

# **Technical Data Sheet**

# PERMASTOP® BUILDING BLANKET REFLECTIVE FACED GLASSWOOL INSULATION BLANKET

# **Description**

Permastop<sup>®</sup> Building Blanket is a glasswool blanket containing up to 80% recycled content faced with a high quality Sisalation<sup>®</sup> reflective foil laminate on one side. For ease of installation, the reflective foil laminate has a 150mm overlap along one side (lengthwise) for sealing the blanket.

# **Applications**

Permastop® Building Blanket is suitable for use in both commercial and residential metal roof and wall applications, as well as under slab concrete soffit applications, when installed behind a ceiling or wall lining. It provides effective thermal and acoustic properties by reducing heat transfer and minimising the internal reverberation and flow of unwanted nuisance noise generated from adjacent buildings/rooms and/or the external environment. Additionally, Permastop® Building Blanket aids in minimising the risk of condensation that can form in metal cladding.

#### **Product Data**

Material R-value m <sup>2</sup> K/W	Thickness mm	Width mm	Length m	Sisalation <sup>®</sup> Facing
R1.3	55	1200	15 & 20	LD, MD, HD, HDP
R1.4	60	1200	15 & 20 (LD only)	LD, MD, HD
R1.8	75	1200	15	LD, MD, HD, HDP
R2.5	100	1200	10	LD, MD, HD, HDP
R3.0	130	1200	10	LD, MD, HD
R3.2	130	1200	10	LD, MD, HD
R3.6	130	1200	6.5	LD, MD, HD

# **Physical Properties**

Property	Test Method/Standard	Result	Unit
Thermal Resistance R-value	AS/NZS 4859.1	Complies	m² K/W
Moisture absorption	When exposed to environmental conditions of 50°C and 95% relative humidity for four days	0.2	% by volume
Maximum service temperature	ASTM C411/C447	Glasswool: 350 Reflective Foil Facing: 70	°C
рН	ASTM C871	9 (does not contribute to the corrosion of steel structures)	



# **Fire Hazard Properties**

Permastop® Building Blanket exhibits the following characteristics when tested in accordance with the following standards:

		Test Results					
Property	Test Method/ Standard	Unfaced	Sisalation° LD Facing Foil	Sisalation <sup>®</sup> MD Facing Foil	Sisalation° HD Facing Foil		
Combustability (Unfaced Pink® Building Blanket only)	AS/NZS 1530.1	Non combustible	Not applicable on faced products				
Flammability Index (Sisalation Facing Foils)	AS/NZS 1530.2		≤ 5				
Early Fire Hazard Indices Ignitability Index Spread of Flame Index Heat Evolved Index Smoked Developed Index	AS/NZS 1530.3			)			
Group Number	AS 5637.1		1	2	2		
Heat Release Rate & SMOGRA	AS ISO9705			< 100			
BAL Compliance	AS 3959	Low-40					

# Compliance

- Complies with AS/NZS 4859.1 as referenced in NCC 2019, Volume 1 Clause J1.2(a) and NCC 2019, Volume 2 Clause 3.12.1.1.
- Complies with the Group number requirements of NCC 2019 Volume 1, Specification C1.10 Clause 4 for wall and ceiling linings.
- When tested to AS/NZS 1530.3 this product does not exceed the 'Spread of Flame' or 'Smoke Developed' indices as required by NCC 2019 Volume 1, Specification C1.10 Clause 7 for insulation materials.
- Complies with the requirements of AS3959 Bushfire Attack Level Low-40 under metal sheet roofs.
- Complies with all state variations to the NCC 2019.

#### **Acoustic Performance**

#### **Sound Absorption**

The performance of sound absorption for insulation is described by the Noise Reduction Coefficient (NRC). In sound absorption application, the NRC is used as an acoustic performance measure. The higher the NRC, the greater the sound absorption at the representative frequencies. The Noise Reduction Coefficient (NRC) is calculated according to ASTM C423-90A and the average result of four frequencies: 250 Hz, 500 Hz, 1000 Hz and 2000 Hz. The Weighted Sound Absorption Coefficient ( $\Omega$ w) of the sample determined in accordance with AS ISO 11654 'Acoustics: Sound Absorbers for Use in Buildings – Rating of sound absorption'.

Permastop® Building Blanket with Light Duty (LD) or Heavy Duty Perforated (HDP) foil facing achieves the following sound absorption coefficients when tested in accordance with AS ISO 354.

		at Frequencies (Hz) of:							
Product	Thickness mm	125	250	500	1000	2000	4000	NRC	$\alpha_{\mathbf{w}}$
Permastop® Building Blanket (LD) R1.3	55	0.23	0.83	1.14	0.53	0.23	0.18	0.70	0.30 (LM)
Permastop® Building Blanket (LD) R1.8	75	0.34	1.22	0.97	0.43	0.26	0.13	0.70	0.25 (LM)
Permastop® Building Blanket (LD) R2.5	100	0.49	1.33	0.92	0.52	0.29	0.11	0.75	0.30 (LM)
Permastop® Building Blanket (LD) R3.0	130	0.51	1.37	0.85	0.44	0.3	0.15	0.75	0.30 (LM)
Permastop® Building Blanket (LD) R3.2	130	0.53	1.19	0.75	0.45	0.23	0.11	0.65	0.25 (LM)
Permastop® Building Blanket (LD) R3.6	130	0.59	1.35	0.93	0.66	0.33	0.13	0.80	0.35 (LM)
Permastop® Building Blanket (HDP) R1.8	75	0.35	0.80	1.00	1.00	0.95	0.95	0.95	1.00 (LM)
Permastop® Building Blanket (HDP) R2.5	100	0.46	0.85	1.14	1.07	1.00	0.90	1.00	1.00 (LM)

Sound Absorption Coefficients



# Flow Resistivity

Acoustic performance of Permastop® Building Blanket products used in sound absorption applications can be measured by their bulk insulation resistance to air flow, this is recognised as flow resistivity.

Flow resistivity performance is valuable when evaluating products of the same thickness and density that have varying fibre attributes.

Tested in accordance with ASTM Standard C522-03 Standard Test method for Airflow Resistance of Acoustic Materials.

The following table rates the flow resistivity of Permastop® Building Blanket products with foil facing removed:

Product	Thickness mm	RAYLS/m
Permastop® Building Blanket R1.3	55	3930
Permastop® Building Blanket R1.4	60	4900
Permastop® Building Blanket R1.8	75	4750
Permastop® Building Blanket R2.5	100	5930
Permastop® Building Blanket R3.0	130	3950
Permastop® Building Blanket R3.2	130	4110
Permastop® Building Blanket R3.6	130	10890

# **Health and Safety**

Permastop® Building Blanket is manufactured from FBS-1 Glasswool Bio-Soluble Insulation®.

FBS-1 Glasswool Bio-Soluble Insulation® is safe to use and is classified as non-hazardous according to the criteria of Safe Work Australia. Fletcher Insulation® glasswool can be used with confidence in any residential, commercial or HVAC application. Permastop® Building Blanket contains aluminium foil and can conduct electricity. To avoide electrocution, care should be taken to ensure products do not come into contact with electrical wiring during installation or use.

# **Environmental Properties**

The glasswool component of Permastop® Building blanket is manufactured from up to 80% recycled content which would otherwise go into landfill and be unsuitable for alternative manufacturing processes.

Fletcher Insulation avoids the use of Ozone Depleting Potential (ODP) substances in the manufacture or composition of its FBS-1 Glasswool Bio-Soluble Insulation® and Sisalation® reflective foil products.

The use of Permastop® Building Blanket guarantees the use of Zero ODP insulation while also ensuring that no harmful levels of Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs) are released. This allows the incorporation of environmentally preferable insulation whilst also maintaining indoor air quality.

#### **Technical Specification**

When specifying, sta	te the following:		
The insulation mater	al shall be Fletcher Insulation Perma	astop <sup>®</sup> Building Blanket	(specify foil duty
rating LD, MD or HD	with a Material R-value of R	m² K/W (specify Material R	R-value) at a nominal
thickness of	_mm (specify nominal thickness).		

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