



Technical Information Bulletin

Expected Service Life of Thermobreak

INTRODUCTION

Thermobreak is the original "All in One" flexible thermal insulation made from physically crosslinked polyolefin foam with a reinforced aluminium foil facing. The Sekisui designed process produces a fine closed cell material with superior physical properties.

When installed in accordance with published recommended guidelines, Thermobreak typically provides many years of service without deterioration of insulation performance, with the service life expected to be at least 20 years. However there are factors which can reduce this life span, including:

- UV and weathering;
- Mechanical damage;
- Chemical damage; and
- Elevated temperatures.

To maximise service life, Thermobreak must always be correctly installed in line with the manufacturer's instructions as detailed in the Thermobreak Information Kit.

It remains the responsibility of the buyer to verify the performance of Thermobreak as part of their application and under their own specific conditions.

If the intended application is in an outdoor environment then Thermobreak No-Clad is recommended.

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This Technical Information Bulletin provides some guidance on expected service life for Thermobreak, and details conditions that can impact its appearance or performance. This bulletin does not imply any performance warranties and is not to be construed in any way as having the status of a warranty document.

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