

## MasterSeal<sup>®</sup> 345

## DESCRIPTION

**MasterSeal 345** is an EVA polymer based sprayable membrane for the waterproofing of underground concretestructures. It is spray applied in a sandwich structure between two sprayed concrete / cast concrete layers, creating a double bonded composite shell lining. It is flexible and has very high bond strength properties on both sides of the membrane. It is an effective alternative to conventional waterproofing sheet membranes.

As a double bonded system, this provides excellent watertightness, preventing the development of water migrationon both sides of the membrane.

As with all spray applied membranes, it is not possible to seal against water ingress through the substrate. In such cases, a drainage system or local water management using drainage pipes should be used in combination with **MasterSeal 345**. However, it can be applied to damp substrate (as long as there is no running water).

## FIELDS OF APPLICATION

MasterSeal 345 is an EVA polymer based sprayable

- Suitable for all types of tunnel designs
- Particularly well suited for underground structures with complex profiles and geometry such as stations, escape and access tunnels, utility caverns, cross pas- sages and tunnel intersections
- Enables tunnel design with composite shell lining to re- duce excavation cross section and lining thickness, and is especially suited to tunnel rehabilitations

#### FEATURES AND BENEFITS

- · Fast curing
- Easy to use, only addition of water needed
- · Application by spraying with simple equipment
- Elasticity 80% to 140% depending on temperature
- · No toxic components
- · No classification needed for transport
- Available in 2 colors if specification is requiring a 2coat application otherwise applied as a 1 coat system

## PACKAGING

**MasterSeal 345** is available in 15 kg plastic bags, (60 bags on a pallet).

## **TECHNICAL DATA**

Form	powder	
Color	light beige or or-ange	
Water pressure resistance	15 bar	
(max)		
Bulk density (+20°C)	590 g/l ± 100 g/l	
Application thickness	3 to 6 mm	
Application temperature	+5°C to +40°C	
Failure stress (at +20°C, at 28days)	1.5 to 3.5 MPa	
Failure strain (at +20°C, at 28 days)	> 100%	
Bond strength to concrete (28days)	1.2 ± 0.2 MPa	
Shore hardness (28 days)	80 ±5	
Flammability	self-	
(in accordance with DIN 4102-B2)	extinguishing	

## CONSUMPTION

Consumption depends on the surface roughness but is typically between 3 and 6 kg per m<sup>2</sup>. For more information,please refer to the Method Statement.

#### COMPATIBILITY

**MasterSeal 345** can be applied onto all types of concrete, if the surface is clean and without loose particles. Sprayed concrete and cast concrete may be placed against the membrane surface once it has cured. Fiber reinforced sprayed concrete can be used on both sides of the membrane. It is also compatible with traditional waterproofing methods, enabling interface solutions with other systems (good bond to most sheet membranes and steel).

#### EQUIPMENT

**MasterSeal 345** is applied by the dry spraying method using readily available dry spraying equipment like the Reed "Sove" pump

Basic recommended equipment set-up:

- Rotor allowing low output (e.g., 18 pocket feedbowl)
- Rotor dust collector



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- Spraying nozzle DIA 32 mm (plastic tip with collar/conical) with minimum 16-hole water ring (18 holes are recommended)
- Spraying hose DIA 32 mm

## CURING

The speed of curing depends on weather conditions on site (humidity, wind conditions and temperature).

We recommend not exposing the membrane to air temperatures outside the range of +5°C and +40°C for a minimum of 5 days following application, and cyclic variations should not exceed 10°C within this range.

## STORAGE

**MasterSeal 345** has a shelf life of 12 months if stored in original, unopened bags between +5  $^{\circ}$ C to +40 $^{\circ}$ C. The product must be kept out of direct sunlight. The storage area must be kept dry.

## SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

The product has no toxic components. The use of gloves, eye protection and a mask when spraying is recommended. For further information, please refer to the Material Safety Data Sheet.



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