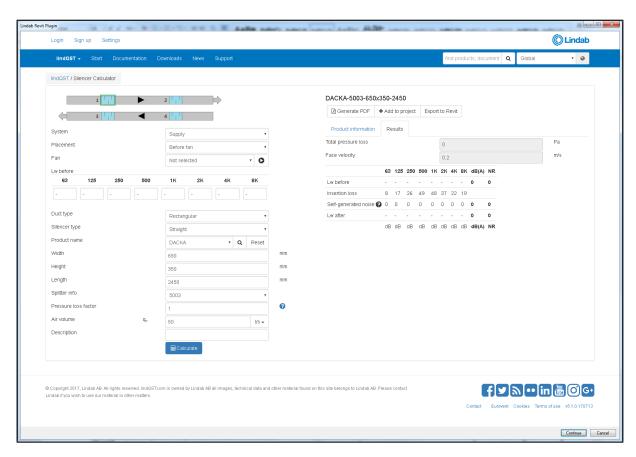


LindQST for silencers

LindQST is a web based selection tool for Lindabs Comfort product range including documentation.

Push the "LindQST for silencers" button in Revit to open a web browser and point out duct where silencer will be installed to. If user selects some duct, dimensions and sound data values are transferred to LindQST. User can continue also without pointing out the duct but then the values are not transferred to LindQST.

Plugin directs user to Silencer Calculator in Lindqst:



NOTE: You must start LindQST Calculator with the button in Revit to be able to use the transfer function into MagiCAD for Revit.

When silencer is selected press "Export to Revit" button.

If plugin is used together with MagiCAD plugins adds the selected product to the MagiCAD dataset at first and the second thing is Product Selection dialog will be shown.

After these steps silencer can be installed to Revit drawing once the conversion is done.