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DuPont™ Tyvek® FlexWrap™ NF

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DuPont[™] FlexWrap [™] NF addresses the issues of flashing vulnerable bottom corners of the sill where water damage is most likely to occur.

An integral component of DuPont Building Envelope Systems, DuPont™ FlexWrap™ NF is a conformable, self-adhesive flashing solution for sills and non-straight portions of windows, doors and other wall penetrations.

DuPont[™] FlexWrap[™] NF is a premium performance, extendable self-adhered flashing material that can be applied over a wide range of building substances, including non-nailable sheathing materials like PS foam board, fiberboard,concrete masonry unit (CMU) and other such materials. Unlike competitive products, DuPont[™] FlexWrap[™] NF does not require the use of mechanical fasteners in the flexed corner areas.

DuPont™ FlexWrap™ NF also flashes round-top or custom-shaped windows in a seamless manner, eliminating the need to cut and place individual pieces of conventional flashing on an arched opening.

BENEFITS

Superior protection from water damage

- Helps seal the building envelope when used with DuPont Building Envelope Systems products
- Meets the AAMA 711-13 material standard at the highest classification level:
 Class A (no primer) and Level 3 Thermal Exposure (80°C / 176°F for 7 days)
- Meets and Exceeds ASTM E331 Standard Test Method for Water Penetration of Exterior Windows, Skylights, Doors, and Curtain Walls by Uniform Static Air Pressure Difference: no leakage at 300 Pa (equivalent to 50 mph windload), even after thermal aging (0-120°F)
- Does not contain asphaltic / bitumen adhesive materials which many window manufacturers prohibit due to adverse material reactions, such as black staining, oozing, and deformation over time, particularly with vinyl flanges.
- Can be installed at external temperatures as low as -4°C (25°F) as long as the surface is clean and free from frost and ice

Easy installation

- Packaged in ready-to-use 152mm x 22.9m and 228 x 22.9m rolls
- Helps to facilitate the creation of airtight and water tight seals around windows, doors sills, chimney breasts, pipe penetrations, and any custom shapes

Superior durability

- Extendable flashing constructed with a durable, microcreped DuPont[™] Tyvek[®] top-sheet, a premium butyl adhesive layer, and a specially designed release liner
- Designed to withstand up to 270 days of UV exposure

Excellent adhesion performance

- 100% butyl adhesive performs through extreme tempratures
- Adheres to most common building materials

For more information about DuPont[™] Tyvek[®] Building Envelop Systems, please visit us at **www.Construction.Tyvek.com**

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