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KS Housewrap

Product Description

A woven, extrusion coated polyethylene fabric containing micro perforations engineered to serve as an air and wind infiltration, moisture protection barrier for use in residential and commercial side wall construction. KS Housewrap Residential and Commercial products meet or exceed ICC-AC38 testing and comply with the Uniform Codes.

Installation instructions

- A. Start by aligning the bottom edge of the roll with the base of the wall approximately 4 inches from a corner. Grasp and fold several inches of KS Housewrap under itself and fasten securely to the frame of the building. Installation should be horizontal on the vertical wall.
- B. Unroll KS Housewrap with the printed side facing outward, wrap the entire building including the window and door openings. Plastic cap nails or staples with a minimum 1 inch crown may be used to fasten KS Housewrap. The fasteners should be placed a maximum of 16 inches along the center of the studs and 8 inches on the center, along the top and bottom sill plates.
- C. Cut through KS Housewrap using a pattern at windows and doors. Fold the excess KS Housewrap inside the opening and fasten securely to the frame
- D. In the case where the doors and windows have already been installed, cut KS Housewrap as close as possible to casings and seal with KS Housewrap tape or equivalent.
- E. If vertical laps exist, fold KS Housewrap under and attach to the structure or frame with a minimum of 8 inch overlaps on vertical seams and 4 inches on horizontal seams.
- F. All seams should be taped with KS Housewrap tape or equivalent, or in the case where tape is not used overlapping should take place and final wall installation should occur within three months after the installation of KS Housewrap.
- The above mentioned installation recommendations are typically industry standard installation instructions for new construction, residential or commercial buildings. Manufactured housing pre-site built homes may install KS Housewrap to conform to their industry standards. The above installations are consistent with other manufacturer's recommended procedures.