

## Safeguard's Drybase Flex provides sheet barrier to damp

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Drybase Flex Membrane from Safeguard – the UK's leading specialist in damp-proofing and waterproofing technology – is the latest product in the company's Drybase Damp-Proof Coatings range and is designed for direct application to floors and walls that have been affected by dampness and salt contamination; and when it is not possible to stop the damp at its source.

Safeguard's Drybase Damp-Proof Coatings range offers a wide range of practical solutions and applications when it is difficult to create or reinstate damp-proof courses or tackle penetrating damp because of, for example, access issues.

A watertight, low-profile sheet membrane solution to the problem of persistent damp, Drybase Flex Membrane is a highly durable and flexible means of protection against moisture ingress which can be quickly and easily applied to walls using specially-formulated Drybase Flex Adhesive.

One considerable advantage of this installation technique to the contractor, compared to the manual fixing of pegged membranes, is that it removes the need for power tools and the health and safety concerns of noise, dust and vibration associated with them. The membrane is a 1.5mm thick flexible polypropylene sheet with a fleeced surface on both sides and can be plastered or tiled onto directly. The two fleeces ensure good adhesion to the wall through the adhesive, as well as the direct application of plaster. Drybase Flex Adhesive is a polymer modified cement-based product supplied in powder form ready to be mixed with water, and applied using a suitable trowel.

The flexibility of the product allows for building movement without its integrity being compromised; while its being applied straight the substrate obviates the need for plugs and reduces reliance on power tools, with all the noise and vibration they entail.

The Drybase Damp-Proof Coatings range from Safeguard Europe is designed for use when it is not possible to protect building materials and interior surfaces from the sources of dampness, like rain penetration or rising damp. A collection of damp-proof coverings, coatings and membranes; the range aims to provide solutions to a wide range of dampness issues, whether in small residential properties through to larger industrial facilities.

Safeguard Europe's range of market-leading, proven damp-proofing solutions is supported by the company's own highly qualified and experienced staff. The support and know-how they offer is extended to contractors, specifiers and property owners and includes technical advice, specification help, research and even in-house laboratory analysis of plaster and masonry.

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## Note:

Established in 1983, Safeguard Europe is a UK-based company specialising in providing damp-proofing and waterproofing solutions for the construction industry. Safeguard has grown to become a market leader in the UK and now exports throughout the world.

Initially producing products for the refurbishment of existing buildings, the inclusion of Oldroyd cavity drainage membranes and Vandex cementitious waterproofing products in its ranges allows for the provision of waterproofing solutions for most types of structures. All products are manufactured under an ISO9001/ 14001 quality & environmental control system, audited by the BSI.

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