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(54) **A method for supporting a building element, and a building element**

(57) A method for supporting a building element, in which the building element comprises a thermally insulating core (10) and in which at least one supporting component (13) is provided on the first side of the building element. In the method, at least one supporting component (13) is supported by at least one auxiliary support (31) in a short section to a bearing structure (15) or an extension (15b) of a bearing structure on the other side of the building element. Furthermore, a building element is disclosed, which comprises a thermally insulating core (10) with a first side and a second side, and an auxiliary support (31) arranged to transmit a supporting force in a short section from the second side of the thermally insulating core (10) to the first side of the thermally insulating core. Furthermore, the building element comprises a supporting component (13) which is on the first side of the building element, and the auxiliary support (31) is arranged to transmit the supporting force in a short section from the second side of the building element (10) to the supporting component (13). The core (10) may be protected on its surface or surfaces with surface components (11, 12). The auxiliary support (31) may be shorter than the thickness of the core (10). The building element may comprise a joint sealing compound layer (92) on its side.

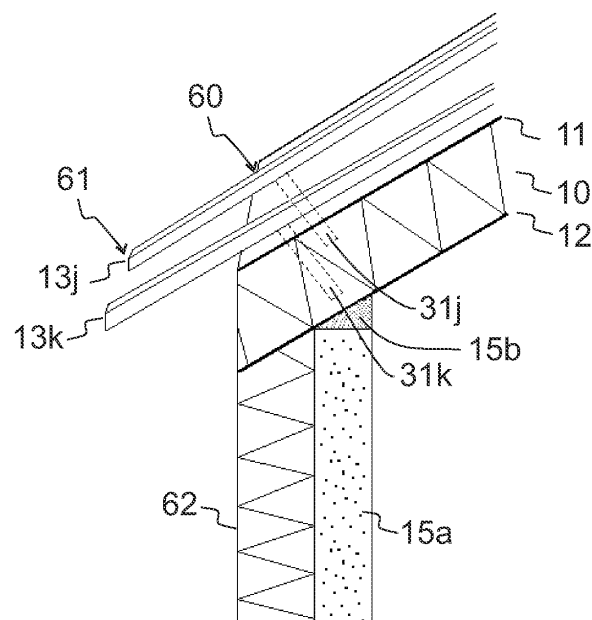


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