### WATERPROOFING MEMBRANE

# SPECIALTY BITUMINOUS MEMBRANES FOR WATERPROOFING & VAPOR CONTROL





SELF ADHESIVE BITUMINOUS VAPOR CONTROL WATERPROOFING MEMBRANE (SBS – 25 °C)

# 2 in 1 product combining waterproofing and ventilation with fast and easy application!

#### **GENERAL DESCRIPTION**

**ESHAVENT** is a self-adhesive bituminous waterproofing membrane that provides most effective ventilating characteristics. It is produced from SBS modified bitumen which exhibits impressive elasticity and enhanced viscoelastic properties even at very low temperatures (-25° C), and special additives that give the membrane self-adhesive properties, hence the ability to stick easily to a suitably prepared substrate without the need of a torch.

**ESHAVENT** is reinforced with glass-fleece, its top cover is quartz sand and its undercover a fully-adhered perforated aluminium foil or a perforated glass-fleece. The undercover is protected by a siliconized removable PF film.

The perforated aluminium foil (or the perforated glass-fleece) is an excellent under layer to accommodate the thermal expansions of the substrate and create vapor pressure relief areas. The perforations in the aluminium foil (or glass-fleece) allow the special type of polymer modified bitumen to stick to the surface beneath. This way **ESHAVENT** creates a "regular spot-welding" system. **ESHAVENT** is a so-called Thermo-Adhesive roofing membrane, meaning that the application of **ESHAVENT** to the sub base is fully completed when the top waterproofing layer is torched on it.

#### **ESHAVENT** is applied:

- As a stand-alone waterproofing system, since it possesses waterproofing and ventilating properties. It should only be protected by a cover layer (e.g. tiles, aggregates).
- As a first waterproofing and ventilating layer, in a system of two waterproofing layers for flat and inclined roofs.
- In re-roofing works.



- Standards: EN 13707, EN 13969
- Approved with CE No. 1020-CPR-010021423
- Waterproofing application to terraces according to EN 13707

For all available certificates and certifications please contact Esha Sales Department.



#### **STORAGE**

Membrane rolls should be stored in their original package, in vertical position, protected from direct sunlight, rain, snow and ice.

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#### APPLICATION PROCEDURE

#### **Surface preparation**

Before the application of the membrane it is necessary to properly prepare the substrate surface.

- The substrate surface must be throroughly cleaned so as to remove all dust, loose matter and remaing oils and be smooth and dry.
- Recommended durface slope: 1.5% minimum.
- The surface must be primed with ESHA ROOF-COAT No10 elastomeric bituminous varnish at a consumption of 0.4-0.5 kg/m², or ESHALAC 50S bituminous primer at a consumption of 0.3 kg/m²
- As soon as the surface is dry, ESHAVENT can be applied.

#### **Application**

- ESHAVENT application starts from the lowest point of slopes in order to secure unobstructed water flow, when membranes are placed one in parallel to the other.
- As the membrane is self-advesive there is no need of a torch to weld it on the substrate. One simply needs to properly align **ESHAVENT** roll, remove the

- siliconized PE film protect cover and apply manual pressure to the membrane in order to attach it fully to the substrate surface.
- Longitudinal and transversal membrane overlaps should be 10 cm.
- **ESHAVENT**covers only the horizontal surfaces up to a distance of 30 cm from any vertical surface.
- Vapor circulates below ESHAVENT layer and is directed to roof ventilators, applied in later steps.
- The following bituminous waterproofing layers which are torch applied, are positioned in the same direction as ESHAVENT but with a parallel movement of 50 cm relative to ESHAVENT applied strip.

#### **Application notes**

- Application temperature should be higher than 5° C.
- During cold conditions and if needed, hot air can rejuvenate the self adhesive properties of ESHAVENT.
- The waterproofing should be carried out by technicians, properly trained and certified in the bituminous membranes application.

For a more detailed description of bituminous waterproofing membranes application please contact the Esha Sales Department.

#### CHARACTERISTICS/ADVANTAGES

- **ESHAVENT** is easy to apply and contributes to a complete, labor and cost-saving, long-lasting roofing system. It is also a stand-alone membrane since it provides both, waterproofing and ventilation at the same time.
- The aluminium foil (or glass-fleece) provides an effective vapor escape route and prevents blistering under all circumstances. It also functions as a heatshield to underlaying roof insulation while the top layer is being torched on.
- ESHAVENT adheres to practically all kinds of surfaces, including aluminium laminated insulation materials.
- ESHAVENT seals the roof immediately, even before the top layer is applied, which is favorable under rapidly changing weather conditions during waterproofing works.



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#### **TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS**

Characteristics	Standard	Т	Norminal values	Unit
Length	EN 1848-1	± 0.02	10 or 15 or 20	m
Width	EN 1848-1		1	m
Weight	EN 1849-1	± 0.2	2.0 - 4.0	kg/m²
Softening Point	EN 1427	± 10	105	°C
Penetration at 25°C	EN 1426		75 - 95	dmm
Tensile strength L/T	EN 12311-1	± 20%	300/200 glass fleece	N/50mm
Elongation L/T	EN 12311-1	± 15%	2/2 glass fleece	%
Tear resistance L/T	ASTM D4073-94	± 20	100/300	N
Static puncture resistance (concrete)	EN 12730/ UEAtc MOAT 27	2	L2 (7 - 15) glass fleece	kg
Dynamic puncture resistance (concrete)	EN 12691/ UEAtc MOAT 27	2	I3 glass fleece	Ф 10mm
Flexibility to low temperatures	EN 1109	± 15	-25	°C
Water tightness	UEAtc / EN 1928	2	2	bar
Reaction to Fire	EN 13501-1	≥	F	
Dimensional stability L/T	EN 1107-1	2	-0.1/+0.1 glass fleece	%
Heat Resistance	EN 1110	<	100	°C

Tolerances in the nominal values are in accordance with respective standards. Producer reserves the right to modify the properties of his products.

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