# **SECTION 4.2**



# **Technical Data Sheet**

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#### Bitumen Membrane

# **IKOpro PU BITUMEN MEMBRANE ADHESIVE**

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

IKOpro PU Bitumen Membrane Adhesive is a single component, low-foaming polyurethane adhesive, specifically developed to securely bond roofing membranes to a wide range of roofing substrates.

Pack Size	Product Code
6kg (6L)	58810001



### <u>USE</u>

IKOpro PU Bitumen Membrane Adhesive is used for bonding bitumen membranes to various roof substrates.

# FEATURES & BENEFITS

Non-flammable – reduces on-site risks.

**Ease of Application** – product is ready to use directly from the container.

**Colour Coded** – for easy identification on site, insulation adhesive has a distinctive red colour.

Independently Tested – BRE tested performance.

# APPEARANCE & PERFORMANCE

Composition:	Polyurethane
Appearance:	Liquid
Colour:	Red
Size:	6L
Weight:	6kg
Performance	
Use:	Membrane adhesive
Coverage**:	25-30m <sup>2</sup> per 6L tin
Application Temperature:	5-30°C
Open Time:	5-15 minutes at 20°C
Cure Time (typically):	60 minutes at 20°C

\*\*20mm bead width at 200mm-250mm centres; coverage will be less on perimeter edges

# **CONSTRUCTION**

#### MATERIAL HANDLING

Please refer to relevant sections of the IKO Material Safety Data Sheet.

#### PRIOR TO COMMENCEMENT

Application must always follow good, safe working practice.

Prior to commencing works, it is important that operatives read the IKO Safety Data Sheet. Additionally, it is important to be aware of all the information given by your employers Risk Assessments and understand all Method Statements produced for undertaking the work.

#### PREPARATION

Before commencement of the waterproofing works, the roofing contractor should ensure that the surfaces to receive the new waterproofing system are sound and capable of accepting the imposed loading of the new waterproofing system and its installation.

Existing substrates should be assessed by a competent roofer or suitably qualified professional to ascertain their suitability in relation to structural strength, falls and drainage provision.

The surface to which the IKOpro PU Bitumen Membrane Adhesive is to be installed must be clean, dry and fit for purpose.

#### APPLICATION

Prior to commencing application, ensure the substrate is dry. Applying the adhesive onto wet surfaces reduces the bond strength.



Figure 1 Application Pattern

Using a snaking pattern, as illustrated within Figure 1, apply IKOpro PU Bitumen Membrane Adhesive at the prescribed rates below.

Do not over apply or allow the adhesive to create puddles.

#### Main Roof Area:

4 x 20mm beads per m<sup>2</sup> to main roof.

#### All perimeter and exposed edges:

8 x 20mm beads per m<sup>2</sup> to perimeter edges.

Apply the bitumen membrane after application of the IKOpro PU Bitumen Membrane Adhesive and before the adhesive skins over, typically between 10-20 mins. Roll the membrane with a water filled roller after 10 mins to ensure a bond is achieved. Do not apply any adhesive to the side or end overlaps.

Approximately 20 minutes after installing, check that membrane has not lifted due to the foaming action of the adhesive.

#### POST COMPLETION

Information regarding disposal of empty containers or containers with residual liquid can be found within the relevant sections of the IKO Material Safety Data Sheet.

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