

# Bituthene® 8000 / 8000S

Advanced, self-adhesive membrane with unique HDPE composite film that provides superior physical properties for water and vapour proof application in sub-structures

# **Description**

Bituthene\* 8000/8000S combines the proven Bituthene adhesive technology with a unique, grey coloured carrier film to provide superior performance and easier installation. Bituthene 8000/8000S is extremely tough but any accidental damage which would otherwise be missed, is made visible by the black compound showing through the light grey film.

### Installation

At air temperatures below +5 °C measures should be taken to ensure that all surfaces are free from ice or frost. All surfaces except those below ground bearing slabs and Preprufe® R membranes should be primed with one coat of GCP's solvent based quick drying, damp and green concrete tolerant, rubberised primer Bituthene® Primer S2. Primer S2 can be applied by brush or roller. Primer S2 is pink in colour to ensure proper coverage, to aid identification and to avoid substitution of proper recommended primer.

Bituthene 8000/ 8000S shall be laid by peeling back the protective release paper and applying the adhesive face onto the prepared surface, free from ice, frost or condensation. Bituthene® LM to be applied at all internal and external corners, penetrations etc. prior to applying the overall membrane.

# **Advantages**

- Water and vapour proof provides protection for all basements, BS 8102:2009
- Gas resistant methane, Carbon dioxide and radon gas protection in excess of the standard membrane requirements in BRE Reports 211 (radon) and 212 (methane and carbon dioxide)
- Chemically resistant provides effective external protection against aggressive soils, contaminated ground water and hydrocarbons in suspension
- **Superior performance** 70 m hydrostatic pressure resistance with ultra low moisture transmission rate
- Wide application "window" reduces delays application temperature range from -5°C to +35°C and damp surface tolerant
- **Unique composite film** engineered for strength, flexibility and a smooth finish
- Facilitates quality assured installation -printed overlap line ensures minimum laps; light grey colour highlights accidental damage for simple patch repairs.
- System Compatibility can be combined with Preprufe pre-applied membranes, Bituthene LM, and Hydroduct for system solutions



Adjacent rolls are aligned using printed lines and overlapped 50 mm minimum at side and ends and well rolled with a firm pressure, using a lap roller to ensure complete adhesion and continuity between the layers. On high walls it may be necessary to batten fix the membrane to prevent slippage. Once the membrane is applied, cover with a protection board as soon as possible. On "green" concrete or damp surfaces, cover the membrane immediately.

#### Repairs, Protection & Drainage

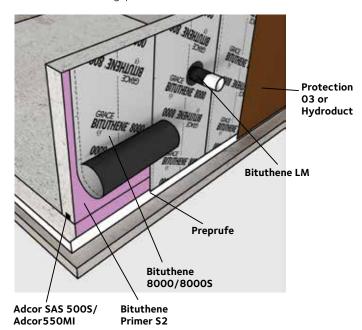
- Damaged areas to be repaired with an oversize patch applied to a clean dry surface extending 100 mm beyond damage and firmly rolled.
- Protect Bituthene membranes immediately after application to avoid damage from other trades, construction materials or backfill, using only Protection O3 boards.
- If the area around the substructure can be drained to a low level outlet then GCP recommends the Hydroduct range of drainage membranes.

#### **Performance**

Bituthene 8000/ 8000S complies with the following national standards: BS 8102: 2009, The Building Regulations (as amended) (England and Wales) 2000, The Building Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2000 (as amended), Building Standards (Scotland) Regulations 2004 (as amended).

# **Health and Safety**

There is no legal requirement for a Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for Adcor® SAS 500S, Adcor® 550MI, Bituthene® 8000/8000S, Protection 03 board, Bitustik™ 4000 or Hydroduct®. For Bituthene® Primer S2 and Bituthene® LM read the product label and SDS before use. Users must comply with all risk and safety phrases. SDS's can be obtained from GCP Applied Technologies or from our web site at qcpat.com.



Details shown are typical illustrations only and not working drawings. For assistance with working drawings and additional technical advice please contact GCP Technical Services.

Supply		
Bituthene 8000/8000S	1 m x 20 m roll (20 sq m) Weight 36 kg	
Storage	Store upright in dry conditions below +30°C	
Bituthene Primer S2	5 & 25 litre can	
Coverage	9-11 sq m per litre application, (depending on surface porosity and ambient temperature)	
Ancillary Products		
Bituthene LM	5.7 litre packs	
Protection 03 board	3 mm x 0.9 m x 2.03 m (± 6%)	
Adcor SAS 500S	6 x 5 m rolls	
Adcor 550MI	8 x 5 m rolls	
Bitustik 4000	150 mm x 12 m roll	
Pak Adhesive	5 litre can	
Hydroduct	Refer to Hydroduct Vertical Drainage Sheets datasheet	

#### **Equipment by Others:** Lap Roller

Note: As per specification and/or local site requirements a low VOC, water-based primer Bituthene Primer W2 can be used as an alternative to Bituthene Primer S2.

#### Declared values according to EN 13967 **Property Declared Value** Test 8000 80008 Method **Bituthene** Visible defects - MDV EN 1850-2 EN 1848-2 Straightness - MDV Pass Pass Length (m) - MDV 20.15 ± 0.15 20.15 ± 0.15 FN 1848-2 Thickness (mm) - MDV 1.52 ± 0.08 1.52 ± 0.08 EN 1849-2 Width Carrier Sheet (m) 0.987 ±0.007 0.987 ±0.007 FN 1848-2 Width Overall (roll) (m) 1.000 ± 0.010 1.000 ± 0.010 EN 1848-2 - MDV Mass per unit area (g/ 1490 ± 90 1490 ± 90 EN 1849-2 m²) - MDV Water tightness to liquid EN 1928 Pass Pass water (at 60 kPa) Resistance to impact ≥ 150 ≥ 150 EN 12691 (Al-board (mm) - MLV) Resistance to tearing (Nail ≥100 **Shank)** - unreinforced sheets ≥100 FN 12310-1 (N) - MLV Joint strength (N/50mm) EN 12317-2 > 190 MLV 105.000 + Water vapour transmission EN 1931 105.000 ± 30% $(\mu = sD/d) - MDV$ 30% Method B

# **Specification Clause**

Refer to NBS Clause 180 and 190.

Physical Properties					
Property	8000	8000S			
Colour	light grey	light grey			
Application Temp.	-5°C to 20°C	+15°C to +35°C			
Resistance to hydrostatic head ASTM D5385	>70 m of water	>70 m of water			
Radon Diffusion Coefficient	1.0 x 10 <sup>-12</sup> m <sup>2</sup> /s	1.0 x 10 <sup>-12</sup> m <sup>2</sup> /s			
CO <sub>2</sub> Permeability ISO 15105-1	2.6 ml/m².day	2.6 ml/m².day			
Methane Permeability ISO 15105-1	1.04 ml/m².day	1.04 ml/m².day			



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EN 13967 Bituthene® 8000/8000S Flexible Sheets for Waterproofing, Type T Reaction to fire: E Watertightness: Pass at 60 kPa

Declared values according to EN 13967					
Property	Declared Value		Test		
Bituthene	8000	8000S	Method		
Durability of water tightness against ageing/ degradation (at 60 kPa)	Pass	Pass	EN 1296 EN 1928 Method B		
Durability of water tightness against chemicals (at 60 kPa)	Pass	Pass	EN 1847 Method B EN 1928 Method B		
Durability of tensile properties against chemicals	Pass	Pass	EN 13967 Annex C		
Compatibility with bitumen	Pass	Pass	EN 1548		
Resistance to static loading	≥ 20 - Pass	≥ 20 - Pass	EN 12730		
Tensile properties - unreinforced sheets (N/50mm) - MLV	Long¹ ≥ 180 Trans² ≥ 180	Long¹ ≥ 180 Trans² ≥ 180	EN 12311-2 Method A		
Tensile properties - unreinforced sheets (Elongation %) - MLV	Long <sup>1</sup> ≥ 5 Trans <sup>2</sup> ≥ 5	Long <sup>1</sup> ≥ 5 Trans <sup>2</sup> ≥ 5	EN 12311-2 Method A		
Reaction to fire (Class; test conditions)	Е	Е	EN 13501-1		

Footnotes: 1. Longitudinal - related to the roll direction 2. Transversal - related to the roll direction 3. MDV: Manufacturer Declared Value 4. MLV: Manufactured Limiting Value 5. NPD: No Performance Declared.

All declared values shown in this data sheet are based on test results determined under laboratory conditions and with the product sample taken directly from stock in its original packing without any alteration or modification of its component parts.

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