

FIREBOND[®] Concentrate

Bonding agent

Product Description

FIREBOND[®] is an Underwriters Laboratories Inc. (UL) classified bonding agent approved for use with any of the fire protection products manufactured by GCP. FIREBOND[®] is water based, nonflammable and ready to use. FIREBOND[®] is classified for use with GCP fire protection products in accordance with ASTM E119 and E84 and listed in the UL Fire Resistance Directory, category CBUI encapsulants.

Use

FIREBOND[®] may be used as a bonding agent or surface sealer for the following applications:

1. As a bonding agent over polystyrene or urethane foam insulation prior to application of MONOKOTE[®] Z-3306 Thermal Barrier.
2. As a bonding agent over primed/painted structural steel (columns and beams) prior to application of MONOKOTE[®] MK-6/HY, MK-6s, Z-106/HY and Z-146.
3. As a bonding agent over concrete floor and/or roof units (including slab, panjoist, hollow-core or precast plank or TEE units) prior to application of the products listed in item 2.
4. As a surface sealer (where specified) over any of the above products. Coverage rate requirements will vary based on the project requirements. Where specified, a surface sealer shall be installed in one or more coats in such a manner that the sealer does not saturate the fire protection product. The fire protection product shall be substantially dry prior to sealer application.

Application

FIREBOND[®] can be applied with most major brands of airless latex paint spray equipment. FIREBOND[®] may also be applied with a common garden sprayer, paint brush or roller.

Coverage:

FIREBOND[®] at full concentrated strength — up to 24.54 m²/L (1000 ft²/gal)

FIREBOND[®] diluted 1:1 (with water) — up to 12.27 m²/L (500 ft²/gal)

Clean Up

Clean tools and drippings with warm soapy water before FIREBOND[®] dries.

Physical Properties

PROPERTY	TYPICAL VALUE
Volatile	Water
Actual VOC content	14.3 ± 10 g/L
Average particle size	0.2 microns
Flash point	Noncombustible (water-based)
Odor	Similar to latex house paint
Shelf life at 25.6 °C	36 months minimum, (in originally factory sealed containers)
Weight per gallon at 25.6 °C	4 kg (8.8 lbs)
Dry time at 25.6 °C to touch:	1–2 hours Additional coats: (when dry)
Fire rating ASTM E84	Class “A”
Flame spread	5
Smoke developed	5

Warranty

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Safety

KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN. Keep from freezing. Do not store at temperatures above 37.8 °C (100 °F).

Availability

GCP is the exclusive supplier of FIREBOND® Concentrate

DESCRIPTION	VOLUME
19 L (5 gal) pail	18.942 cm ³ (1.155 in. ³)
208.2 L (55 gal) drum	208,197 cm ³ (12.705 in. ³)

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