



Wickes Hi-Tack Flashing Primer

USE BEFORE APPLYING HI-TACK FLASHING

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YOUR SMART ADVANTAGES

- Improves grab and adhesion
- Primes porous surfaces
- Primer for flashing tape

USES

Wickes Hi-Tack Flashing Primer is an emulsion-based primer for porous or rough surfaces. It is applied to brickwork, cement renderings, roof tiles, concrete, mineralised felt and timber to improve adhesion prior to applying Wickes Hi-Tack Flashing. It can be used on surfaces that are damp, but not wet. It is not designed to be used as a general-purpose primer for other bitumen products.

PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS

Colour	Dark brown, dries shiny black
Form	Low to medium viscosity liquid
Weight	1.0 approx.
Composition	Slightly structured, rubber/bitumen emulsion
Product Codes	30813122 500ml x 12
Storage/Shelf Life	Store and transport securely in an upright position. Ensure the lid is secure. Store for up to 24 months from date of manufacture in original, unopened packaging in cool, dry conditions within the temperature range +5°C to +25°C, out of direct sunlight. Protect from frost.

TYPICAL PERFORMANCE DATA (Approx.)

Application Temperature	+5°C to +35°C
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Service Temperature	-10°C to +90°C (depending on ambient conditions)
Coverage	2m ² to 3m ² per litre approx., depending on the porosity of the surface and its evenness. (depending on substrate, application technique and performance requirements)
Drying Times	20 minutes in good drying conditions up to several hours in cold, damp conditions (depending on coating thickness and drying conditions)
Cleaning	Warm soapy water

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

IMPORTANT: Before using Wickes Hi-Tack Flashing Primer, refer to the relevant Health & Safety Data Sheet, available at www.bostik.com/uk.

PREPARATION

1. All surfaces should be sound, clean, preferably dry and free from surface contaminants such as grease, oil, rust, and dirt.
2. Remove any organic growth i.e. moss or lichen with a fungicidal wash.
3. Surfaces must not have ice or liquid water present, but may be damp. Temperatures must be above +5°C.
4. Areas of rust should be thoroughly wire brushed and treated with a proprietary rust remover.

APPLICATION

5. Non-porous surfaces should be dry or very slightly damp.
6. Porous surfaces should be dampened with water

immediately before application.

7. Shake tin well before use.
8. Where possible we recommend using disposable brushes for the application of Wickes Hi-Tack Flashing Primer. Apply with a soft bristle brush slightly dampened with water, in advance of where Wickes Hi-Tack Flashing is to be applied.
9. Surfaces such as mineralised felt or textured brick may require 2 coats of Wickes Hi-Tack Flashing Primer.
10. Allow Wickes Hi-Tack Flashing Primer to dry, but no longer than 24 hours before applying Wickes Hi-Tack Flashing. Protect from rain and frost while drying.
11. Wickes Hi-Tack Flashing Primer dries by loss of water. In warm, dry conditions, the primer can dry in as little as 20 minutes. In cold, damp conditions, below 80% humidity it may take 2 hours.
12. When freshly applied Wickes Hi-Tack Flashing Primer appears to be dark brown and dries to a shiny black.

CLEANING

13. Clean tools and equipment immediately after use with warm soapy water.
14. Dried product can be removed using white spirit or a proprietary brush cleanser.
15. Use proprietary hand cleansers for splashes on skin. Do not use solvents.

PRECAUTIONS IN USE

Wickes Hi-Tack Flashing Primer must not come into contact with silicone sealant. Do not use Wickes Hi-Tack Flashing Primer over tar-based products. Do not use if the surface temperature is likely to rise above +65°C.

For any application not covered, please contact Technical Services on +44 (0)1785 272625 or visit www.bostik.com/uk for advice.

Recommendations and suggestions are for guidance only, since conditions of use are completely beyond our control.

For health and safety instruction, first aid measures and spillage and disposal instructions, see separate Health and Safety Data sheet for Wickes Hi-Tack Flashing Primer, available at www.bostik.com/uk.

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