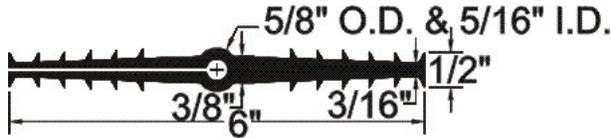


**PRODUCT DATA SHEET
SR-638**



Head of Pressure	Pounds per Lineal Foot
125'	1.54

WHERE TO USE SPLIT RIBBED WATERSTOP

Split Ribbed waterstops are used in expansion joints where normal movement between members is anticipated. Used for straight runs only.

PHYSICAL PROPERTIES OF PVC WATERSTOP Meets or Exceeds CRD C-572 and Bureau of Reclamation Made of Raw Virgin Material with no pigments		
Typical Properties	ASTM Method	Minimum Value
Water Absorption	D-570	0.15%
Tear Resistance, lb/in (kg/cm)	D-624	300 (53.5)
Specific Gravity, (+/-0.05)	D-792	1.38
Hardness, Shore A (+/-5, 10 sec. delay)	D-2240	80
Tensile, psi (kg/cm ²)	D-638, Type IV	2000 (140.61)
Elongation %	D-638, Type IV	350
100% Modulus, psi (kg/cm ²)	D-638, Type IV	725 (50.75)
Brittle Point (Tb)	D-746	-35° F / -37° C (Passed)
Stiffness in Flexure psi (kg/cm ²)	D-747	600 (42.18)
Ozone Resistance	D-1149	No Failure
Accelerated Extraction, CRD-C572		
Tensile, psi (kg/cm ²)	D-638, Type IV	1600 (112.49)
Elongation, %	D-638, Type IV	300
Effect of Alkali, CRD-C572		
Weight Change, %	-----	-0/+0.25
Change in Hardness, Shore A	D-2240	+/-5

INSTALLATION

Preparation

During progress of work all waterstop shall be protected from damage and should be free of oil, dirt and concrete spatter. Waterstop coils should be uncoiled several days before installation to insure ease of installation and fabrication. Be sure steel reinforcing bars do not interfere with proper positioning of waterstop.

Location & Placement of Split Ribbed

The joint where the Split Ribbed will be placed should be located by use of the construction drawings for the project. The Split Ribbed is designed where split legs are separated where they can be attached to formwork. The inside of the legs should be flush against the formwork to prevent any concrete from getting in between the waterstop and formwork. The use of small nails should be used to attach Split Ribbed to formwork. After the first concrete pour has cured, remove the formwork carefully to prevent the Split Ribbed from tearing. Then cut the nail that is projected outside of the concrete. Then use adhesive to join the two legs together to form a continuous waterstop. Then attach hogrings and tie wire to the end to secure Split Ribbed to rebar that will keep it in the correct position. Now, it is ready for the second pour.

Placement of Concrete

Care should be taken during concrete placement to prevent excessive movement of the waterstop to insure against displacement. Always thoroughly and systematically vibrate concrete around the waterstop to avoid air entrapment and to provide a positive contact between the waterstop and the concrete.

Splicing

BoMetals does not offer manufactured splices such as Ell's, Tee's, or Crosses on Split Profiles as they are used for straight runs. BoMetals would also suggest to consider the difficulty of field splicing if your plans call for it. Please contact us for more details.

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