

# Protecto Primer Free Stucco/EIFS Tape

with Super Stick technology

# **TECHNICAL DATA**

Properties	Test Method	Test Results
Color		White
Thickness		17 mil
Self Sealability	ASTM D1970	Pass
	Section 7.9	
Moisture Vapor Transmission	ASTM E96	Wet Cup 0.270 Perms
		Dry Cup 0.296 Perms
Cold Temperature Flexibility	ASTM C765-73	Passes
Grab Tensile	ASTM D5034	Warp 67 lbs / Weft 57 lbs
Tensile Elongation at Max load	ASTM D5034	Warp 16% / Weft 107%
Mixed fungal assessment	ASTM G21	No growth at 28 days
In-Service Temperature		-45°F/-42°C to 300°F/148.9°C
Installation Temperature		-20°F/-28°C to 125°F/51.6°C*
Solubility to Water		Insoluble
UV Stability		30 days

#### **PACKAGING**

Roll Width: 4, 6, 12" Roll Length: 75'

## **DESCRIPTION**

**Primer Free Stucco/EIFS Tape** is a high performance tape designed for use with Stucco and EIFS systems to seal around penetrations and at sheathing joints and window / door flanges. **Primer Free Stucco/EIFS Tape** can be applied to most substrates without the use of primer or mechanical fasteners. The polyester fabric top layer provides an excellent bonding surface for cementitious and synthetic stucco coatings.

#### **FEATURES**

- 30 day exposure rating
- Fully adhered system
- No Primer needed
- Antimicrobial coated fabric
- Split release liner for easy application
- Seals around properly installed fasteners
- Can be applied to damp surfaces
- Sticks to substrates at -20°F
- No VOC's, HFCC's, nor CFC's
- Compatible with and will adhere to most construction surfaces<sup>1</sup>, wood, concrete, CMU Block, OSB, Plywood, glass mat exterior sheathing products, foam insulation board, ICF, metal, TPO and EPDM
- Forms a positive air/moisture barrier

# **USES**

Used as a sealing tape for sheathing joints and around penetrations in Stucco and EIFS systems. Safe for use on all window and door flanges and most commonly used construction substrates.

# **LIMITATIONS**

Not recommended to be exposed for more than 30 days, consult a Protecto Wrap Company Technical Representative for assistance.

Not recommend to be applied over uncured (wet) sealants or adhesives, even if compatible

Not recommended for use on substrates with standing water or visibly wet surfaces, dirty surfaces, frozen surfaces or surfaces contaminated with foreign substances such as grease, oil or solvents.

Not recommended for use when in direct contact with PVC type roofing membranes.

\*Note: **Primer Free Stucco/EIFS Tape** can be applied in extreme cold/hot weather; however Protecto Wrap Company does not recommend applying tapes below 0°F (-17°C) or above 125°F (51.6°C) due to health and safety reasons.

## **SHELF LIFE**

**Primer Free Stucco/EIFS Tape** maintains optimum initial adhesion to substrates when used within twenty four months from the date of manufacture.

#### **STORAGE**

**Primer Free Stucco/EIFS Tape** should be stored in the original, unopened container at ambient temperatures between 40°F to 90°F (5°C to 32°C). Storage area should remain dry and out of direct sunlight. Do not remove materials from original containers until ready for use. Do not double stack pallets.

## **PREPARATION**

All surfaces shall be clean, dry and free of any foreign materials. The surface shall be free of gaps, sharp edges and protrusions.

Metal surfaces may need to be solvent wiped and/or abraded to achieve optimum adhesion.

<sup>1</sup> Note: Protecto Wrap Company recommends testing substrates for adhesion prior to full application. See Technical Letter Adhesion to Substrates.

### **APPLICATION**

Joint/seam applications: care should be taken to apply **Primer Free Stucco/EIFS Tape** to form water-shedding laps. Cut the **Primer Free Stucco/EIFS Tape** to length, remove a small portion of the release liner and apply to the substrate, continue to remove the release liner as you firmly roll into place using a "J" roller or hand roller to smooth out any wrinkles, air bubbles or creases. End laps should be a minimum 6" and should be firmly rolled to ensure adequate adhesion.

When applying to exterior gypsum products (i.e. Dens Glass Gold) primer is not needed, provided the surface is clean, dry and free of any contaminants and is firmly rolled to ensure full adhesion.

\* Additional methods and details can be found at www.protectowrap.com or call (800) 759-9727.

# **CLEAN UP**

Dispose of waste in accordance to local requirements. Control worksite so that boxes, packaging and release liner do not present a hazard.

Boxes, packaging materials and release liner can be recycled.

#### **CAUTION**

**Protecto Primer Free Stucco/EIFS Tape** has an aggressive adhesive, we recommend removing 3" to 6" of the release liner at a time while installing to help prevent the tape from sticking to itself.

PVC and TPO type roofing membranes may contain high concentrations of plasticizers that may react with the adhesive and is not recommended to be applied over these substrates.

Do not adhere Primer Free Stucco/EIFS Tape to skin, removal may cause loss of hair and/or bleeding.

Protecto Wrap Company recommends the use of safety glasses and gloves. Protecto Wrap Company recommends the use of appropriate fall protection when working above ground level.

# LIMITED WARRANTY

This product is covered by the Protecto Wrap Standard 10 Year Limited Warranty.

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