



# Ametalin

Performance insulation for a greener world

## ThermalBreak™

Product Code: TB7

### Roof and wall home insulation

For R0.2 thermal break in-situ performance for steel framed residential construction

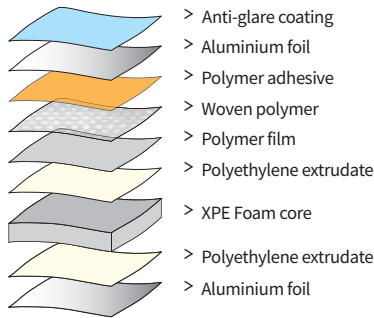


ThermalBreak™ is an Extra Heavy Duty three-in-one reflective insulation, Thermal Break and Class 2 Vapour Barrier for use in all roof and wall types. It meets the NCC requirements for in-situ material R-value of R0.20 for a thermal break in steel framed construction, and is also suitable for use in timber framed construction. Designed to manage heat gain and heat loss, ThermalBreak™ offers superior thermal performance to conventional insulation, and reduces thermal bridging and conductivity between building elements.

- > Extra Heavy Duty
- > Group 1 Fire performance classification
- > R0.2 Thermal Break in-situ
- > Acoustic dampener
- > Flammability low, suitable for all BALs in bushfire-prone areas
- > Can also be used for timber frame and commercial steel frame constructions

### Construction

ThermalBreak™ consists of a 7.8 mm core of chemically cross-linked, closed-cell XPE foam, one-layer of aluminium is laminated to one side with emissivity of 0.03 and one-layer of polymer weave to other side with emissivity of 0.05.



### Declared Total System R-Values

#### Warehouse Roof

no ceiling, with ThermalBreak™

Winter **R<sub>t</sub> 0.92**

Summer **R<sub>t</sub> 2.02**

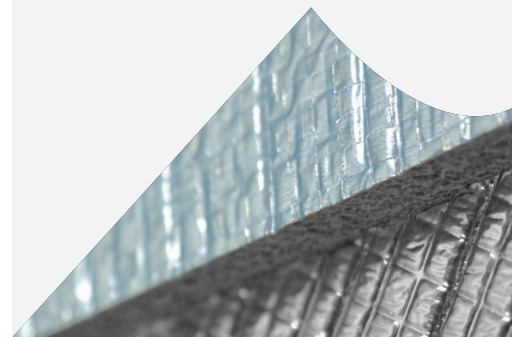
#### Double Brick

with ThermalBreak™

Winter **R<sub>t</sub> 2.07**

Summer **R<sub>t</sub> 2.03**

Ametalin ThermalBreak™ has a material R-value of R0.1. When it is incorporated into typical construction systems, the following thermal performance can be achieved: R-values apply to typical conditions for mainland Australian capital cities and have been calculated by an independent consulting engineer, in accordance with AS/NZS 4859.1:2018. For detailed design of building systems readers are advised to seek advice from a qualified engineer, based on actual site conditions. The contributions of this product to the total system R-value depends on installation and environmental conditions.



## Material Properties and Classifications

ThermalBreak™ classifications in accordance with AS/NZS 4200.1:2017 and AS/NZS 4859.1:2018

Criteria	Reference	Result	Requirement
Flammability Index	AS 1530.2-1993	Low ≤ 5	High (> 5) / Low (≤ 5)
Material Thermal Resistance	ASTM C518	0.21 M2.K/W (Rm 0.21)	Classification
Compressed Material Thermal Resistance	ASTM C518	0.20 M2.K/W (Rm 0.20)	
Duty	AS/NZS 4200.1:2017	Extra Heavy	Classification
Tensile Strength Machine Direction	AS 1301.448s-91	14.6 kN/m	Min 9.5 kN/m
Tensile Strength Lateral Direction	AS 1301.448s-91	13.6 kN/m	Min 6.0 kN/m
Edge Tear Machine Direction	TAPPI T 470 om-89	384 N	Min 65 N
Edge Tear Lateral Direction	TAPPI T 470 om-89	293 N	Min 65 N
Vapour Control	ASTM E96	Class 2 Vapour Barrier	Class 1 to 4
Vapour Permeance	ASTM E96	0.0113 µg/N.s	Value
Water Control	AS/NZS 4201.4:1994	Water Barrier	Classification
Air Control	AS/NZS 4200.1:2017	Air Barrier	Classification
Resistance to Dry Delamination	AS/NZS 4201.1:1994	Pass	Pass
Resistance to Wet Delamination	AS/NZS 4201.2:1994	Pass	Pass
Shrinkage (Repeated wetting & drying)	AS/NZS 4201.3:1994	0.0%	< 0.5%
Electrical Conductivity	AS/NZS 4200.1:2017	Conductive	Classification
Emittance Value	AS/NZS 4201.5:1994	Anti-glare side: 0.05, Foil side: 0.03	Value
Emittance Classification	AS/NZS 4200.1:2017	IR Reflective, IR Reflective	Classification
Emittance Category	AS/NZS 4200.1:2017	RR	Category

### NCC Compliant

ThermalBreak™ complies with AS/NZS 4859.1:2018 and AS/NZS 4200.1:2017, and therefore meets all of the requirements of the *National Construction Code* of Australia for insulation, pliable building membranes and sarking-type materials.

### Fire Performance

#### Group Number Assessment

Group 1

Assessed in accordance with AS 5637.1:2015 *Determination of fire hazard properties* by Ignis Solutions professional fire engineers.

#### Flammability Index

Low (≤5)

Tested in accordance with AS 1530.2-1993 - *Methods for fire tests on building materials, components and structures Part 2: Test for flammability of materials*.

#### Bushfire Attack Levels

Complies with AS 3959-2018 *Construction of buildings in bushfire-prone areas* for use in all BALs.

Seek independent advice regarding the selection of sarking prior to installation in the BAL design.

### Dimensions

1350 mm x 22.25 m + 150 mm flap (30 m<sup>2</sup>)

Nominal thickness: 7.8 mm

### Specification Notes

When specifying, state the following:  
Product Name: Ametalin ThermalBreak™

The insulation to be installed shall be Ametalin ThermalBreak™ double sided reflective, fibre-free thermo-reflective insulation, comprised of cross-linked, closed-cell core XPE foam with anti-glare foil facing on one side and plain foil facing on the other side, and 150 mm overlap piece included. Material R-value in-situ R0.20 and shall be installed in accordance with AS 4200.2:2017 *Pliable Building Membranes and Underlays, Part 2: Installation*.

Emittance Value: 0.05, 0.03

Emittance Classification: IR Reflective, IR Reflective

Material R-value: R0.21 uncompressed / R0.20 in-situ

Vapour Control Classification: Class 2 Vapour Barrier, 0.0113 µg/N.s

Water Control Classification: Water barrier

Duty: Extra Heavy in accordance with AS/NZS 4200.1:2017

Complete details available on our website:

<https://www.ametalin.com>

### Handling and Storage

Store this product undercover in a clean, dry place in the pack provided out of contact with alkaline products, cement and mortar.

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