



**Brushable, Water-based Bitumen Emulsion** 

## **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION**

Pabkote products provide a quick and economical means of applying a heavy bitumen protective coating. Pabkote is available in 2 grades, Pabkote 3, brushable without fibres and Pabkote 5, brushable with fibres.

# **USAGE/PURPOSE**

Pabkote is designed to provide a protective bituminous coating to various structures, including:

- Non-critical concrete tanks
- Concrete troughs
- Various wooden structures such as; timber tank stands, sheds and kennels.
- □ Fence posts or timbers before they are put into the ground.
- Horticultural purposes, to seal pruning cuts and grafts

## **FEATURES & BENEFITS**

- □ Water based, odour free and non-toxic
- Easy to use
- Easy clean up
- Dries to form a durable, flexible and water-insoluble film
- □ When fully cured, under normal climatic conditions, Pabkote will not flow under heat nor harden at low temperatures
- When dry, Pabkote has good resistance to water, alcohol, most salt solutions, some dilute acids and alkalis and animal wastes
- Pabkote 3 has been tested to and complies with AS 4020:2018-Testing of products for use in contact with drinking water. Consult Tremco Technical Services for further information.

#### PACKAGING

Pabkote 3 4 Litre 20 Litre

# Pabkote 5

20 Litre

#### COLOUR □ Black

#### LIMITATIONS

- Consult Tremco Technical Services prior to usage of metal or polymer substrates.
- Not suggested for use in critical waterproofing applications, consult Tremco Technical Services for further information.
- Pabkote is not UV stable, and should be overcoated with a suitable paint/ coating, such as Alumanation 301. Pabkote should be allowed to cure for a minimum of 14 days before painting. Consult Tremco Technical Services for further information.
- Not suitable for areas subject to hydrostatic pressure- contact your distributor for further information.
- Do not apply below 5°C or above 40°C, or in damp conditions

#### SHELF LIFE

12 months when stored as recommended in original unopened packaging.

#### **STORAGE**

Store in a dry cool place in original unopened packaging.

## USAGE

The following is a theoretical guide to estimate material usage. This does not account for material wastage on-site or reduced coverage due to substrate porosity/aggregate profile:

PRODUCT	COVERAGE RATE		THICKNESS	
Pabkote (4 Litre)	1 m²/L	4 m²/ pail	1 mm WFT	0.65 mm DFT
Pabkote (20 Litre)	1 m²/L	20 m²/ pail	1 mm WFT	0.65 mm DFT

#### **METHOD OF APPLICATION**

- Apply Pabkote by brush, trowel or high-pressure airless spray, at a rate of 1m<sup>2</sup>/L. Care should be taken to avoid excessive build up of product, as this may affect the products ability to properly cure.
- Pabkote should be applied to a minimum 2 coats, allowing the product to dry for approximately 4 to 24 hours between coats (depending on ambient conditions)
- Additional coats of Pabkote should be applied at a 90-degree angle to the previous coat.
- □ Do not apply Pabkote when the temperature is below 5°C or above 40°C or if rain is imminent

### **CLEAN UP**

- □ Clean all adjacent areas to remove any stains or spills with water.
- Clean tools and equipment before materials cure.
- Cured material may be removed with mineral turps

## **HEALTH & SAFETY PRECAUTIONS**

The Safety Data Sheet (SDS) must be read and understood prior to use.

## **TECHNICAL SERVICE**

TREMCO has a team of representatives who provide assistance in the selection and specification of products. For more detailed information or service and advice, call Customer Service on (02) 9638 2755 or fax (02) 9638 2955.

## **GUARANTEE/WARRANTY**

TREMCO products are manufactured to rigid standards of quality. Any product which has been applied (a) in accordance with TREMCO written instructions and (b) in any application recommended by TREMCO, but which is proved to be defective, will be replaced free of charge.

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