

# FIRETIGHT® FIRETAPE

A self adhesive tape that creates a fire-resistant and airtight seal between (prefabricated) building components.



- ✓ Extreme high fire resistance,60 minutes fire resistant
- ✓ Ensures an airtightness of the combined construction
- ✓ Reduces contact noise
- ✓ Simple, quick and reliable installation
- ✓ Tested at Peutz laboratory for fire safety

- ✓ Highly durable seal, no degradation in performance
- ✓ Ready without waste, easy to separate in case of demolition
- ✓ Applicable to variable cavity widths
- ✓ Used PE-foil is insensitive to moisture



## **FIRETAPE**

With the fire-resistant tape from FIRETIGHT®, connections between building components (10 - 30mm) can be sealed to be fire-resistant, thermally insulated, and airtight.

The patented tape is supplied as a vacuum-compressed strip of mineral wool, packaged in a vapor-resistant PE foil with added strips of intumescent tape.

After releasing the vacuum, the tape is clamped into the gap: the wool expands and completely and firmly fills the entire gap between the building components.





### FIRE RESISTANT CONNECTIONS

FIRETIGHT® Firetape can be used for fire-resistant sealing of joints with timber frame/concrete elements or other prefabricated building components, such as:

- Sealing of prefabricated sandwich panels
- Sealing between roof elements
- Connections of roof elements at party walls
- · Connections of facade elements to the structural frame
- Other joints between building components

#### **Fire Resistance**

FIRETIGHT® Firetape has been tested according to EN 13501-2:2016 and has a fire resistance of at least 60 minutes (EI 60, classified according to EN 1366-4:2021). Additionally, Firetape contributes to a high smoke resistance of the construction\*. The mineral wool used FIRETIGHT® Firetape has the highest fireclass (A1). The foil is flame retardant.

#### **Airtightness**

Firetape has optimal airtightness of class 4 (EN 12207). The tape is ideal for sealing air leaks in variable cavity widths, as often found in prefabricated buildings. It features a thick foil that is resistant to moisture. Firetight Firetape can accommodate the expansion and contraction of building components, resulting in a long-lasting and durable airtightness of the construction.

#### Soundproofing

Firetape has a sound-insulating effect, which significantly contributes to the acoustic comfort inside the home. Installing Firetape in a 20mm cavity results in a noise reduction of up to 28 dB (according to NEN-EN-ISO 717-1:2021).

\*An Sa or S200 classification cannot be issued because the application does not meet an European criteria. In other words, the smoke permeability has been tested according to EN 1634-3:2004 + C1:2007, but since no standard is currently available for this application, the test only provides insight into the degree of smoke permeability and cannot issue a classification.



## **DIMENSIONS**



For an airtight seal, the mineral wool must be sufficiently thick to effectively seal the gap.
Firetape has a sufficient excess for this purpose.

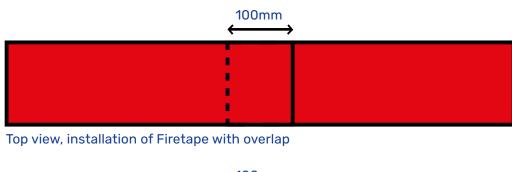
Firetape is available in various lengths.

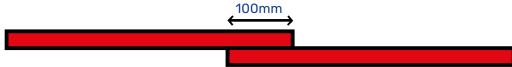
Length	Width	Gap	Thickness vaccumated
1.200 mm	60 mm	10 - 30 mm	10 mm
2.400 mm	60 mm	10 - 30 mm	10 mm
3.000 mm	60 mm	10 - 30 mm	10 mm
6.000 mm	60 mm	10 - 30 mm	10 mm

For gaps larger than 30mm, we recommend the **FIRETIGHT**® **Fire Stop.** 

## **INSTALLATION**

- 1. Firetape is equipped with an adhesive strip and is easily attached in its compressed form to the construction or building element, which can be done in the factory.
- 2. When transitioning to a new roll, an overlap of at least 100mm must be maintained.
- **3.** After placing the second building element against the Firetape, the tape must be punctured to expand. This makes the space between the two elements airtight.
- **4.** After puncturing, Firetape will immediately begin to expand and will secure itself within a few seconds. Firetape fully expands after approximately 24 hours. This ensures a class 4 seal, as the mineral wool continues to expand until the gap is completely filled.





Side view, installation of Firetape with overlap

