# **TUFF-N-DRI H8**

NOW WITH **8 FEET** OF HYDROSTATIC HEAD RESISTANCE!



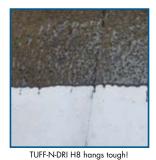
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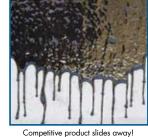
TUFF-N-DRI® H8 waterproofing membrane introduces a revolutionary new level of protection against foundation wall leaks and seepage.

But what makes a waterproofing membrane most effective?

### Hang Strength

Enables Consistent Cured Membrane Thickness of 40 Mils





TUFF-N-DRI H8 (left) and a competing asphalt emulsion waterproofing product (right) were sprayed on the same foundation wall to a thickness of about 60 mils wet. After 10 minutes, TUFF-N-DRI H8 stayed in place, while the competitor ran down the wall.

The superior hang strength of TUFF-N-DRI H8 enables it to maintain a consistent thickness for maximum performance when it cures to 40 mils.

With little hang strength, the sagging competitor can't deliver the minimum code-required 40 mils of cured membrane. Equally important, that thin membrane cannot deliver any of their minimal published performance specifications.



Waterproofing Must Resist Hydrostatic Pressure Even When Spanning Cracks in the Foundation Wall

TUFF-N-DRI H8 (tube on left) and a competing waterproofing membrane (tube on right) were applied to identical sets of concrete blocks, then separated by 1/16" to simulate a typical shrinkage crack. A 12" column of water was then placed on the portion of membrane spanning the crack to create hydrostatic head. The competitive product failed at 1 foot of hydrostatic head in less than 10 minutes, while TUFF-N-DRI H8 remained leak-free, even with 8 feet of hydrostatic head.



TUFF-N-DRI H8
No Leaks!

Competitive Product
Leaks at less than 12" HH.

Membrane Thickness = Performance

Proper Membrane Thickness Delivers Reliable Hydrostatic Head Resistance

At 40 mils, TUFF-N-DRI H8 delivers a remarkable 8 feet of hydrostatic head resistance. Competitors provide as little as 12" of hydrostatic resistance, even at 40-mil cured thickness. But with low hang strength, competitors may easily run down the wall and provide less than 40-mil thickness, leaving major portions of the wall unprotected.

Thickness (cured mils)	Hydrostatic I	Performance		
	TUFF-N-DRIH8	Competitor	Factor	
40 mils	96″	12″		
35 mils	76.8"	9.6″		
30 mils	57.6"	7.2"		

Hydrostatic resistance, as well as other published performance specifications, decline significantly with reduced thickness.



TUFF-N-DRI offers a reliable system to control moisture, including water under hydrostatic pressure:

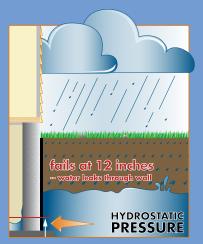
- A TUFF-N-DRI H8 membrane is spray-applied to a consistent cured thickness of 40 mils for 8 feet of hydrostatic head resistance.
- B WARM-N-DRI® Foundation Board or TUFF-N-DRI Barrier Board protects the membrane, assists drainage, and insulates basement walls to reduce interior condensation.
- © Shown with optional DrainStar® Stripdrain, a cost-effective alternative to drain tile and gravel.







### **TUFF-N-DRI H8 Membrane**



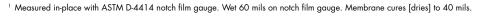
### **Competitive Membrane**

With 8 feet of hydrostatic head resistance, TUFF-N-DRI H8 delivers waterproofing protection that reaches the full height of a foundation wall. But competitive products can fail if heavy rains, a failed drainage system or sump pump, excessive winter melting or slow-draining soils produce as little as 12" of hydrostatic pressure.

## **Specifications**

#### **Membrane Properties**

Resistance to Hydrostatic Head	Results: 8' of water	Method	: ASTM D-5385				
Туре	Polymer-enhanced asphalt liquid-applied membrane						
Color	Black						
Solids	64% ± 3% [percent by weight]						
Density	8.2 ± .15 lbs/gal						
Application	Airless spray						
Application Temperature	Minimum 20°F						
Application Thickness	60 mils (wet) <sup>1</sup>						
Typical Cure Time	16-24 hrs [under normal conditions]						
Crack Bridging Ability	Results: Passes	Method:	ASTM C-836				
Water Vapor Permeance	Results: <1 perm for 40-mil dry coating (grains/sf/hr	Method:	ASTM E-96 Wet Method				
Elongation	<i>Results:</i> >2000%	Method:	ASTM D-412				
Adhesion to Concrete	Results: Exceeds	Method:	ASTM C-836				
Resistance to Degradation in Soil	Results: Good	Method:	ASTM E-154				
Mold Growth and Bacterial Attack	Results: No degradation	Method:	ASTM D-3273, ASTM D-3274				



#### **Board Properties**

Туре	<b>WARM-N-DRI</b> Foundation Board		TUFF-N-DRI Barrier Board			
Board Size	4' x 4' 4' x 8'			4' x 4' 4' x 8'		
Board Thickness	3/4"	13/16"	23/8"	3⁄4″	13/16"	23/8"
Drainage Ability [Gals/Hr/Lineal Foot] <sup>2</sup>	>70	>110	>210	>50	>80	>160
Thermal Resistance	R-3	R-5	R-10	R-3 <sup>3</sup>	R-5 <sup>3</sup>	R-1 O <sup>3</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Hydraulic gradient of 1.0. Drainage rates with 10% board compression. At 65% compression, foundation board has the drainage capabilities of coarse sand.

3 As manufactured resistance values (R-value)





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