

TECH DATA

INSULATION POWERED BY GRAPHITE

R-Shield® MAX 100 is a next generation insulation product line with a maximum R-value powered by graphite. R-Shield MAX 100 is a premium grade insulation manufactured to provide architects, specifiers, distributors, and contractors all the features and benefits inherent in a high quality insulation.

R-value - R-Shield MAX 100 has a maximum R-value that never changes over time.

Strength - R-Shield MAX 100 comes in compressive strengths of 10 psi.

Moisture Resistance – R-Shield MAX 100 is a closed cell polystyrene insulation and is resistant to moisture gain.

Vapor Permeable – R-Shield MAX 100 allows moisture vapor to move through its structure.

Drying Potential – R-Shield MAX 100 rapidly releases absorbed moisture.

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R-Shield MAX is comprised of many small pockets of air within a polymer matrix containing graphite. The graphite reflects radiant heat energy like a mirror, increasing the material's resistance to heat flow or R-value.

Applications.

- Cavity Wall
- Wall Sheathing
- Precast Concrete Core
- Flat/Tapered Roofing
- Plaza Deck/Vegetative Green Roof
- Perimeter/Underslab
- Drainage Board
- Waterproofing Protection

Proven to meet, or exceed, building codes.

R-Shield MAX 100 is manufactured under an industry leading quality control program monitored by UL and further recognized in UL Evaluation Report UL ER40361-01.



R-Shield MAX 100 meets Type IX of ASTM C578, "Standard Specification for Rigid, Cellular Polystyrene Thermal Insulation".



R-SHIELD 100			
R-value ¹ , Thermal Resistance, ASTM C518	40°F	°F·ft²·h/Btu (°K·m²/W)	5.2 (0.92)
	75°F	°F·ft²·h/Btu (°K·m²/W)	5.0 (0.88)
Compressive Strength ^{1,2} @ 10% deformation, min. ASTM D1621		psi (kPa)	10 (69)
Density, Nominal ASTM C303		lb/ft³ (kg/m³)	1.0 (16)
Flexural Strength ¹ , min. ASTM C203		psi (kPa)	25 (173)
Water Vapor Permeance ¹ of 1.0 in. thickness, max., perm ASTM E96			5.0
Water Absorption ³ volume % ASTM C272			0.3
Flame Spread Index ASTM E84			<25
Smoke Developed Index ASTM E84			<450
Maximum long term use temperature			165°F (74°C)
ASTM C578 Compliance, Type			I

- ¹ Please refer to ASTM C578 specification for complete information. R-values are based on 1- $\frac{1}{16}$ " thickness.
- ² Compressive strength is measured at 10 percent in accordance with ASTM C578. A safety factor is required to prevent long-term creep for sustained loads. For static loads, a safety factor of 3:1 is recommended.
- ³ ASTM C272 24 hour immersion followed by 24 hour storage in 75°F/50%RH air.

Product Protection.

R-Shield MAX can be damaged by prolonged direct sunlight exposure or by reflected sunlight. R-Shield MAX must be protected during storage, transportation, and at the project with a light colored opaque material. Please refer to the R-Shield MAX Handling Instructions.

