

WIP GRIP Premium Shingle Self-Adhering Roofing Underlayment

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WATER & ICE PROTECTION PREMIUM SHINGLE UNDERLAYMENT

WIP GRIP is a 55-mil flexible rubberized asphalt, fiberglass-reinforced membrane used as a shingle underlayment on critical roof areas such as eaves, ridges, valleys, dormers and skylights. WIP GRIP underlayment protects roofing structures and interior spaces from water penetration caused by wind-driven rain and ice dams and may also be used as covering for the entire roof to prevent moisture or water entry.

Features and Benefits

- Protects the roof structure from water seepage caused by ice dams and wind-driven rains
- Seals around roofing nails, staples and screws
- Ensures the watertightness of the primary roofing system in critical areas
- Split-release film provides easier, faster installation
- Superior slip-resistance on wet and dry applications for safe and easy installation
- Resists cracking, drying and rotting, providing long-term waterproofing performance and low lifecycle cost
- Concealed waterproofing system will not detract from the architectural aesthetics of the primary roofing system

Standards

- UL Classified
- 2009 and 2012 International Building Code™
- Florida Building Code Pending
- Miami-Dade County Product Control Pending
- ICC - ES ESR# 1556
- Meets ASTM D1970

Storage

WIP GRIP roofing underlayment rolls should be stored on end, under cover and in areas where the temperature is between 40°F and 100°F (4.4°C and 38°C).
Do not double-stack pallets.

Warranty

Carlisle WIP products are backed by Carlisle's industry-leading warranty. Carlisle WIP Products will display optimal performance when stored under recommended conditions and used within one year of date of manufacture. Product installed after one year of date of manufacture is not covered under defect warranty. Visit our website for warranty details.



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Installation

WIP GRIP roofing underlayments are applied when the roof deck is dry and the substrate temperature is 40°F (4.4°C) or higher. At temperatures below 40°F, nailing or priming should be used to temporarily hold the membrane in place while adhesion develops. WIP GRIP is designed to be covered with the primary roofing system and should not be exposed to sunlight for more than 30 days.

Substrate must be free of any moisture. If moisture is present, it may inhibit adhesion. Prepare the roof deck by removing all loose objects, dirt, dust and debris. For re-roofing applications, remove all old materials from the roof deck in the area to be covered with WIP GRIP. Replace water-damaged sheathing and sweep roof deck thoroughly.

Priming

Priming is not required on clean, dry wood, metal or most polyisocyanurate surfaces (polyiso paper facer does require priming). Masonry and exterior gypsum boards (such as DensDeck®) should be primed using an appropriate primer or adhesive. Some rigid insulation boards with porous or dusty surfaces may require priming to promote initial adhesion. Priming is required on all substrates when air or substrate temperatures are below 40°F (4.4°C). Adhesives such as CCW-702, CCW-702WB, CAV-GRIP™, CCW-AWP, CCW-550 and ASTM D41 approved primer are approved for use with WIP products. Refer to your local building codes to determine acceptable product for use in your region.

Selection of roof deck or insulation substrate and/or use of a primer or adhesive are the responsibility of the architect, specifier or roofing contractor to determine based on the roof assembly and environmental conditions.

Valleys, Hips & Ridges

Cut WIP GRIP roofing underlayment into manageable lengths. Align over the center of the valley, hip or ridge. Remove release film. Press the middle of the membrane first before working toward the edges. For open valleys, cover WIP roofing underlayment with metal valley liners.

Eaves & Rakes

Cut WIP GRIP roofing underlayment into 10–15' pieces. Remove 2–3' of release film and align the edge of the membrane, sticky side down, so it overhangs the drip edge by 3/8" (10 mm). Continue to remove release film and press as you move across the roof. Use a hand roller and/or hand pressure to press into place. Overlap end laps a minimum of 6". WIP roofing underlayment should reach a point 2' inside the interior wall line. Local codes may require additional courses. If additional courses are required, the top lap must be at least 3 1/2".

Drip Edges

At the rake edge, apply WIP roofing underlayment first and place drip edge on top. At the eave, apply drip edge first and place WIP roofing underlayment on top of the drip edge so that it overhangs drip edge by 3/8" (10 mm).

For standard installation details, follow the WIP detail drawings. For non-standard installation instructions, contact your local Carlisle WIP representative.

Limitations

- WIP GRIP should be installed when air, roof deck and membrane temperatures are at or above 40°F (4.4°C).
- WIP GRIP should not be left exposed to sunlight for more than 30 days.
- WIP GRIP membrane should not be folded over the roof edge unless protected by a gutter or other flashing materials.
- The primary roof system must be ventilated to prevent excessive moisture build-up in the interior structure.
- Use caution during the installation of the membrane as it may become slippery when wet or covered with frost.
- WIP GRIP should not be used under metal roofs.
- WIP GRIP should not be used in contact with PVC materials.
- WIP GRIP installed in 100% coverage will create an air and vapor barrier on the roof deck.

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

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PHYSICAL PROPERTIES		
Surface	Gray Slip-Resistant Film	
Membrane	Rubberized Asphalt–Reinforced	
PRODUCT CHARACTERISTIC ± 1.5%	UNITS	RESULTS
Roll Length (2 sq)	feet	65
Roll Weight (2 sq)	lbs	65
Roll Size (2 sq)	sq ft	195
Roll Width	inches	36
TYPICAL PERFORMANCE PROPERTIES	TEST METHOD	RESULTS
Thickness	ASTM D1970	55 mils
Low Temperature Flexibility	ASTM D1970	Pass
Adhesion to Plywood at 75°F	ASTM D1970	Pass
Lap Seam Adhesion at 75°F	ASTM D1970	Pass
Sealability Around Nail	ASTM D1970	Pass
Slip Resistance	ASTM D1970	Pass
Thermal Stability	ASTM D1970	Pass
Moisture Vapor Permeance	ASTM D1970	Pass
Water Absorption	ASTM D1970	Pass
Maximum Load Machine Direction	ASTM D1970	Pass
Maximum Load Transverse Direction	ASTM D1970	Pass
Elongation at Break Machine Direction	ASTM D1970	Pass
Elongation at Break Transverse Direction	ASTM D1970	Pass
Tear Resistance Machine Direction	ASTM D1970	Pass
Tear Resistance Transverse Direction	ASTM D1970	Pass
PACKAGING INFORMATION		
Boxes (rolls) per pallet (2 sq)		25

