

LIQUIGUM FIBER

DESCRIPTION OF THE PRODUCT

Water- based elastomeric fibre reinforced coloured liquid waterproof membrane resistant to ponding water. The product is 100% solvent-free, and therefore is to be considered of almost no environmental impact. Formulated by VALLI ZABBAN Research & Development laboratories.

USE FIELDS

LIQUIGUM FIBER can be applied on roofs, fibre-cement slabs, wooden panels or OSB, balconies and terraces subject to occasional pedestrian traffic, concrete canopies and attics. LIQUIGUM FIBER is a product specifically developed for applications on irregular foundations that require excellent coverage and need a thick waterproofing layer that can be applied in a single coat. Fibres, perfectly balanced with special polymers, make it possible to waterproof surfaces subject to little movements without the need of reinforcing the product. It is suitable for application on concrete, wood, fiber cement, bricks and to fix damaged bituminous membranes. LIQUIGUM FIBER is exceptionally resistant to U.V. rays, high and low temperatures and adverse climate conditions.

PREPARATION OF SURFACES

Accurately clean the support to eliminate: dirt, dust, loose materials and foreign or bonding-proof matters. The application must be applied on a dry surface. Even if the product can bear a percentage of humidity in the substratum between 3 and 5%, it is always advisable to check for the presence of hidden humidity in the substratum to avoid phenomenon of vapour tension. Apply LIQUIGUM FIX to improve the adhesion of LIQUIGUM FIBER on dusty surfaces.

RECOMMENDATIONS

No additives required.
Do not use if the container is damaged.
Do not add water and/or solvents.

WARNINGS

In case LIQUIGUM FIBER should be applied on bituminous membranes, the modified membrane must have undergone at least 180 days of oxidization before to applying the product. The product must be applied in environmental conditions suitable to guarantee its full drying in the shortest possible time. Therefore do not apply the product on frozen surfaces or subjected to night chill, in presence of elevated night humidity or with rainy weather. Protect the product for 24 hours since it is applied from water, rain and snow. Apply the product at temperatures between +5°C and +35°C.

APPLICATION

LIQUIGUM FIBER can be applied with brush, roller or spatula. You can also apply a single coat if you care for uniformly covering the surface. When using a roller, we recommend rolling it inside the bucket in order to take up a good quantity of product and better wet the tool. For corners reinforcement and sealing, it's advisable applying VZ SEAL BAND, self-adhesive band covered with non-woven. For waterproofing and sealing around roof penetrations such as drain, ventilation pipes, other roof penetrations or around plumbing pipes and drains, use VZ SEAL PAD, self-adhesive butyl square pad, together with VZ SEAL BAND.

SURFACES WITH JOINTS

Seal joints up to 1 cm wide, using VZ JOINT BAND (waterproof elastic band, made of rubber and polyester fabric, suitable for waterproofing joints), as described below:

After making new joints or restoring the existing ones, apply LIQUIGUM FIBER laterally to the joint and for a width that is larger than the joint cover.

Lay the joint cover placing the perforated side strip on the area already treated with LIQUIGUM FIBER, that must be wet yet.

Once dried, soak it with a last coat of LIQUIGUM FIBER.

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CONSUMPTION

1.6 kg/m² in two coats.

PACKAGING

5-10-20 kg pails.

Colours: white-grey-red-green.

STORAGE

The product in its undamaged packaging can be stored for 12 months. Please store it at temperatures between +5°C and +35°C. No frost-proof.

SAFETY STANDARDS

CAUTION

For information about safety standards, users must refer to the most recent Safety Sheet drafted in compliance with currently applicable Safety Standards, containing physical, toxicological and other data about the product used.

ECOLOGY

Dispose of the product and/or empty packaging in appropriate sites. For further information about waste disposal, see the most recent Safety Sheet.

TECHNICAL DATA (average values) PRODUCT FOR PROFESSIONALS

Appearance:	Medium density paste
Colour:	White/grey/red/green
Density at 20°C (g/cm ³):	1.45 + 0.05
Dry residues (%):	71 + 2
Ph:	8 + 1
Brookfield viscosity cPs:	36,000 +1000

OPERATIONAL PRODUCT PERFORMANCES

Resistance to atmospheric agents:	Good
Elongation after 14 days (ASTM D2370):	≥50%
Resistance to Breaking after 14 days (ASTM D2370):	≥ 1.67 N/mm ²
Adhesion test on substrate. UNI EN 1348 standard dynamometer (after 14 days)	
Concrete	0.70 N/mm ²
Fibre-cement	0.61 N/mm ²
Adhesion before sun rain cycles (UNI10686)	2.0 N/mm ²
Adhesion after 25 cycles sun rain (UNI10686)	1.7 N/mm ²
Frost/thaw proofing: (UNI 10686)	Good after 50 cycles
Resistance factor to water steam diffusion (UNI EN 1931)	10,113.50 μ
Water absorption (ASTM D 471)	≤ 8.0 %

VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS EMISSION

Parameter	Max. allowed concentration (μ/m3)
TVOC after 3 days	≤ 750
TVOC after 28 days	≤ 60

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Test performed by the EUROFINS institute according to EN 16516, ISO 16000-3-6-9-11 and ASTM D5116-10, Test report n. 392-2017-00404102_G_EN

Product in compliance with Directive 2003/53/EC

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