

## **ROOFING RECOVERY BOARD**

# (R+) EPS RRB

(R+) Roofing Recover Board provides a layer of protection over old roof problems to help assure Long-Term Performance of the New Single-Ply Membrane systems currently on the market. Reclaiming the old roof system provides a dramatic reduction in Labor and Material costs.

(R+) EPS RRB is made from moister-resistant EPS (expanded ploystyrened) foam. Multi-ply, high barrier facers to protect the EPS from plasticizers given off by PVC roofing membranes. This lightweight material, along with it's fan-fold configuration of 4' x 50' that is packaged in compact, light weight bundles. The 50' length gives the installer the ability to cover more square footage in less time.



### **Features**

- ★ (R+) EPS RRB is less expensive than other re-cover products, requires fewer fasteners per sq.ft. and is easier to handle. More R-Value, per dollar installed.
- ★ EPS has a 35 year history of proven performance in the roofing Industry. Available with a 20 year R-Value warranty
- → Classified as a roofing protection board under UL 790 for any single ply PVC membranes
- → Superior water absorption properties: less than 4% by volume (ASTM C272), does not absorb moisture from the environment.
- ← Contains no dyes, formaldehyde or ozone depleting CFCs, HCFCs or HFC. It is made with recycled material, the EPS foam core is 100% recyclable.
- + Available in 1/4" to 1" thick fan-fold (4' x 50') configuration
- → Also available in 4' x 8' sheets, in 3/8" to 5-3/8" thickness and a variety of compressive strengths
- → EPS is the most cost effective rigid insulation on the market today. You can pay more for other insulation products, but why?





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### Installation Recommendations

- ★ The substrate should be flat, dry and free of any foreign materials that would damage the (R+) EPS RRB insulation board. Beginning of installation indicates that the contractor has accepted the condition of the existing substrate.
- → Some membrane manufacturers will require a higher concentration of fasteners. Consult the membrane manufacturer for installation instructions.
- → One fastener is placed at each corner of the leading and trailing edges of (R+) EPS RRB. One fastener is placed every 12 feet on altering sides of the sheet thereafter. (See Illustration).



#### (R+) EPS RRB meets or exceeds physical and thermal property standards as established in ATSM C 578

Physical Properties	Units	Test Method	Type I	Type VIII	Type II	Type IX
Compressive Resistance at 10% Strain Deformation (2" cube)	Min psi (kPa)	D 1621, C 165	10.6 (69)	13.0 (90)	15.0 (104)	25.0 (173)
Flexural Strength	Min psi (kPa)	C 203	25.0 (173)	30.0 (208)	35.0 (240)	50.0 (345)
Thermal Resistance (R-Value)* 75± 2° F (24 ± 1° C) 40± 2° F (4.4 ± 1° C)	Min R* for 1" thickness	C 177, C 518	3.85 (0.67) 4.17 (0.0)	3.92 (0.69) 4.25 (0.74)	4.17 (0.73) 4.55 (0.77)	4.35 (0.76) 4.76 (0.80)
Thermal Conductivity (K-Value)* 75± 2° F (24 ± 1° C) 40± 2° F (4.4 ± 1° C)	BTU/(hr)(Sq.Ft.)(F/in.)	C 177, C 518	0.260 (1.48) 0.240 (1.37)	0.255 (1.46) 0.235 (1.35)	0.240 (1.37) 0.220 (1.26)	0.230 (1.31) 0.210 (1.20)
Coefficient of Thermal Expansion	In./(In.)(F)	D 696	0.000035	0.000035	0.000035	0.000035
Moisture Resistance Water Absorption by total immersion	% by volume Max	C 272	< 4.0	< 3.0	< 3.0	< 2.0
Water Vapor Permeability of 1" (25.4 mm) thickness max perm	Max perm/in (ng/Pa*s*m²)	E 96	5.0 (287)	3.5 (201)	3.5 (201)	2.0 (115)
Oxygen Index	Min volume %	D 2863	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0
Dimensional Stability (Change in dimensions)	Max %	D 2126	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Max. Service Temperature Long Term / Intermittent	F		167 / 180	167 / 180	167 / 180	167 / 180
Flame Spread		UL 723	< 20	< 20	< 20	< 20
Smoke Developed		UL 723	150-300	150-300	150-300	150-300
Density, minimum	Min lb/ft³ (kg/m³)	C 303	0.90 (15)	1.15 (18)	1.35 (22)	1.80 (29)
Density, nominal	lb/ft³		1.00	1.25	1.50	2.00

<sup>\*</sup>R means resistance to heat flow. The higher the R-value, the greater the insulating power.

Federal Trade Commission requires; using the R-Value publication at 75°F temperature when calculating R-Values of all insulations.

#### **Insulation Consideration:**

- DO NOT COMPARE polyisocyanurate conditioned R-Values by RIC-TIMA and PIMA to EPS R-Values as per ASTM C-578
- Ask for a 20 year 100% R-Value Warranty.
- EPS Insulation offers the Best Insulating Value Per Dollar than any material available today.









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