# MasterSeal® 621

A high build bitumen / rubber latex emulsion. Surface applied, flexible, damp and vapour-proof liquid membrane

#### **DESCRIPTION**

**MasterSeal 621** is a brown rubber/bitumen liquid emulsion with excellent adhesion which dries to a tough black seamless, flexible damp-proof and vapour-proof membrane.

### **PRIMARY USES**

- Tanking and damp-proofing structures: to provide an impervious damp-proof membrane on concrete and brick.
- Floors: to provide a sandwich membrane in new construction or a surface treatment.
- Walls: for interior and exterior walls.
- Roofs: for the maintenance of many types of roofs including built-up felt, asphalt, lead, zinc, aluminium, concrete, lightweight screeds, timber, slate, asbestos cement, corrugated iron, and as a vapour barrier.
- As an adhesive: for bonding wood blocks and wood mosaics, insulation board, expanded polystyrene and cork tiles and to provide a key for plastering.

#### **COMPOSITION**

MasterSeal 621 is a thixotropic cold applied bitumen emulsion with added rubber latex.

#### **PACKAGING**

MasterSeal 621 is supplied in 200 litre containers.

#### **TYPICAL PROPERTIES**

Colour	Dark brown		
Density	Approx. 1kg/litre at 25°C		
Flashpoint	Non flammable		
Service temperature	-30°C to +100°C		
Application temperature	+5°C to 55°C		
Rubber content	Min 10% in the dried film		
VOC	<1g/L		

#### **STANDARDS**

Fire Classification - BS EN ISO 11925 Part 2 / BS EN 13501 Part 1:2007 + A1:2009

#### **APPLICATION PROCEDURE**

MasterSeal 621 may be applied by brush or squeegee. All surfaces to which MasterSeal 621 is applied must be sound, stable with an even finish and free from dirt, dust, loose debris, grease etc. It may be applied to damp but not waterlogged surfaces. Hot, very dry or porous surfaces should be dampened with a priming coat before **MasterSeal 621** is applied. Where subsequent coats are to be applied, the first coat must be dry.

## **BELOW GROUND PROTECTION**

**MasterSeal 621** may be applied to green concrete immediately after shuttering has been removed. Blind the first coat with clean sharp sand to afford higher dry film thickness and aid monitoring layer applications.

#### **SANDWICH MEMBRANE**

Two coats to be applied at right angles, blind second coat with clean sharp sand to provide a mechanical key for top screed (minimum thickness 50mm). **MasterSeal 621** membrane should marry up with D.P.C. (where applicable).

#### **WALLS WITH DAMPNESS**

Remove any coatings and plaster back to the blockwork. Apply three coats **MasterSeal 621** blinding the final layer with clean sharp sand whilst still tacky. Replaster using a render modified with **MasterCast 141**.

#### **CURING / DRYING**

- MasterSeal 621 will take longer to dry sufficiently for over-coating in low temperatures and high humidity.
- b. Provisions of good ventilation will significantly reduce drying time.
- MasterSeal 621 should allowed to dry for 3-5 days.

### **SPECIFICATION CLAUSE**

All areas indicated shall receive 2 or 3 coats as recommended of a high build rubber/ bitumen emulsion such as **MasterSeal 621** as manufactured by MBCC, or similar approved.



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#### **EQUIPMENT CARE**

Before **MasterSeal 621** has dried, clean tools using soapy water. If dried, remove by scraping and with paraffin or white spirit.

#### **COVERAGE**

		m² / litre		
Use	Number	1st	2nd	3rd
	of coats	coat	coat	coat
Priming coat: (when	1	7.50		
required) Diluted with				
five parts water				
Damp-proofing and				
protective coating of				
structures:	2	2	2.25	
Bridge abutments,				
retaining walls, culverts,				
concrete or brick				
foundations, concrete				
columns and beams.				
Floors: sandwich membrane	_	1.50	1.50	
surface treatment	2 2	2.00	2.00	
Walls: interior and	3	2.00	2.00	2.25
exterior	3	2.25	2.25	2.25
Roofs (with reinforcing				
scrim) felt, asphalt, lead,				
zinc, aluminium,				
concrete, timber, slate or	3	1	1.50	1.50
corrugated roofs.	J		1.50	1.50
Vapour barrier.	2	1	1.50	
Adhesive: wood blocks,	_		50	
wood mosaics insulation	1	1.50		
board, expanded				
polystyrene, cork slabs.				
Plastering on difficult	2	4.50	4.50	
surfaces.				

## **SAFETY PRECAUTIONS**

As with all chemical products, care should be taken during use and storage to avoid contact with eyes, mouth, skin and foodstuffs. Treat splashes to eyes and skin immediately. If accidentally

ingested, seek immediate medical attention. Reseal containers after use.

#### STORAGE

Store under cover out of direct sunlight and protect from extremes of temperature. In tropical climates the product must be stored in an air conditioned environment. As with all bituminous emulsions, some settlement will occur with prolonged storage. It is, therefore, necessary to invert the drums every other week to disperse the settlement. Shelf life is up to 1 year in unopened containers, when stored as above.

Failure to comply with the recommended storage conditions may result in premature deterioration of the product or packaging. For specific storage advice consult MBCC's Technical Services Department.

#### NOTE

Field service, where provided, does not constitute supervisory responsibility. For additional information contact your local MBCC representative.

MBCC reserves the right to have the true cause of any difficulty determined by accepted test methods.

## QUALITY AND CARE

All products originating from MBCC's Dubai, UAE facility are manufactured under a management system independently certified to conform to the requirements of the quality, environmental and occupational health & safety standards ISO 9001, ISO 14001 and OHSAS 18001.

Properties listed are based on laboratory controlled tests.

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