

TAMKO® TW MOISTURE WRAP

Above Grade Moisture / Air Barrier Membrane

PRODUCT DATA

DESCRIPTION

TAMKO® TW MOISTURE WRAP is a flexible, 40 mil, self-adhering rubberized asphalt sheet membrane with a polymer film on the surface and a removable treated release film on the adhesive side.

USES

TAMKO TW MOISTURE WRAP is designed for use as an above grade moisture / air barrier and is suitable for application in cavity wall construction, sealing window and door perimeters, sealing of wall joints, corners, and other terminations. TW MOISTURE WRAP is suitable for application to concrete, block, exterior gypsum sheathing or wood surfaces. TW MOISTURE WRAP may be applied horizontally, and may also be installed vertically when applied over the full surface area.

ADVANTAGES

- Flexible SBS modified asphalt and polymer film surfacing provides excellent protection from moisture or air penetration.
- Treated release film for easier installation and handling.
- High temperature resistance up to 245° F.
- Adheres to cast-in-place concrete, pre-cast concrete, concrete masonry block, exterior gypsum sheathing, plywood, OSB, DensGlass®, DensGlass Gold®, felt and foil-faced polyisocyanurate foam insulation, wood or metal surfaces.
- Available in factory pre-cut widths of 4", 6", 9", 12", 18", 24", 36", and 39-3/8" rolls.
- Individually wrapped factory pre-cut widths with point-of-purchase (POP) labels are available in 4", 6" and 9" widths.
- ICC-ES Legacy Report ER-5943.

LIMITATIONS

- Membrane or primer should not be applied to damp, frosty or contaminated surfaces.
- Membrane should not be left exposed to sunlight for more than 30 days. For applications requiring longer exposure before covering, use TW Flash-N-Wrap®-25 mil or TW Flash-N-Wrap®-40 mil.
- Membrane should not come into contact with products containing coal-tar pitch.
- Membrane should be applied when air, substrate, and membrane temperatures are above 40°F.

PRODUCT DATA*

Film Surfacing	Polymer
Asphalt Modifier	SBS
Roll Size (246 sq. ft.)	39-3/8" x 75'
Product Thickness	40 mils

*All values stated as nominal at time of manufacture.



TECHNICAL DATA

Property	Test Method	Typical Value
Tensile	ASTM D 412 (C)	650 psi
Elongation at Modified Failure**	ASTM D 412 (C)	300% (min.)
Permeance	ASTM E 96 (BW)	0.05 perms (max.)
Pliability	ASTM D1970 (modified) ¹	Unaffected @ -25°F
Peel Strength	ASTM D 903	9.0 lbf/in. width (min.)
Puncture Resistance	ASTM E 154	50 lbf. (min.)

**% of elongation to ultimate failure of rubberized asphalt.

¹Testing done using procedures in ASTM D 1970 with adhesive side away from the mandrel.

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APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

PREPARATION

All surfaces must be dry and clean. Dirt, dust and any other foreign matter must be removed. TW MOISTURE WRAP should be applied when air, substrate, and membrane temperatures are above 40 degrees F.

Acceptable surfaces include cast-in-place concrete, pre-cast concrete, concrete masonry block, exterior gypsum sheathing, plywood, OSB, Dens Glass®, Dens Glass Gold®, felt and foil-faced polyisocyanurate foam insulation, wood or metal surfaces. Concrete must be allowed to cure for a minimum of 7 days prior to application of TW MOISTURE WRAP.

PRIMING

Priming is generally not required for wood, exterior gypsum sheathing, or felt and foil-faced polyisocyanurate insulation, provided they are smooth, clean, and dry. In any case where adhesion is found to be marginal and in all cases for concrete, masonry, OSB, DensGlass, and DensGlass Gold, prime with TWP-1*** or TWP-2 at designated coverage rates.

For DensGlass and DensGlass Gold the following priming instructions must be followed.

Priming Instructions for applications over DensGlass and DensGlass Gold: With a roller, apply TWP-1 Quick Dry Primer to the DensGlass Gold at the rate of one gallon per 250-300 square feet. Allow the primer to dry a maximum of 5 to 10 minutes, based on temperature. Higher temperatures will require shorter dry time. It is critical that you not allow the primer to dry longer than 10 minutes before the application of the membrane. With this substrate, it is not possible to do long stretches of priming before application.

APPLICATION

Unroll TW MOISTURE WRAP and cut to the desired length.

Begin by removing approximately 12 inches of the release film and center the membrane over the area to be covered. Firmly press or roll the membrane against the substrate and continue pulling the release film off while smoothing the membrane into place.

For DensGlass and DensGlass Gold sheathing and OSB, all air and vapor barrier applications are to be done vertically with membrane no longer than 6 feet. Material must be broomed in using a stiff, hand-held broom. In all DensGlass, DensGlass Gold, and OSB applications staples are to be applied 18" on center to the individual pieces of membrane around the entire perimeter of the piece.

FULL COVERAGE ENVELOPE APPLICATIONS

In full coverage envelope applications TW MOISTURE WRAP should be tightly sealed into roofing and below-grade waterproofing systems and structural perimeter flashings to retain the integrity of the air barrier throughout the entire structure. Note that in full structure envelope applications, the dew point must be engineered to the outside of the building.

Side laps should be a minimum of 2 inches and end laps should be 4 inches. All terminations should be sealed with TWM-1 Mastic.

*** WARNINGS AND HAZARDS

TWP-1 contains combustible solvents. Avoid exposure to sparks, open flame, heat, and other forms of ignition. Use in well ventilated areas. Avoid breathing vapors. Refer to MSDS for detailed product information and warnings.

CAUTION: The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) has concluded that fumes of heated asphalt are a potential occupational carcinogen. Do not burn this product.



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