

# Aquathane R100

Polyurethane liquid membrane for waterproofing and protection



## Description

Single component high-quality polyurethane coating that cures by reacting with the humidity in the atmosphere to form a strong elastic film with excellent adhesion to different substrates. Can be applied by brush, roller or airless spray machine.

The product is based on pure elastomeric hydrophobic polyurethane resin with special inorganic filler that provides the material with excellent weathering resistance properties.

Aquathane R100 is designed to have excellent adhesion on all common construction substrates such as dry concrete, fibrous cement, ceramic tiles, wood, and galvanized steel when used in conjunction with Aquathane Primer Range.

## Applications

Waterproofing and protection of:

- ▲ Roofs.
- ▲ Light roofing made of metal or fibrous cement.
- ▲ Wet areas, bathrooms and kitchens.
- ▲ Verandas and balconies.
- ▲ Gypsum and cement boards.

## Advantages

- ▲ Excellent adhesion to all common primed substrates.
- ▲ Excellent water and UV resistance. The white colour reflects much of the solar energy reducing the internal temperature of the building.
- ▲ Excellent thermal resistance. Max service temperature 80°C, max shock temperature 200°C.
- ▲ Cold Resistance: the film remains elastic down to minus 40°C.
- ▲ Excellent mechanical properties.
- ▲ Good breathability characteristics which minimize the accumulation of humidity under the coat.

## Technical Properties @ 25°C, 55% RH:

Colour:	Variable
Specific gravity:	1.4 ± 0.5
Tack free time:	4 - 8 hr
Recoat time:	6 - 24 hr
Light pedestrian traffic time:	24 - 48 hr
Final curing time:	7 days
Service temperature:	-40 to 80°C
Nonvolatile (solid) content: ASTM D2369	≥ 87%
Shore A hardness: ASTM D2240	70 ± 5
Tensile strength: ASTM D412	≥ 5 MPa
Bond strength: ASTM D4541	≥ 1 MPa
Elongation: ASTM D412	≥ 500%
Water vapour transmission: ASTM E96	0.8 g/m <sup>2</sup> .day
QUV accelerated weathering: ASTM G53	Pass (2000 hr)
Hydrolysis (8% KOH, 15 days @ 50°C):	Pass

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## Limitations

- ▲ Only white and light grey colours can be used for exposed areas.
- ▲ Do not use on unsound substrates.
- ▲ Not recommended for waterproofing of swimming pools surfaces in contact with chemically treated water.
- ▲ Since Aquathane R100 cures with moisture, low humidity conditions will extend the tack free time and recoat time.

## Standards

Aquathane R100 complies with ASTM C836.

## Method of Use

### Surface Preparation

The surface should be clean, dry, sound and free from oil, grease and wax contamination. Cement laitance, loose particles, mould release agent or curing membranes must be removed.

Fill surfaces irregularities with a suitable product. Maximum moisture content should not exceed 5%. New concrete structures need to dry for at least 28 days.

### Priming

It is recommended to prime all kinds of substrates using water-based epoxy primer Aquathane Primer W or solvent-based polyurethane primer Aquathane Primer PU.

Aquathane Primer W is designed to significantly improve the adhesion between Aquathane R100 and all kinds of non-porous substrates such as steel, glass tiles, and aluminium.

It will also stabilize and fortify weak and porous substrates before the application of Aquathane R100. Aquathane Primer W should be applied using a brush or roller at a rate of 0.16 ltr/m<sup>2</sup> to achieve around 70 - 75 micron DFT.

Alternatively, Aquathane PU Primer can also be used over porous and non-porous surfaces before the application of Aquathane R100. Aquathane Primer PU should be applied at a rate of 0.1 - 0.2 litre/m<sup>2</sup> (depending on the substrate porosity) to achieve 40 - 80 microns DFT. Leave the primer to cure for 8 - 24 hours before the application of Aquathane R100.

## Application

For spraying with airless spray machine, Aquathane R100 can be diluted by 5 - 10% using DCP Solvent PU (consult DCP's technical department for further details). For any mixing done on-site, low speed (300 rpm) mixer or electric drill should be used.

Apply the material with roller or brush. Apply at least two coats. Do not leave more than 24 hours between coats.

## Consumption

- ▲ First coat: 0.75 - 0.90 kg/m<sup>2</sup>.
- ▲ Second coat: 0.75 - 0.90 kg/m<sup>2</sup>.
- ▲ Total consumption: 1.5 - 1.8 kg/m<sup>2</sup> to give 1 mm dry film thickness.

## Cleaning

Clean all tools after finishing with paper towels and then wipe by using DCP solvent PU. Do not try to clean rollers.

## Packaging

Aquathane R100 is available in 25 kg packs.

## Storage

Aquathane R100 has a shelf life of 12 months from date of manufacture if stored in the original unopened pails at temperatures between 5°C and 25°C.

If these conditions are exceeded, DCP Technical Department should be contacted for advise.



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## Cautions

### Health and Safety

Apply in well ventilated areas. Do not smoke. Do not apply near naked flames. In closed areas use force ventilation and carbon active masks. Keep in mind that solvents are heavier than air so vapour concentration is higher in air closer to floor.

For further information refer to the Material Safety Data Sheet.

### Fire

Aquathane R100 contains volatile flammable solvents.

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