



## European Technical Approval ETA-13/0768

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Zulassungsgegenstand und Verwendungszweck <i>Generic type and use of construction product</i>	Flüssig aufzubringende Dachabdichtung auf der Basis eines Polyurethans <i>Liquid applied roof waterproofing on the basis of polyurethane</i>
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## I LEGAL BASES AND GENERAL CONDITIONS

- 1 This European technical approval is issued by Deutsches Institut für Bautechnik in accordance with:
  - Council Directive 89/106/EEC of 21 December 1988 on the approximation of laws, regulations and administrative provisions of Member States relating to construction products<sup>1</sup>, modified by Council Directive 93/68/EEC<sup>2</sup> and Regulation (EC) N° 1882/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>3</sup>;
  - *Gesetz über das In-Verkehr-Bringen von und den freien Warenverkehr mit Bauprodukten zur Umsetzung der Richtlinie 89/106/EWG des Rates vom 21. Dezember 1988 zur Angleichung der Rechts- und Verwaltungsvorschriften der Mitgliedstaaten über Bauprodukte und anderer Rechtsakte der Europäischen Gemeinschaften (Bauproduktengesetz - BauPG) vom 28. April 1998<sup>4</sup>, as amended by Article 2 of the law of 8 November 2011<sup>5</sup>;*
  - Common Procedural Rules for Requesting, Preparing and the Granting of European technical approvals set out in the Annex to Commission Decision 94/23/EC<sup>6</sup>;
  - Guideline for European technical approval of "Liquid applied roof waterproofing kits - Part 6: Specific stipulations for kits based on polyurethane", ETAG 005-06.
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<sup>1</sup> Official Journal of the European Communities L 40, 11 February 1989, p. 12  
<sup>2</sup> Official Journal of the European Communities L 220, 30 August 1993, p. 1  
<sup>3</sup> Official Journal of the European Union L 284, 31 October 2003, p. 25  
<sup>4</sup> *Bundesgesetzblatt Teil I 1998*, p. 812  
<sup>5</sup> *Bundesgesetzblatt Teil I 2011*, p. 2178  
<sup>6</sup> Official Journal of the European Communities L 17, 20 January 1994, p. 34

## II SPECIFIC CONDITIONS OF THE EUROPEAN TECHNICAL APPROVAL

### 1 Definition of product and intended use

#### 1.1 Definition of the construction product

The liquid applied roof waterproofing "Wethan 275" is a kit, which consists of the components:

- primer (if required),
- liquid applied roof waterproofing on the basis of a one-component reactive polyurethane,
- polyester fleece as reinforcement.

For an adequate adhesion of the waterproofing layer – depending on the type of substrate – a primer is needed. In general the primer belonging to the substrate is given in the manufacturer's technical dossier<sup>7</sup> (MTD). For single cases the manufacturer is responsible to give guidance which pretreatment/primer is required.

As an assembled system these components form a homogeneous seamless roof waterproofing. Annex 1 shows the system build-up of the roof waterproofing "Wethan 275".

Depending on the levels the minimum layer thickness of the roof waterproofing applied is 1.6 mm respectively 2.9 mm. The weight of the polyester fleece is approx. 110 g/m<sup>2</sup>.

#### 1.2 Intended use

The product is used for the waterproofing of roof surfaces against penetration of atmospheric water. The product shows certain levels of performance according to ETAG 005 which facilitate the use taking account of national requirements (see chapter 2.1).

In the MTD to this European technical approval (ETA) the manufacturer gave information concerning the substrates which the product is suitable for and on how these substrates shall be pre-treated.

The verifications which are the basis of this ETA give reason for the assumption of an intended working life<sup>8</sup> of the roof waterproofing of 10 respectively 25 years depending on the classifications, provided that the roof waterproofing kit is subject to appropriate installation, use and maintenance. These provisions are based upon the current state of the art and the available knowledge and experience.

The indications given on the working life cannot be interpreted as a guarantee given by the producer, but are regarded only as a means for choosing the right products in relation to the expected economically reasonable working life of the works.

<sup>7</sup> The manufacturer's technical dossier (MTD) comprises all information necessary for the production and the installation of the product as well as for the repair of the roof waterproofing made from that and it is deposited with DIBt. It was checked by DIBt and it was found to be in accordance with the conditions stated in the approval and the characteristic values determined during the approval testing.

<sup>8</sup> "Assumed intended working life" means that it is expected that, when this working life has elapsed, the real working life may, under normal use conditions, be considerably longer without major degradation affecting the essential requirements.

## 2 Characteristics of the construction product and methods of verification

### 2.1 Characteristics of the construction

The components of the product show the characteristic values with respect to the permissible tolerances which are stated in the MTD to this ETA.

The chemical composition and the characteristic values of the components of the kit and the manufacturing methods are confidential and deposited with DIBt.

Requirements concerning safety in case of fire, health and the environment, and safety in use as well as durability in the sense of the essential requirements N° 2 to N° 4 of the Directive 89/106/EEC are satisfied.

The verified property values of the product lead to certain levels of use categories according to ETAG 005. They are stated in Annex 1. An evaluation oriented at the intended use of the product can be carried out with them by the user.

The performance of the reaction to fire behavior of the liquid applied roof waterproofing leads to the classification in class E according to EN 13501-1<sup>9</sup>.

The classification of the external fire performance of the liquid applied roof waterproofing according to EN 13501-5<sup>10</sup> is in class F<sub>ROOF</sub>.

According to the manufacturer's declaration the roof waterproofing taking account of the EU database<sup>11</sup> does not contain any dangerous substances.

Within the scope of this approval there may be other requirements applicable to dangerous substances resulting from transposed European legislation or applicable national laws, regulations and administrative provisions.

There may be other requirements applicable to the products resulting from other applicable national laws, regulations and administrative provisions and transposed European legislation.

These requirements need also to be complied with, when and where they apply.

### 2.2 Methods of verification

Assessment of the fitness of the roof waterproofing for the intended use with regard to the essential requirements N° 2 to N° 4 was performed following the "Guideline for European technical approval of liquid applied roof waterproofing kits", Part 1 "General" and Part 6 "Specific stipulations for kits based on polyurethan" (ETAG 005-06).

## 3 Evaluation and attestation of conformity and CE marking

### 3.1 System of attestation of conformity

The European Commission according to her decision 98/599/EC<sup>12</sup> on the procedure of attestation of conformity has laid down for this type of material system 3 for the procedure of attestation of conformity (AoC) (Annex III, clause 2(ii) second possibility of Directive 89/106/EEC) for liquid applied roof waterproofing kits. According to this decision system 3 of attestation of conformity also applies with regard to external fire performance.

<sup>9</sup> EN 13501-1:2007+A1:2009 Fire classification of construction products and building elements - Part 1: Classification using data from reaction to fire tests

<sup>10</sup> EN 13501-5:2005+A1:2009 Fire classification of construction products and building elements - Part 5: Classification using data from external fire exposure to roofs tests

<sup>11</sup> Notes are stated in Guidance Paper H: "A harmonized approach relating to dangerous substances under the Construction Products Directive", Brussels, 18 February 2000

<sup>12</sup> Official Journal of the European Communities N°L 287 of 24 October 1998

In addition, according to the Decision 2001/596/EC of the European Commission<sup>13</sup> the system 3 of attestation of conformity applies for this type of product with regard to reaction to fire. The system 3 of attestation of conformity is defined as follows:

System 3: Declaration of conformity of the product by the manufacturer on the basis of:

- a) Tasks for the manufacturer:
  - (1) factory production control,
- b) Tasks for the notified body:
  - (2) initial type-testing of the product.

## 3.2 Responsibilities

### 3.2.1 Tasks for the manufacturer

#### 3.2.1.1 Factory production control

The manufacturer shall exercise permanent internal control of production. All the elements, requirements and provisions adopted by the manufacturer shall be documented in a systematic manner in the form of written policies and procedures. This production control system shall ensure that the product is in conformity with this European technical approval.

The factory production control shall be in accordance with the appropriate part of the control plan<sup>14</sup>.

The manufacturer may only use initial materials according to the MTD. He shall inspect or control the initial materials on acceptance according to the control plan.

The factory production control follows the identifying properties of the components given in ETAG 005 Part 6 and as specified in the MTD.

The results of factory production control shall be recorded and evaluated in accordance with the provisions of the control plan.

The records shall include at least the following information:

- Name of the product and of the initial materials,
- type of inspection or control,
- date of manufacture of the product, batch N° if needed, and date of inspection or control of the product or of the initial materials,
- result of inspections or controls and, as far as applicable, comparison with the requirements,
- signature of the person responsible for the factory production control.

The records shall be kept for at least five years. On request they shall be presented to DIBt.

Details concerning extent, type and frequency of the tests or inspections to be performed within the scope of the factory production control shall correspond to the control plan which is part of the MTD to this ETA.

#### 3.2.1.2 Other tasks for the manufacturer

The manufacturer shall, on the basis of a contract, involve a body which is notified for the tasks referred to in section 3.1 in the field of the product in order to undertake the actions laid down in section 3.2.2. For this purpose, the "control plan" referred to in section 3.2.2 shall be handed over by the manufacturer to the notified body involved.

<sup>13</sup> Official Journal of the European Communities N°L 209/33 of 2 August 2001

<sup>14</sup> The control plan is a confidential part of the MTD and deposited with DIBt. It contains the required information on the factory production control and on the initial type-testing. The MTD is only handed over to the notified body involved in the procedure of attestation of conformity (see 3.2.2).

The manufacturer shall make a declaration of conformity, stating that the construction product is in conformity with the provisions of this ETA.

### 3.2.2 Tasks for notified body

#### 3.2.2.1 Initial type-testing of the product

The initial type-testing refers to the product properties stated in the appropriate part of the control plan to this ETA. They follow the product properties given in ETAG 005 Part 6.

If the verifications underlying this ETA have been furnished on samples from the current production, these will replace the initial type-testing.

Otherwise the necessary initial type-testing shall be carried out according to the provisions of the control plan and observance of the required property values shall be ascertained by the notified body.

After changing the production process the initial type-testing shall be repeated.

### 3.3 CE marking

The CE marking<sup>15</sup> shall be affixed on the packaging of the kit of the product "Wethan 275" or its accompanying documents.

The letters "CE" shall be accompanied by the following additional information:

- name and address or identifying mark of the manufacturer,
- last two digits of the year in which the CE marking was affixed,
- number of the European technical approval, ETA-13/0768,
- number of the European technical approval guideline, ETAG 005,
- short definition of classification according to Annex 1.

The components shall be marked as belonging to the kit "Wethan 275".

## 4 Assumptions under which the fitness of the product for the intended use was favourably assessed

### 4.1 Manufacturing

The components of the kit of the roof waterproofing are factory-made according to the procedure laid down in the MTD.

The ETA is issued for the product on the basis of agreed data/information, deposited with DIBt, which identifies the product that has been assessed and judged. Changes to the product or production process, which could result in this deposited data/information being incorrect, should be notified to DIBt before the changes are introduced. DIBt will decide whether or not such changes affect the approval and consequently the validity of the CE marking on the basis of the approval and if so whether further assessment or alterations to the approval shall be necessary.

### 4.2 Design and dimensioning

The fitness for the respective use of the roof waterproofing results from the levels of use categories stated in Annex 1, if need be, taking account of national requirements.

The supplementing statements of the manufacturer stated in the MTD for design and dimensioning of the roof waterproofing shall be considered.

<sup>15</sup> Notes on the CE marking are stated in Guidance Paper D: "CE marking under the Construction Products Directive", Brussels, 1 August 2002

In the MTD the manufacturer gave information on the quantities consumed and the processing, which shall lead to a thickness of the roof waterproofing of at least 1.6 mm respectively 2.9 mm.

#### 4.3 Installation

The fitness for use of the roof waterproofing can be assumed only, if the installation is carried out according to the installation instructions stated in the MTD by the manufacturer, in particular taking account of the following points:

- Installation by appropriately trained personnel,
- installation of only those components which are marked components of the kit,
- installation with the required tools and adjuvants,
- precautions during installation,
- inspecting the roof surface for cleanliness and correct preparation, if need be, applying a primer before applying the product,
- inspecting compliance with suitable weather and curing conditions,
- ensuring a thickness of the waterproofing of at least 1.6 mm respectively 2.9 mm by processing appropriate minimum quantities of material,
- inspections during installation and of the finished product and documentation of the results.

The information as to the

- method of repair on site,
- handling of waste products

shall be observed.

#### 4.4 Manufacturer's responsibilities

It is the manufacturer's responsibility to make sure that all those who utilize the kit will be appropriately informed about the specific conditions according to sections 1, 2, 4, and 5 including the annex to this ETA and the not confidential parts of the MTD deposited to this ETA.

### 5 Indications by the manufacturer

#### 5.1 Packaging, transport and storage

Information on:

- Packaging,
- transport and
- storage

are given in the MTD.

#### 5.2 Use, maintenance, repair

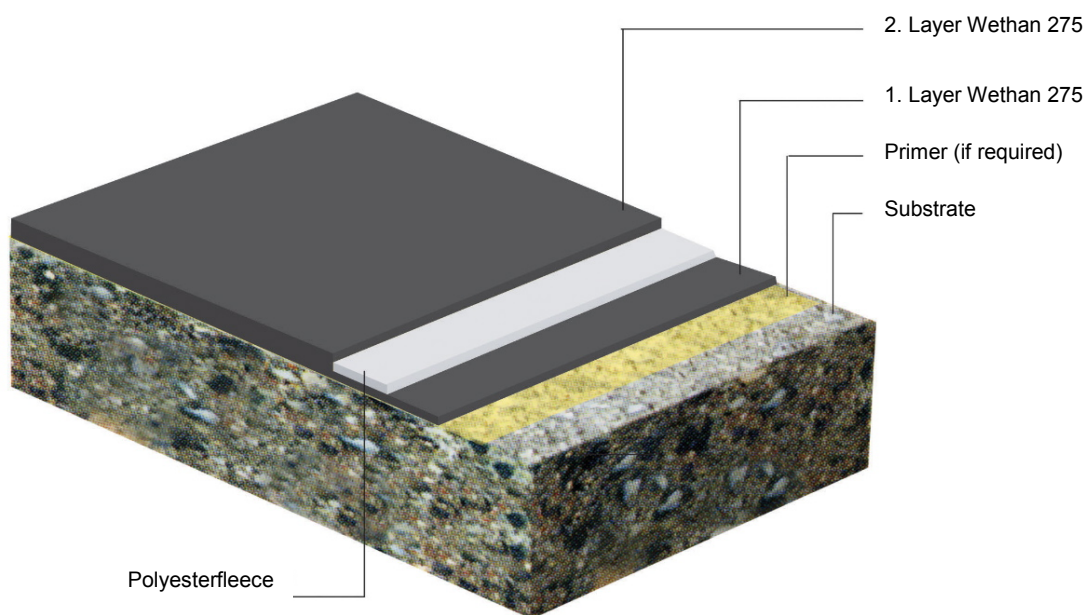
Information on:

- Use
- maintenance
- repair

are given in the MTD.

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Applicable to the roof waterproofing "**Wethan 275**":

Minimum layer thickness	1.6 mm	2.9 mm
minimum quantity consumed:	2.4 kg/m <sup>2</sup>	4.1 kg/m <sup>2</sup>
Water vapour diffusion resistance factor $\mu$	$\mu \approx 1830$	
Resistance to wind loads	$\geq 50$ kPa for substrates with tear resistance	
Resistance to spreading fire and radiant heat	EN 13501-5 class F <sub>ROOF</sub>	
Reaction to fire	EN 13501-1 class E	
Statement on dangerous substances	does not contain any	
Resistance to plant roots	no performance determined	
Resistance to slipperiness Resistance to slipperiness	no performance determined	
Levels of use categories according to ETAG 005 with relation to:		
Working life:	W2	W3
Climatic zones	M und S	
Imposed loads		
non-compressible substrate, e.g. concrete/steel	P1 bis P3	P1 bis P4
compressible substrate, e.g. plates made from mineral wool	P1 bis P3	P1 bis P4
Roof slope	S1 bis S4	
Lowest surface temperature	TL3 (-20 °C)	TL4 (-30 °C)
Highest surface temperature	TH4 (90 °C)	

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**System built-up and classifications**

Annex 1