

# **RF100**

# Reinforcing Fabric for Use with Roof Coating and Air and Water Resistive Barrier Systems

# **Product Description**

GE RF100 Reinforcing Fabric is a 100% polyester spun-laced textile for roofing and air and water resistive barrier applications. It is a high-tensile, high-tear strength, dimensionally stable fabric with excellent elongation for long-term performance. It is easy to apply with exceptional conformability, immediate wet-out and easy positioning / repositioning in coatings or sealants.

# **Key Features and Typical Benefits**

- Applicator Friendly—Easy to work with and install. Can easily be positioned / repositioned in coating without damage occuring to itself or the substrate.
- Conformability—Easily conforms to regular and irregular transitions, including, but not limited to: rough openings, penetrations, curbs, inside / outside corners, flashing, and more.
- Seamless Wet Out—Provides a monolithic and continuous reinforced surface, which allows coating to easily flow through and saturate.
- High Strength Reinforcement—Provides additional tensile and tear strength to help meet project needs.

# **Potential Applications**

- AWB—Spans static gaps up to <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" (13mm). Can treat: rough openings, penetrations, inside / outside corners, flashing, transitions, changes in plane, and more.
- Roofing—Can reinforce seams and curbs on roofing surfaces, including: metal, single-ply and modified bitumen seams as well as skylights, vents, scuppers, HVAC, and more.

Note: RF100 is not suitable for bridging dynamic gaps and expansion joints. Consider GE UST2200 UltraSpan\* silicone sheeting for these purposes.

# **Packaging**

• Roll Length—RF100 is available in 100 foot (30.5 m) rolls: and standard widths are: 4" (102 mm), 6" (152 mm), and 12" (305 mm). Additional widths may be available upon request.

#### Color

• Color—White.

# **Typical Physical Properties**

Typical property values of RF100 as supplied and cured are set forth in the table below.

# **Typical Properties**

Property	Value	Test Method
Weight	1.1 lbs (.5kg)	ASTM D3776
Oz./Sq./Yard (Grams/Sq. Meter)	1.6 oz (54.2g)	ASTM D3776
Bulk	22 mils	
Dry Tensile- MD	25 lbs (11.3kg)	ASTM D1777
Dry Tensile- CD	18 lbs (8.2kg)	ASTM D1777
Elongation- MD	45%	ASTM D1682
Elongation- CD	100%	ASTM D1682
Mullen Burst	35 psi	ASTM D3786

Typical properties are average data and are not to be used as or to develop specifications.

#### Installation

Refer to current roof coating and air and water resistive barrier coating specifications, installation guidelines and details for application instructions.

#### **Technical Services**

Additional technical information and literature may be available from MPM. Laboratory facilities and application engineering are available upon request from MPM.

#### Limitations

Customers must evaluate Momentive Performance Materials (MPM) products and make their own determination as to fitness of use in their particular applications.

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