Fugabella® Eco PU 40

Eco-friendly, polyurethane, thixotropic organic sealant with a high level of resistance to abrasion for fractionizing joints, ideal for use in GreenBuilding. Safeguards the health of the environment.

Fugabella® Eco PU 40 develops high surface hardness, guaranteeing the watertightness of seals under the most extreme levels of thermal and mechanical stress in industrial and commercial flooring subject to heavy traffic.







PRODUCT STRENGTHS

- Walls and floors, for internal and external use, suitable for painting
- Suitable for porcelain and ceramic tiles
- High level of adhesion to absorbent and non-absorbent surfaces

AREAS OF USE

Use

Sealing of construction and connection joints subject to small movements and settling, such as:

- fractionizing joints in commercial and industrial floors
- metal roof flashings and flat roofs
- sealing joints in structural steelwork

Bonding of:

- building materials in general (over-tiles, under-tiles, ornamental bands)
- flanges and pipe clips around anchoring bolts, pipes and mullions
- wood, glass and metal coatings

For internal and external use on cement-based substrates, ceramic tiles, cotto, crude steel, galvanized steel, stainless steel, prepainted and plasticized steel plates, aluminium, glass, wood and synthetic resins or with any standard building material.

Do not use

On natural stone, surfaces with low compactness and high levels of dust formation, on bituminous structures and products transuding oil, solvents or plasticizers; on joints subject to high movement; in swimming pools.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

Preparation of substrates

The sides of the joints to be sealed must be perfectly dry, clean and free from any traces of grease, dust or rust. Remove all flaky or loose parts and carefully remove rust from metals.

When preparing visible joints, and in order to achieve a clean sealing line, the user should cover the edges with protective masking using normal adhesive tape.

The sealant must be able to move freely, hence it must not adhere to the bottom of the joint. Insert the Joint preformed, polyethylene foam technical sub-joint layer at a depth appropriate for the size of the joint to be created.

Fugabella® Eco PU 40 is ready-to-use.

Application

Before extrusion of the sealant, where applicable check that the primer coat is dry (from a minimum of 30 minutes to a maximum of 5 hours from application, depending on air temperature and humidity). Puncture the cartridge seal and screw on the nozzle after snipping off the end. Insert the tube into the manual or air-powered sealant applicator gun, start extrusion of Fugabella[®] Eco PU 40 and fill the joint. If the sealing process occurs inside the joint, application of adhesive, protective paper tape will not be necessary. When applied between panels, it is advisable to lay a protection masking. The polyurethane paste must be compressed and made to enter deeply to ensure optimum adhesion and to avoid inclusion of air bubbles.



To achieve a perfect finish, pass a metal or plastic spreader soaked in soapy water over the surface in one, continual movement if possible. Remove any masking tape before the sealant hardens.

- To promote bonding, spread Fugabella $^{\rm 8}$ Eco PU 40 on the substrate using a fine toothed spreader.
- For long-lasting sealing, capable of withstanding expansion and contraction stress, the following conditions are necessary:
- 1) the joint is applied so that movement will not exceed 10% of joint average width
- the ratio between width and sealant depth must be as follows: 1/1 for sections from 8 to 12 mm 2/1 for sections from 12 to 35 mm

Cleaning

Residual traces of sealant can be removed with acetone. Once hardened, Fugabella® Eco PU can only be removed by mechanical means.

SPECIAL NOTES

A base coat is normally not necessary. However, use of the eco-friendly, adhesion promoter Keragrip Eco Pulep may be necessary on specific substrates in order to ensure maximum adhesion. The product is always recommended in situations where there is a risk of dust forming.

After application of Fugabella® Eco PU 40 protect sealant from rain for at least 2 hours at +20 °C.

ABSTRACT

Elastic and waterproof sealing of fractionizing joints with eco-friendly, polyurethane, thixotropic organic sealant with a high level of resistance to abrasion and GreenBuilding Rating[®] Eco 2, such as Fugabella[®] Eco PU 40 by Kerakoll Spa. The joint must be clean, dry, free from moisture rising and prepared with a suitable polyethylene foam sub-joint layer such as Joint, to be inserted at a depth of between ${}^{2}/_{3}$ of the joint width and its entire width. One cartridge will cover ≈ 2.7 linear metres for joints with a width and depth of 1 cm.

TECHNICAL DATA COMPLIANT WITH KERAKOLL QUALITY STANDARD

Appearance	Coloured thixotropic paste	
Specific weight	≈ 1,4 kg/dm³	
Chemical nature	moisture-curing polyurethane paste	
Shelf life	\approx 12 months in the original packaging	
Warning	Protect from frost, avoid direct exposure to s	unlight and sources of heat
Pack	310 ml cartridge	
Max. allowed movement	≤ 10%	ISO 9046
Joint min. width	≥ 6 mm	
Joint max. width	≤ 35 mm	
Sealing section ratio W/D:		
- up to 12 mm	1/1	
- from 12 to 35 mm	2/1	
Temperature range for application	from +5 °C to +35 °C	
Curing time	≈ 1 hr	
Reticulation time	≈ 4 mm / 24 hrs	
Coverage	see approximate coverage table	

COVERAGE TABLE

Depth	Width	8 mm	10 mm	15 mm	25 mm	30 mm	35 mm
8 mm		≈ 4,8 m	-	≈ 2,5 m	-	-	-
10 mm		_	≈ 3 m	≈ 1,5 m	-	-	-
13 mm		_	_	_	≈ 0,9 m	_	_
15 mm		-	-	-	≈ 0,8 m	≈ 0,6 m	-
18 mm		_	_	_	_	≈ 0.5 m	≈ 0,4 m



HIGH-TECH			
Shore hardness A	35 - 40	ASTM D 2240	
Elastic modulus	≈ 0,6 N/mm²	ISO 8339	
Tensile strength (elongation 50%)	≥ 1,5 N/mm²	ISO 8339	
Ultimate elongation	≥ 400%	ISO 8339	
Resistance to atmospheric agents	Excellent		
Working temperature	from -40 °C to +80 °C		

COLOUR CHART Fugabella® Eco PU 40 colours 03 Pearl Grey 04 Iron Grey 04 Iron Grey 05 Anthracite 08 Bahama Beige 01

WARNING	
- Product for professional use	
- abide by any standards and national regulations	
- use at temperatures between +5 °C and +35 °C	
- do not use on wet or damp substrates	
- protect from rain during the first 2 hours following application	
- store in a cold, dry environment	
- if necessary, ask for the safety data sheet	
- for any other issues, contact the Kerakoll Worldwide Global Service - globalservice@kerakoll.com	

The Eco and Bio classifications refer to the GreenBuilding Rating[®] Manual 2012. This information was last updated in March 2013 (ref. GBR Data Report - 04.13); please note that additions and/or amendments may be made over time by KERAKOLL SpA; for the latest version, see www.kerakoll.com. KERAKOLL SpA shall therefore be liable for the validity, accuracy and updating of information provided only when taken directly from its institutional website. The technical data sheet given here is hased on our technical and practical and practical knowledge. As it is not possible for us to directly check the conditions in your building yards and the execution of the work, this information represents general indications that do not bind Kerakoll in any way. Therefore, it is advisable to perform a preliminary test to verify the suitability of the product for your purposes.





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