

SOFTR® Duct Wrap FRK

Fiberglass Insulation



Description

SOFTR* Duct Wrap is a blanket of glass fiber insulation factory-laminated to FRK vapor retarder facing. A 2" (50mm) stapling and taping flange is provided on one edge. This product is designed to meet existing performance standards such as NFPA 90A and 90B and other mechanical and energy codes. SOFTR* Duct Wrap FRK flexible design makes it easy and fast to install, helps prevent duct condensation, and increases building occupants thermal comfort.

Features

- Condensation control
- Enhanced comfort control
- Easy to clean surface
- Flexible and easy to install

Physical Properties

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Property	Test Method	Test Method Value				
Operating Temperature	ASTM C 411	up to 250°F (121°C)				
Insulation Jacket Temperature Limit	ASTM C 1136	up to 150°F (66°C)				
Jacket Puncture Resistance	ASTM C 1136	25 units (0.7 joules)				
Water Vapor Permeance	ASTM E 96	0.02 perms				
Water Vapor Sorption	ASTM C 1104	<3% by weight at 120°F (49°C), 95% R.H.				
Fungi Resistance	ASTM C 1338	Meets requirements				
Thermal Conductivity Out-of-Package k-Value k Btu•in/hr•ff'•°F (\(\lambda\) at 24°C Mean, W/m•°C) Installed (Compressed) k-Value k Btu•in/hr•ff'•°F (\(\lambda\) at 24°C Mean, W/m•°C)	ASTM C 518	Type 75 0.30 (0.043) Type 75 0.27 (0.039)	Type 100 0.27 (0.039) Type 100 0.25 (0.036)	Type 150 0.25 (0.036) Type 150 0.23 (0.033)		
Surface Burning Characteristics	ASTM E84	Flame Spread 25 Smoke Developed 50				

The surface burning characteristics of these products have been determined in accordance with ASTM E 84. Values are reported to the nearest 5 rating.

Applications

SOFTR* Duct Wrap FRK is used for external insulation of commercial and residential heating, air conditioning and dual-temperature ducts operating at temperatures from 40°F (4°C) to 250°F (121°C). This insulation, when applied in accordance with installation instructions (Pub. 10021577), will provide the "installed R-value" as published for the product and printed on the facing, assuring specified in-place thermal performance and condensation control.

Limitations

SOFTR* Duct Wrap FRK is not recommended for use on duct systems subject to continuous service at temperatures in excess of 250°F (121°C). It should not be used in conditions where condensation might occur on the facing nor exposed to weathering or mechanical abuse without proper protection. It should not be used on the inside of ducts.

Availability

Standard roll width: 48" (1.2m)

Installed R (RSI) values: When installed in accordance with installation procedures, SOFTR® Duct Wrap FRK will provide installed R (RSI) values as follows:

Nominal Thickness		Out-of-Package R (RSI) Value²			Installed Thickness ³		d R (RSI)	
in.	mm			in.	mm		Value ^{2,3}	
Type 75 – 0.75 pcf (12 kg/m³)								
11/2	(38)	5.1	(0.90)	11/8	(29)	4.2	(0.74)	
2.0	(50)	6.8	(1.17)	11/2	(38)	5.6	(0.98)	
2.2	(56)	7.4	(1.30)	15⁄8	(42)	6.0	(1.06)	
3	(76)	10.0	(1.76)	21/4	(57)	8.3	(1.46)	
Type 100 – 1.00 pcf (16 kg/m³)								
11/2	(38)	5.6	(0.99)	11//8	(29)	4.5	(0.79)	
2	(51)	7.4	(1.30)	11/2	(38)	6.0	(1.06)	
Type 150 – 1.50 pcf (24 kg/m³)								
11/2	(38)	6.0	(1.06)	11/8	(29)	4.8	(0.85)	
2	(51)	8.0	(1.41)	11/2	(38)	6.4	(1.13)	

- 2. $hr*ft^2*°F/Btu (m^2*°C/W)$ at 75°F (24°C) mean temperature.
- 3. Assumes 25% compression of insulation.

Material Requirements to Achieve Installed R-Value

		Stretch-Out Dimensions		
Out-Of Package Thickness	Installed Thickness	Round and Oval Ducts	Square and Rectangular Ducts	
in.	in.	P+in.	P+in.	
11/2	11/8	P+9½	P+8	
2	11/2	P+12	P+10	
23/16	15/8	P+13	P+11	
3	21/4	P+17	P+141/2	

P = measured duct perimeter

Specification Compliance

- ASTM C 1290, Flexible Fibrous Glass Blanket Insulation Used to Externally Insulate HVAC Ducts, Type III
- ASTM C 1136, Flexible Low Permeance Vapor Retarders for Thermal Insulation, Type II (facing only)
- ASTM C 553 Mineral Fiber Thermal Insulation: Type I – Fiberglas™ Duct Wrap Type 75; Type II – SOFTR* Duct Wrap FRK Types 100 and 150. (Operating temperatures to 250°F (121°C) and thermal values to 150°F (66°C) mean.
- 4. Preferred specification is ASTM C 1290.

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