

## B-6000 WATERPROOF/CRACK ISOLATION MEMBRANE

### Description

ProSpec® B-6000 Waterproof/Crack Isolation Membrane is a new advanced latex polymer based technology used as a waterproofing membrane underlayment or as part of a crack isolation system.

### Features

- Ready to use - no mixing required
- Waterproof
- Flood test in 24 hours
- Ready to use
- Exceptional elongation
- Flexible
- Allows light foot traffic in 4-6 hrs.
- Meets IAPMO specifications
- Interior and exterior
- Horizontal and vertical applications
- Exceeds ANSI A118.10 and A118.12
- Will not support mold growth
- Solvent free and VOC compliant
- Anti-fracture protection up to 1/8" (3 mm)

### Uses

- Swimming pools and fountains
- Spas
- Food processing areas
- Balconies over unoccupied space
- Shower stalls and tub surrounds
- Light commercial bathrooms
- Steam rooms
- Above and below grade
- Walls or floors
- Crack isolation membrane
- Installation over concrete, masonry, plywood, OSB or tile backerboard

### Recommended Substrates

- Concrete
- Brick masonry
- Gypsum wall board
- Exterior grade plywood\*
- OSB\*
- Mortar beds
- Plaster
- Cement backerboard
- Countertops

\* NOTE: Interior only

### Technical Data

	Typical Values	ANSI A118.10		Typical Values	ANSI A118.10
Shear Strength			Breaking Strength	400 psi (2.8 MPa)	Min. 170 psi (1.2 MPa)
12 weeks dry	200 psi (1.4 MPa)	>50 psi (0.3 MPa)	Waterproofness	Passes	
Water Immersion			Permeability	1.68 perms	ASTM E 96
100 days	150 psi (1.0 MPa)	>150 psi (1.0 MPa)	Hydrostatic Resistance	Passes	ASTM D 751 Procedure B
Fungus & Micro Organism Resistance		Passes	Dimensional Stability	600%	ASTM D 638

Test results obtained under controlled laboratory conditions. Reasonable variations can occur due to atmospheric and job site conditions.

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Preparation	Refer to
<p>1. Clean area and remove all unsound concrete, grease, oil, paint and any other foreign materials that would inhibit performance.</p> <p>2. The substrate must be dimensionally stable.</p>	<p>• ICRI Guideline 03732 <u>Selecting and Specifying Concrete Surface Preparation for Sealers, Coatings and Polymer Overlays</u></p>
<p>3. Concrete floors must be cured a minimum of 28 days and have a profile finish.</p> <p>NOTE: It is the responsibility of the installer/applicator to ensure that test areas are performed to determine the suitability of the product for its intended use.</p>	

### Placement

1. Do not apply under wet conditions or where these conditions are likely to occur before the membrane has fully dried.
2. Brush, roll or spray two coats to achieve a nominal 30 wet mil thickness (16 mil dry, nominal).
3. Must be applied at right angles to each other to assure any pinholes are completely filled.
4. Before applying the second coat, it is necessary to let the first coat dry to the touch. The drying time may vary between coats due to the environmental conditions, but it should take approximately 1 hour.
5. Test the mil thickness periodically with a mil gauge to assure 30 wet mils (16 mil dry, nominal).
6. Do not bridge over existing expansion or control joints.

NOTE: ProSpec B-6000 is not designed for use as a wear surface or finished floor. The final wear surface (ceramic tile, stone, concrete, etc.) should be installed within 24 hours after the second coat of ProSpec B-6000 has dried.

When airless spray application is used, the following guidelines should be maintained:

1. Compression ratio of 28:1
2. Tip size of 0.025" (1 mm) and a fan of 8" (203 mm)

#### Crack Isolation:

As a preventive measure:

Apply ProSpec® B-6000 at a minimum of 30 wet mils (16 mil dry, nominal) thick over the entire concrete floor.

#### Existing cracks:

Apply ProSpec B-6000 over the cracked area, and embed ProSpec 6" (152 mm) wide non-woven reinforcing mesh into the B-6000, being sure that the B-6000 wets out the mesh and is split evenly 3" (76 mm) on each side of the crack. Apply an additional coat of the B-6000 to ensure that the mesh is completely covered.

Total minimum thickness of 30 wet mils (16 mil dry, nominal).

#### Waterproofing and Reinforcing of Corners and Cracks:

1. Apply a liberal coat of ProSpec B-6000 over the area in which you are waterproofing. Embed the ProSpec non-woven reinforcing mesh into the wet B-6000, being careful to ensure that the mesh is in full contact with the B-6000.
2. At all corners, embed ProSpec reinforcing non-woven mesh extending a minimum of 6" (152 mm) on each side.
3. For exterior applications, follow the same procedure for change of plane as written in number 2.
4. A margin trowel or equivalent may be necessary to push the mesh into the corners insuring full contact to the wet B-6000 and the substrate. Once the mesh has been installed, apply a sufficient amount of the ProSpec B-6000 over the mesh being sure to cover the mesh completely. It is not necessary for the first coat under the mesh to dry prior to applying the final coat. Allow to completely dry (approximately 4 hours) before applying overlay or topping. When applying mesh reinforcement to areas larger than 4' (1 m) in width the mesh should be overlapped by 2" (51 mm) and sealed by applying the ProSpec B-6000 between the seams completely



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## Placement (continued)

5. Total minimum thickness of 30 wet mils (16 mil dry, nominal).

### Drain application:

Clamping ring type drains with weeping ability must be used as per ASME A112.6.3. The ProSpec non woven mesh must be used for all shower pan applications. Cut the ProSpec® mesh to the size of the shower stall area allowing for enough material to turn up the wall a minimum of 3" above the shower curb. Cut a circular hole in the center of the mesh to the size of the drain throat. Apply a liberal amount of the ProSpec B-6000 Waterproof Membrane around and over the bottom of the drain clamp up to the drain throat. Place the ProSpec mesh over the wet ProSpec B-6000 Waterproof Membrane, wetting the mesh completely. Apply a second liberal coat of the ProSpec B-6000 Waterproof Membrane over the ProSpec mesh. When dry, apply a bead of sealant around the drain throat where the ProSpec B-6000 Waterproof Membrane terminates. Follow by installing top drain clamping ring.

### Expansion joints:

Apply a liberal amount of ProSpec B-6000 Waterproof Membrane into the expansion joint being sure to fully coat the sides and bottom of the entire area. Fold and place the ProSpec mesh into the wet ProSpec B-6000 Waterproof Membrane being sure to have the fold or u shape fully embedded at the bottom of the expansion joint. Follow with a second coat of the ProSpec B-6000 Waterproof Membrane over the entire ProSpec mesh. A closed cell backer rod can be placed into the expansion joint once the ProSpec B-6000 is dry.

Note: This method is for waterproofing applications only not for bridging expansion joints. Changes in the substrate plane, and any expansion joints in the substrate must be honored. Refer to TCA Handbook for Ceramic Tile Installations Method EJ171 for recommended installation procedure.

It is the user's responsibility to perform a flood test where required. Allow ProSpec B-6000 to cure 24 hours, or once completely dried throughout, prior to flood test. Additional coats of B-6000 can be applied if necessary.

## Yield

Approximately 40 ft<sup>2</sup> (4 m<sup>2</sup>) per gallon at 30 mils (two-coat application)

## Packaging

1 gallon (3.8 L) or 3.5 gallon (13.2 L) pail

Non-woven reinforcing mesh:

6" x 60' rolls (6/cs)

36" x 60' rolls (6/cs)

36" x 12' rolls (9/cs)

## Shelf Life

One year from date of manufacture in the original container in a cool, dry storage area and protected from freezing conditions.



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## Best Performance

- Apply when air or substrate temperature is between 40° F (4° C) and 100° F (38° C) within 24 hours of application. For applications outside this range of temperatures, contact ProSpec Technical Service.
- Two coats are required to ensure uniform thickness
- Test the mil thickness periodically with a mil gauge
- The installer is responsible for proper application.
- The coats must be applied at right angles to each other to assure any pinholes are completely filled.
- ProSpec® B-6000 must be covered with a finish surface.
- Do not bridge over existing expansion or control joints.
- ProSpec B-6000 is not recommended as a primary roofing membrane over occupied space.
- ProSpec B-6000 is not recommended where exposed to negative hydrostatic pressure.
- Do not apply on substrates that are frozen or contain frost.

NOTE: Unprotected membrane should not be directly exposed to sun or inclement weather prior to the installation of the wear surface materials.

## Caution

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN AND ANIMALS. PROTECT FROM FREEZING.

Liquid or heated vapors may cause irritation of skin, eyes, nose and throat. Read Material Safety Data Sheet before using

this product. For industrial and professional use only.

Do not breathe vapors or spray mist. Use adequate ventilation. Wear safety glasses, resistant gloves and other necessary protective equipment. Avoid

contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Close container after each use. Do not transfer to unmarked container.

## First Aid

In case of eye contact, flush immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and call a physician; for skin, wash thoroughly with plenty of soap and water. If vapors or fumes are inhaled, remove person to fresh air. If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting, call a physician immediately. IN CASE

OF SPILLAGE, absorb with inert material and dispose of in accordance with applicable regulations. IN CASE OF FIRE: use dry chemical, carbon dioxide, water spray fog, or alcohol foam. Closed containers may rupture or explode when heated. Keep cool with water spray.

Bonsal American at 704-525-1621 or CHEMTREC at 800-424-9300 or 703-527-3887 outside of the USA.

Refer to Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) for further information.

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