

Penetration Primer

FOR ROOFS

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YOUR SMART ADVANTAGES	
– Apply before a bituminous coating	
– For all common roof surfaces	
– Spray or brush on	

USES

Bostik Penetration Primer for Roofs is a highly penetrative, thin bituminous solution, black in colour. It is used for priming bitumen roofing felt, concrete roofs and floors, cementitious screeds/renders, mastic asphalt, weathered corrugated iron and steel prior to the application of bituminous coatings.

PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS	
Colour	Black
Form	Thin liquid
Specific Gravity	0.9 approx.
Composition	Solvent-borne bituminous solution
Product Codes	30811883 1 Litre x 6 30811889 2.5 Litre x 6 30811886 5 Litre x 4 30811887 22.5 Litre 30811891 200 Litre
Storage/Shelf Life	Store and transport this container in a secure upright position. Ensure the lid is secure. Store for up to 24 months from date of manufacture in original, unopened packaging undercool dry conditions within a temperature range of +5°C to +35°C out of direct sunlight and away from sources of heat and ignition.

TYPICAL PERFORMANCE DATA (Approx.)	
Application Temperature	+5°C to +35°C (surfaces must be completely free of ice and water)
Service Temperature	-10°C to +85°C (depending on operating conditions)
Coverage	4 – 6m² per litre dependent on the porosity of the surface
Drying Times	3 to 6 hours (depending on drying conditions)
Solvent for Cleaning Up	White spirit

DIRECTIONS FOR USE

IMPORTANT: Before using Bostik Penetration Primer for Roofs refer to the relevant Health & Safety Data Sheet, available at www.bostik.co.uk.

PREPARATION

- Ensure the roof surface is structurally sound, clean, dry and free from surface contaminants such as grease and dirt.
- Remove any organic growth i.e. moss or lichen with Bostik Fungicidal Wash.
- 3. Rusty surfaces must be prepared then treated with the appropriate primer, often a zinc phosphate.

APPLICATION

- 4. Using a brush, scrub the Bostik Penetration Primer for Roofs well into the surface. Ensure that only a thin coat is applied and that there is no pooling. Allow to dry thoroughly before over coating. Where possible we recommend using disposable brushes for the application of Bostik Penetration Primer for Roofs.
- 5. Alternatively spray thinly and evenly. Allow to dry thoroughly before over coating.



- 6. With fibre cement or old roofing felts, apply generously to saturate the surface.
- 7. Priming should extend at least 75mm beyond the area to be waterproofed.

CLEANING

- 8. Clean tools and equipment immediately after use with white spirit.
- 9. Dried product is difficult to remove.
- 10. Where possible we recommend using disposable brushes for the application of Bostik Penetration Primer for Roofs.

PRECAUTIONS IN USE

Colour indicated on pack is a guide only. It is recommended that users apply a small amount of Bostik Penetration Primer for Roofs in an inconspicuous area and allow to dry to determine colour suitability before commencing work. Shade variations may occur between batches. When completing projects requiring multiple tins please ensure that they are from the same batch. Please be aware that coating clear glass or clear plastic roofs or roof-lights might constitute a hazard.

For any application not covered please contact Technical Services on +44 (0)1785 272625 or visit www.bostik.co.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 Bostik Penetration Primer for Roofs, available at www.bostik.co.uk.





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