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## **MEL-PRIME**

## Solvent-Based VOC Adhesive

#### **DESCRIPTION**

MEL-PRIME is a solvent-based, ready-to-use adhesive for W. R. MEADOWS membrane systems. It is red to reddish-brown in color.

#### **USES**

MEL-PRIME simultaneously prepares and dustproofs new and old and vertical and horizontal surfaces in one easy, economical operation. MEL-PRIME is designed for surfaces to receive waterproofing and air/vapor barrier systems from W. R. MEADOWS. Use MEL-PRIME on surfaces to receive applications of MEL-ROL®, MEL-ROL PRECON™, MEL-DEK™, AIR-SHIELD™, and/or AIR-SHIELD THRU-WALL FLASHING from W. R. MEADOWS.

## **FEATURES/BENEFITS**

- · High solids for optimum performance.
- Ready to use ... no mixing or dilution required.
- For exterior vertical and horizontal applications.

## **PACKAGING**

1 Gallon (3.79 Liter) Can 5 Gallon (18.9 Liter) Pail

### SHELF LIFE

Shelf life is three years when stored indoors and in original, unopened containers at temperatures between 40 - 90° F (4 - 32° C).

## **APPLICATION**

Surface Preparation ... All surfaces to receive adhesive must be clean, dry, smooth, and free of all voids. Fill all voids and remove sharp protrusions. When used on concrete, concrete should be cured at least 72 hours. For additional substrate surface preparation requirements, see instructions for applying MEL-ROL, MEL-ROL PRECON, MEL-DEK, and/or AIR-SHIELD.

NOTE: Metal surfaces must also be clean, dry, and free of loose paint, rust, or other contaminants.

**Application Method** ... Apply MEL-PRIME with a roller or brush at a coverage rate of 250 to 300 sq. ft./gal (6.14 to 7.37 sq. m/L). Apply only to the area to be covered with the membrane during the working day. Areas not covered with a membrane in 24 hours must be re-applied. MEL-PRIME should be used at temperatures of 0° F (-18° C) and above for maximum adhesion.

**Drying Time** ... Allow to dry for one hour or until the surface feels tacky but does not pick up when touched. If the work area is very dusty, apply membrane as soon as possible after MEL-PRIME is dry.

**Cleanup** ... MEL-PRIME may be cleaned with mineral spirits.

#### **PRECAUTIONS**

Do not apply MEL-PRIME when rain is imminent, or on damp or frostcovered surfaces. Avoid allowing MEL-PRIME to puddle - this will lengthen drving time. Do not dilute: use as is.

## **HEALTH HAZARDS**

This product is flammable. Ignition sources should be removed prior to product use. Avoid direct contact with the product. Direct contact may cause mild to moderate irritation of the eyes and skin. Product vapors may also cause transient central nervous system depression. Refer to Safety Data Sheet for complete health and safety information.

For most current data sheet, sustainability information, and SDS, visit www.wrmeadows.com.

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• GCLs, PVC, HDPE, LLDPE, EPDM, Granular Bentonite

#### **SEDIMENT CONTROL**

#### **Inlet Protection**

· Grated Inlet, Curb Inlet, Area Inlet Protection

#### **Ditch Checks**

- · Triangle Silt Dike
- GeoRidge

#### **Perimeter Protection**

- · High and Low-Porosity Silt Fence, Straw Wattles, Silt Socks
- Safety Fence

#### Flocculants & Water Treatment

Polymer-Based & Natural Flocculants

## Sediment Basin Skimmers

**Dewatering Bags** 

#### **Trackout Control**

- FODS
- Rumble Grates

## **Turbidity Curtains**

#### **EROSION CONTROL**

#### **Basic Hydraulically Applied Mulches**

- Wood
- Paper
- Blends
- Straw

### **High-Performance Hydraulically Applied Products**

- FGM
- Additives & Tackifiers

#### **Temporary Erosion Control Blankets**

- Coir & Jute Mat/Nettings
- Short-Term ECBs
- Extended-Term ECBs

## **Permanent Erosion Control Blankets**

- Turf Reinforcement Mats
- HP-TRMs
- Anchor Reinforced Vegetation System

#### Structural BMPs

- Transition Mats
- Geoweb Cellular Confinement
- Composite Vegetated Armor System
- Flex MSE Vegetated Wall System
- Articulated Concrete Block
- Gabions
- · Grout-Filled Geotextile Mats

#### Vegetation Establishment

- · Native Seed & Turf Seed
- Fertilizers
- · Organic Soil Additives
- Stratavault Soil Cells

## STORMWATER MANAGEMENT

#### Water Quality

- Inlet Filter Boxes
- Pre-Treatment Chamber
- Nutrient Separating Baffle Boxes
- · High-Flow Biofiltration Media
- · Hydrodynamic Separators
- Stratavault

## Water Ouantity

- · Modular Underground Storage Systems
- Chamber Detention Systems

## Drainage

- HDPE Swale Liner
- Pipe & Fittings
- · Drainage Composites
- Strip Drain

## **Inlet Structures**

- PVC
- · Drain Basins, In-Line Drains
- Landscape

## Permeable Pavers

- Permeable Articulating Concrete Block
- Grass Pavers
- · Gravel Pavers
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#### **SPECIALTY**

Natural & Synthetic Coir Fiber Logs **Vegetated Reinforced Soil Slopes** Soil Anchors **Root Barrier System** AquaBlok Muscle Wall

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