

BRUSHBOND FLEX

Flexible Polymer – Cementitious Waterproofing Membrane System

Uses

Brushbond Flex when fully cured, provides seamless flexible waterproofing membrane for use in roof areas, wet areas, pre – cast joints where a tough elastomeric water tight membrane is required.

Advantages

- Can be applied to wet or damp substrate
- Simple application, no primer required. Good adhesion to the concrete
- Flexible. Elastomeric properties will be able to bridge cracks
- Fast curing, will allow for foot traffics when cured
- Factory pre – blended two component system ensures quality control at site

Description

Brushbond FLeX is a two component polymer modified cementitious coating which is supplied in ready mix kits. When mixed, an easy brushable coating is produced. It can simply be applied by a stiff brush, roller or trowel to obtain the desired thickness.

Brushbond flex is specially formulated from selected cement, graded – hard wearing aggregates and additives supplied in powder form together with a liquid component of polymers providing exceptional adhesion, resiliency, flexibility, toughness, and durability.

Physical Properties

Pot life at 35 °C	: approx. 1.2 hrs
Elongation at break (ASTM D412)	: 40 – 70%
Tensile strength (ASTM D412)	: 1.5 – 1.8 N/mm ²

Water permeability

(DIN 1048 part 5) : NIL

Water absorption

(ASTM C642) : < = 0.3%

Instruction for Use

Preparation

All the surfaces which are to receive Brushbond Flex coating, must be free from oil, grease, wax, dirt, or any other form of foreign matter which might affect adhesion. Spalled and deeply disintegrated concrete should be removed to sound concrete and repaired with Renderoc System.

Mixing

The **Brushbond Flex** liquid is poured from the jerry can container into the mixing vessel and mixed mechanically using a slow speed drill mixer (350 - 450 rpm). Add the powder component gradually to the liquid to avoid lump formation and mix for 4 – 5 minutes until a smooth consistent mix is achieved. Mix proportion (Liquid : Powder) must be 1 : 2 by weight. Use the material within the recommended pot life.

Application

For best results, damp the surfaces before coating with Brushbond Flex. Use a short, stiff bristle brush preferably 120 to 200 mm in width, apply like a paint using one or two coats as required.

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For trowel application, ensure that the substrate is levelled and repaired of any undulations or pot holes.

Brushbond Flex should be applied to the recommended coverage. It is recommended for general re-surfacing that each coat should be minimum 1 mm thickness and an additional 2 mm coating will be required for areas of moderate to heavy pedestrian conditions.

Cleaning

Brushbond Flex should be removed from tools and equipments immediately after use with clean water. Hardened material can only be removed mechanically.

Packaging

Brushbond Flex is supplied in two component system in the following packaging :

Powder : 20 kg bag

Liquid : 10 kg in plastic jerry can

Coverage

The approximate coverage at 1.25 m² per kg for single coatings application. Allowance should be made for any possible waste when estimates the consumption.

Precautions

Health and Safety

Gloves and goggles should be worn. Any splashes to the skin or eyes should be washed off with clean water. In the event of prolonged irritation, seek medical advice.

Powder product should be handled to minimise dust formation, use a light mask if excessive dust unavoidable.

Storage

Brushbond Flex has a shelf life of 12 months in unopened pack with storage temperature 25-35°C, RH: 55-65%. Avoid stored in outside area.

In higher humidity locations, the shelf life may be reduced to 6 months.

Technical Service

Fosroc provides a technical advisory service supported by a team of specialist in the field.



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