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Krytonite™ Swelling Waterstop

DESCRIPTION

Krytonite Swelling Waterstop is a synthetic rubber waterstop that uses swelling pressure to seal concrete construction joints and stop water.

Krytonite has superior swelling pressure and performance that stops water better than bentonite and competing swelling waterstops. It is suitable for use with regular ground water as well as salt and sulfate contaminated water. Krytonite is extremely durable and will not deteriorate over time. It can be used by itself as a single protection waterstop, or with other components of the Krystol Waterstop System as a double or triple protection option for construction joints.



FEATURES & BENEFITS

- High-performance swelling – even in contaminated water
- Flexible and easy to install
- Resistant to high hydrostatic pressure
- Extremely durable – will not deteriorate even with repeated wetting and drying cycles
- Innovative trapezoid shape resists dislodgement and allows better concrete consolidation
- Controlled swelling allows for concrete strength development in advance of swelling pressure

RECOMMENDED USES

Use Krytonite Swelling Waterstop to permanently waterproof horizontal or vertical construction joints, pipe penetrations, between precast elements and other concrete joints. Not for use at expansion joints. Suitable for use in sewage and containment structures. May be used in areas with chloride or sulfate contaminated soils and in contact with sea water. Use in conjunction with Krystol Waterstop Treatment or as a replacement for bentonite strips.

PROPERTIES

| Physical Properties | |
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| Appearance | Yellow, trapezoid, flexible rubber strip |
| Dimensions | 5 x 20mm (approximately .2" x .8") |
| Density | 1.2 - 1.25 g/cm |
| Hardness (Shore A) | 24 +/- 3 |
| Tensile Strength | >3 MPa |
| Performance Properties | |
| Swelling Performance – Clean Water | ≥ 1000% |
| Swelling Performance – Concrete Water (high pH) | ≥ 800% |
| Swelling Performance – Salt Water (3%) | ≥ 300% |
| Water Pressure Resistance (Modified Din 1048-5) | ≥ 0.8 MPa |

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APPLICATION

Before using this product, refer to Application Instruction 4.11, 4.15 or 4.16 (as applicable).

Basic Application Procedure: Using Krytonite Adhesive, or other approved fastening device, adhere Krytonite Swelling Waterstop at or near the center of the construction joint to clean dry concrete surface. For added long-term protection of the outboard reinforcing steel, apply Krystol Waterstop Treatment to the concrete surface first and adhere Krytonite to the treatment when it is dry. Strip-ends should be tightly butted and not overlapped. Avoid rain or immersion in water as this may cause premature swelling. If premature swelling occurs, dry the Krytonite sufficiently to restore its original dimensions and ensure material is properly affixed to the surface before pouring concrete.

LIMITATIONS

Minimum joint cross section is 200 mm (8 in.). Minimum concrete strength is 27.5 MPa (3000 PSI). Apply in dry conditions and keep dry. Do not place near edge. Leave a minimum of 75 mm (3 in.) of concrete cover.

SAFETY

Read the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) before using this product. For professional use only.

PACKAGING

Krytonite Swelling Waterstop is available in 50 m (164 ft.) per box; 5 rolls @ 10 m (32.8 ft.) Up to 60 boxes per pallet.

SHELF LIFE

When stored in a dry enclosed area, Krytonite Swelling Waterstop has a shelf life of 2 years. Protect the materials from all sources of moisture and frost.

WARRANTY

Kryton Buildmat Co. Pvt. Ltd. warrants that its products are free from manufacturer's defects and, when applied in accordance with the current specification application instructions will perform as so stated in its product literature. Because methods and conditions of use are beyond the control of Kryton, no guarantee, expressed or implied can be given as to the results of application. Liability of Kryton shall be limited to replacement of materials proved defective or, at its option, refund of the purchase price of the product.