

PRODUCT DATA SHEET

S-Vap 500 E

VAPOUR CONTROL LAYER

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

S-Vap 500 E is an unsupported vapour control layer based on Polyethylene (PE).

USES

- Vapour control layer (VCL) is applied over most common substrates. Substrates should be smooth, dry and strong enough to support foot traffic.
- If the substrate surfaces is rough (e.g. raw concrete or sloped topping), install a levelling layer beneath S-Vap 500 E.
- S-Vap 500 E vapour control layer is used for flat roofs (only for PVC roof systems).
- Not suitable for temporary or permanent waterproofing.

CHARACTERISTICS / ADVANTAGES

- Ease and speed of installation
- Stays flexible at low temperatures
- Non-decaying.
- Constant vapour diffusion resistance
- Recyclable.

APPROVALS / STANDARDS

- CE marking according EN 13984.
- Reaction to fire according to EN 13 501-1.
- Quality management system EN ISO 9001/14001.

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Chemical Base	Low density polyethylene (PE-LD) foil.	
Packaging	Packing unit:	see price list
	Roll length:	25.00 m
	Roll width:	5.00 m
	Roll weight:	18.125 kg
Appearance / Colour	Surface:	smooth
	Colour:	white
Shelf Life	5 years from date of production and according to defined storage conditions in unopened, undamaged, original packaging.	
Storage Conditions	Rolls must be stored between +5 °C and +30 °C in a horizontal position on pallet, protected from direct sunlight, rain and snow. Do not stack pallets of rolls or any other material during transport or storage.	
Product Declaration	EN 13984	
Visible Defects	Pass	(EN 1850-2)

Length	25.00 m (± 2 %)	(EN 1848-2)
Width	5.00 m (± 1 %)	(EN 1848-2)
Effective Thickness	0.15 mm (± 20 %)	(EN 1849-2)
Straightness	Pass	(EN 1848-2)
Mass per unit area	145 g/m ² (± 15 %)	(EN 1849-2)

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Resistance to Impact	≤ 100 mm	(EN 12691)
Tensile Strength	longitudinal ≥ 130 N/50 mm transversal ≥ 130 N/50 mm	(EN 12311-2)
Elongation	longitudinal ≥ 400 % transversal ≥ 400 %	(EN 12311-2)
Tear Strength	longitudinal ≥ 60 N transversal ≥ 60 N	(EN 12310-1)
Reaction to Fire	Class E	(EN ISO 11925-2: 2002) classification to (EN 13501-1)
UV Exposure	Not applicable for permanent exposure to UV irradiation	
Artificial Ageing	Pass	(EN 1296) (EN 1931)
Water Vapour Transimission	≥ 100 m	(EN 1931)
Water Tightness	Pass	(EN 1928)

SYSTEM INFORMATION

System Structure	Ancillary, complementary products: ▪ S-Vap Tape F (for sealing overlap airtight).
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APPLICATION INFORMATION

Ambient Air Temperature	-20 °C min. / +60 °C max.
Substrate Temperature	-30 °C min. / +60 °C max.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

SUBSTRATE QUALITY

Substrates should be smooth, dry and strong enough to support foot traffic.

SUBSTRATE PREPARATION

If the substrate surfaces is rough (e.g. raw concrete or sloped topping), install a levelling layer beneath S-Vap 500 E.

APPLICATION

1. Unroll the S-Vap 500 E over the structural deck and temporarily weight in position.
2. Unroll the next roll of S-Vap 500 E positioning so as to ensure a minimum 80 mm overlap.
3. Fold back the top sheet of S-Vap 500 E and apply S-

Vap Tape F (jointing tape) to the bottom sheet.

4. Peel off release tape and carefully fold back the top sheet of S-Vap 500 E ensuring no wrinkles or creases are formed.
5. Apply pressure to the top sheet of S-Vap 500 E with a welding roller ensuring good adhesion to the S-Vap Tape F. On metal decks the lap should be fully supported in order to apply the correct bonding pressure.
6. At transverse joints an airtight bond is achieved by trimming the edge of the upper sheet at 45°.

Installation works shall be performed only by Sika instructed contractors for roofing.

Installation of some ancillary products, e.g. contact tapes and Primer is limited to temperatures above +5 °C. Please refer to the respective Product Data Sheets. Special measures may be compulsory for installation below +5 °C ambient temperature due to safety requirements in accordance with national regulations.

Note:

S-Vap 500 E is not suitable as temporary or permanent waterproofing. It is not designed as roofing membrane and therefore can not replace the waterproofing membrane.

APPLICATION METHOD / TOOLS

According to the valid installation instructions S-Vap 500 E can be installed loose laid over any smooth surface with all side and end laps overlapped a minimum 80 mm and sealed with S-Vap Tape F (jointing tape). At parapets and upstands, the S-Vap 500 E must be carried up to the upper edge of the thermal insulation and sealed to the upstand/penetration, to form an air-tight seal.

Before the application of S-Vap 500 E, the substrate must be checked. S-Vap 500 E should be laid on substrate surfaces that are smooth, dry, clean and strong enough to support foot traffic. If the substrate surface is rough (e.g. raw concrete or sloped topping), install a levelling layer beneath S-Vap 500 E.

S-Vap 500 E is loose laid. It is light, so it must be covered (ballasted) immediately with the next layer of the roof build-up. If S-Vap 500 E is installed on a vertical surface the upper edge must be mechanically attached (except at common base flashing height). Contact surfaces of seams must be clean and dry for adhering. Adjoining sheets must overlap 80 mm. Seams are to be sealed tightly with S-Vap Tape F.

LIMITATIONS

The use of S-Vap 500 E vapour control layer is limited to geographical locations with average monthly minimum temperatures of -50 °C. Permanent ambient temperature during use is limited to +50 °C.

VALUE BASE

All technical data stated in this Data Sheet are based on laboratory tests. Actual measured data may vary due to circumstances beyond our control.

LOCAL RESTRICTIONS

Please note that as a result of specific local regulations the declared data and recommended uses for this product may vary from country to country. Please consult the local Product Data Sheet for the exact product data and uses.

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REGULATION (EC) NO 1907/2006 - REACH

This product is an article as defined in article 3 of regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH). It contains no substances which are intended to be released from the article under normal or reasonably foreseeable conditions of use. A safety data sheet following article 31 of the same regulation is not needed to bring the product to the market, to transport or to use it. For safe use follow the instructions given in this product data sheet. Based on our current knowledge, this product does not contain SVHC (substances of very high concern) as listed in Annex XIV of the REACH regulation or on the candidate list published by the European Chemicals Agency in concentrations above 0.1 % (w/w)

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