

# LIGHTNING-FLASH™ WALL FLASHING

LIGHTNING-FLASH™ WALL FLASHING, made with 3M™ technology - is designed for use as a through-wall flashing and damp proof course. Its impermeable membrane has an aggressive, high-tack, acrylic, pressure sensitive adhesive that does not require a primer on most construction surfaces.

#### **KEY FEATURES**

- » Primer not required in most applications.
- » Exceptional abrasion resistance.
- » Excellent adhesion to concrete, concrete block, anodized aluminum, galvanized metal, exterior gypsum sheathing and plywood.
- » Flexible at low temperatures.
- » Unique adhesive adheres to damp surfaces, metals, glass and plastics.
- » Compatible with many building sealants, including polyurethane, silicone and silane terminated hybrid sealants.
- » Service temperature from -40°F to intermittently 240°F (-40° to 116°C).
- » Can be applied from 0° to 150°F (-18° to 66°C).
- » Resists UV exposure for up to 24 months.

### **COLOR & ADHESIVE**

Available in black with an acrylic adhesive.

## **PACKAGING**

LIGHTNING-FLASH is currently available in the following configurations:

- $\sim$  12" x 75' 4 per box
- » 16" x 75' 1 per box
- » 18" x 75' 1 per box
- » 24" x 75' 1 per box
- » 36" x 75' 1 per box

#### INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

#### **SURFACE PREPARATION**

- » To obtain the best adhesion, LIGHTNING-FLASH should be installed when outdoor temperatures measure above 0°F to 150°F (-18°C to 66°C). Excellent adhesion to concrete, concrete block, anodized aluminum, galvanized metal, exterior gypsum sheathing and plywood. Primer not required in most applications.
- » Surfaces should be clean, free from dirt and debris, and have not absorbed water.
- » Surfaces should be free of any damaged, unsupported areas, sharp protrusions, or voids.
- » Concrete must be cured a minimum of 7 days before application.
- » Block or brick walls should have mortar joints stuck flush
- » LIGHTNING-FLASH adheres to most common building materials. For surfaces that are difficult to stick to, test adhesion before application.

#### **APPLICATION**

- » Overlap all joints by 3" (50mm). Keep LIGHTNING-FLASH back ½" (12mm) to 1" (25mm) from outside face of wall or veneer.
- » Detail work must be carefully executed to ensure a continuously sealed building envelope at all laps, seams, and penetrations. Along top edges of LIGHTNING-FLASH, apply a continuous bead of sealant, such as HB SEALANT. Form end dams as required and use sealants at laps. Top or leading edge of LIGHTNING-FLASH must be sealed to prevent rain water from migrating behind the membrane.

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#### **TECHNICAL SERVICES**

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#### **PRODUCT SAFETY**

All users of this product should review the latest Safety Data Sheet and the label affixed to the product for product safety information, handling instructions, personal protective equipment if necessary, and any special storage conditions required. Safety Data Sheets are available at www.H-B.com/L-F

Please refer to product Safety Data Sheet for health and safety guidelines during handling and use, and for emergency response procedures.

#### PRODUCT HANDLING AND STORAGE

- » Store under normal conditions of 60° to 80°F (16° to 27°C) and 40 to 60% relative humidity in the original carton.
- » To obtain best performance, use this product within 24 months from date of manufacture.

#### TYPICAL PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Typical physical properties of LIGHTNING-FLASH as supplied and cured are set forth in the tables below.

PROPERTY	VALUE <sup>(1)</sup>	TEST METHOD
Elongation at Break	>600%	D-412, Die C
Film Thickness	7.5 mils (0.19mm)	
Lap Adhesion	> .37 lbf/in	D1876
Low Temperature Flexibility	86°F Bend Test	
Moisture Absorption	CGSB 37GP56M	D570
Nail Sealability	5" (127mm) Water Head After 3 Days Dry	D1970-14, Section 7.9
Puncture Resistant Membrane	>38 lbf (>170 N	E-154
Temperature Use Range	0° to 150°F (-18° to 66°C)	
Tensile Strength	>7.0 MPa (>1000 psi)	D-412, Die C
Thickness	15.5 mils (0.40mm)	
Water Vapor Permeance	0.05 Perms	E96 Method B

<sup>(1)</sup> The data within the typical physical properties are not to be used as or to develop specifications.

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