



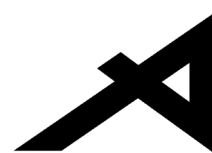
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- 4mm or 5mm thickness
- Mineral coated SBS/APP bitumen membrane
- Excellent resistance to atmospheric agents
- Resistant to chemical attacks
- High puncture resistance
- Heat welded laps provide a homogenous join
- Excellent cold flexibility and elasticity
- Excellent resistance to cracking
- Improved dimensional stability
- Excellent elongation



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### DESCRIPTION

ARDEX WPM 189 is a dual-layer, modified bitumen membrane, consisting of a specially formulated bituminous compound.

The bottom layer of ARDEX WPM 189 comprises of an SBS compound which gives high elasticity and excellent flexibility at low temperatures. The top layer is then formed from APP modified bitumen which provides good cold flexibility and high resistance to heat and UV radiation. ARDEX WPM 189 is coated with a mineral chip for increased colour stability.

### USES

ARDEX WPM 189 is ideal for use as a multi-layer membrane in horizontal or vertical applications for waterproofing balconies, terraces and roofs. ARDEX WPM 189 is the final layer in the system.

### SUBSTRATES

Structural or marine plywood, Strandsarking, Concrete, Existing Bitumen

For further substrate types please consult ARDEX Technical Department.

### SURFACE PREPARATION

Substrates need to be clean, smooth, dry and free of sharp edges, loose or foreign materials, oil, grease and other materials that may damage the membrane. If concrete has moisture on the surface use a gas torch to dry and warm the area before priming.

### INSTALLATION

The installation of ARDEX WPM 189 should be carried out by an approved ARDEX Installer.

**Note:** A Licensed Building Practitioner (LBP) is required to carry out Restricted Building Work. A LBP must do or supervise this work. They must work within the scope of their licence class.

Installation shall be undertaken in accordance with all relevant technical information related to the selected installation method, including information contained within the ARDEX installation documents.

Prior to the application of ARDEX WPM 189, the surface may require priming with ARDEX WPM 240. Coverage will depend on the porosity of the substrate.

ARDEX WPM 189 is normally fully bonded to the prepared substrate with side laps of 100mm and end laps of 150mm. Overlaps should be sealed by torch.

### STORAGE

ARDEX WPM 189+ should be stored in an area sheltered from sunlight and UV radiation. Rolls should be stored vertically on a smooth floor so as not to damage the edges.

### PACKAGING

ARDEX WPM 189 comes in rolls of 1m x 8m in varying gauges.

Product Name	Thickness	Colour	Product Code
ARDEX WPM 189	4mm	Grey	11242
ARDEX WPM 189	4mm	Black	11324
ARDEX WPM 189+	5mm	Black/Grey Chip	32325
ARDEX WPM 189+	5mm	Black Gloss Chip	32326

### TECHNICAL DATA

Characteristics	Test Method	Nominal Value
Heat Stability	UNI EN 1110	100°C
Cold Flexibility	UNI EN 1109	-10°C
Tensile Strength	UNI EN 12311-1	
Ultimate Longation	N/5	600cm
Ultimate Transversal	N/5	500cm
Elongation at Break	UNI EN 12311-1	
Ultimate Longation		35%
Ultimate Transversal		35%
Tear resistance	UNI EN 12310-1	
Longitudinal		150N
Transversal		130N

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