

### FPS WEATHERTIGHT EARLY CLOSE IN SYSTEM

- Quality products designed for NZ climate.
- Fully tested for compatibility and performance.
- Excellent custom er service and support.



### **OUR HISTORY**

**Company Formation** 

FPS formed in 2014

Testing Phase

Tested the system for 2 years before entering the market in 2016

Soft Launch

Kept the system close around Hamilton for 2 years

**Our Factory** 

Fakro are the manufacturers of all of our membranes - they employ over 3300 staff

**Sourcing Materials** 

Materials sourced from Poland, and other parts of Europe



### WHAT MAKES FPS WEATHERTIGHT DIFFERENT?

1 Roof & Wall Underlay

Can be used on roofs & walls completely unsupported or with a ridged backing

Superior Performance

Exceeds NZ building code requirements

**Codemark Certified** 

Fully integrated components to achieve weathertightness

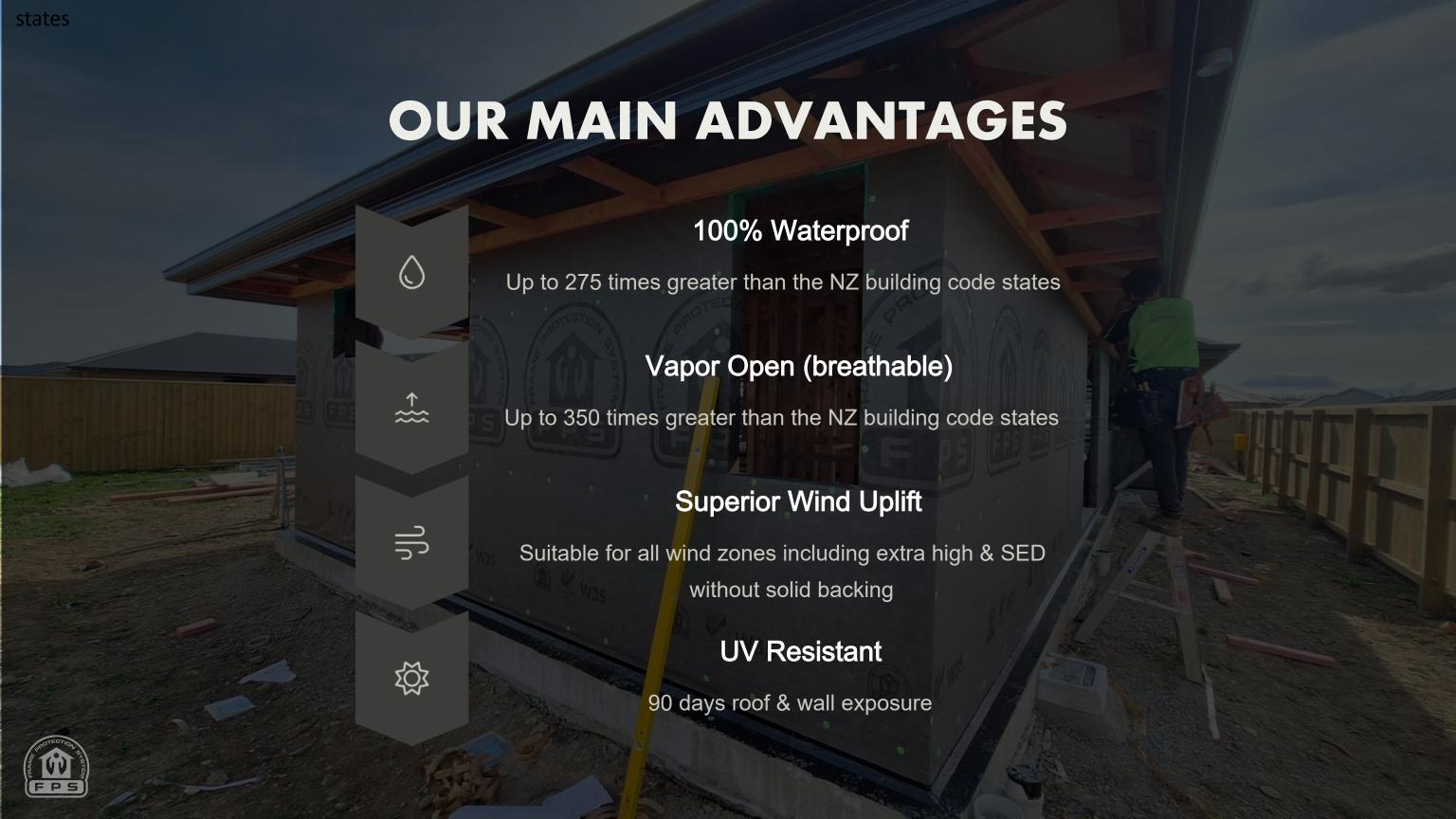
Suitable for Passive House

Includes roof, wall and internal underlays, and components

Supportive Reps

Hands on reps to ensure all FPS installs are fitted correctly





### STANDARD UNDERLAYS VS FPS WEATHERTIGHT

#### Traditional Underlays

- Cladding must be installed to continue internally
- Bare staple fixings
- Water Resistant & Absorbent
- Limited wind resistance
- Shorter UV exposure
- Full sill taping
- Insulation restraint needed

#### **FPS Weathertight**

- Can continue internally before the cladding is finished
- Cap and staple fixings
- Waterproof & Non Absorbent
- Suitable for EH & SED Wind Zones without solid backing
- 90 days UV exposure
- Minimal sill taping
- No Insulation Restraint needed





### **N35**



#### **EUROTOP N35 MEMBRANE**

Fakro Eurotop N35 is a three-layer membrane, which has been CodeMarked as part of the FPS® Weathertight® system.

It has a very high vapour permeability, and it is also extremely waterproof.

Technical Parameters	Eurotop N35	
Base Weight	135 g/m*	
Permeabilty	SD Value	0.007m
	Vapour Resistance	0.035 MNs/g
Water Resistance	Head of Water	5500 mm
	Class	W1
Strength or Resistance to Tearing	Lengthwise	280 N/50mm
	Crosswise	190 N/50mm
Sun Exposure	90 Days	
Fire Retardency (1530)	Less than 3	
Application Temperature Range	-40°c to +120°c	

Fakro Eurotop N35 wall and roof underlay has an AS1530 – part 2 flammability index of not greater than 5 and therefore meets the requirements of NZBC Acceptable Solutions C/AS2 to C/AS6, Paragraph 4.17.8 b) for suspended flexible fabric used as an underlay to exterior cladding that is exposed to view in occupied spaces.

It may therefore be used with no restrictions in all buildings.





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### **W**35



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Technical Parameters	Eurotop W35		
Base Weight	140 g/m²		
Permeabilty	Vapour Permeability	2300 g/m	
	SD Value	0.02m	
	Vapour Resistance	0.1 MNs/g	
Water Resistance	Head of Water	2250 mm	
	Class	W1	
Strength or Resistance to Tearing	Lengthwise	290 N/50mm	
	Crosswise	200 N/50mm	
Sun Exposure	90 Days		
Fire Retardency (1530)	Less than 3		
Application Temperature Range	-40°c to +80°c		

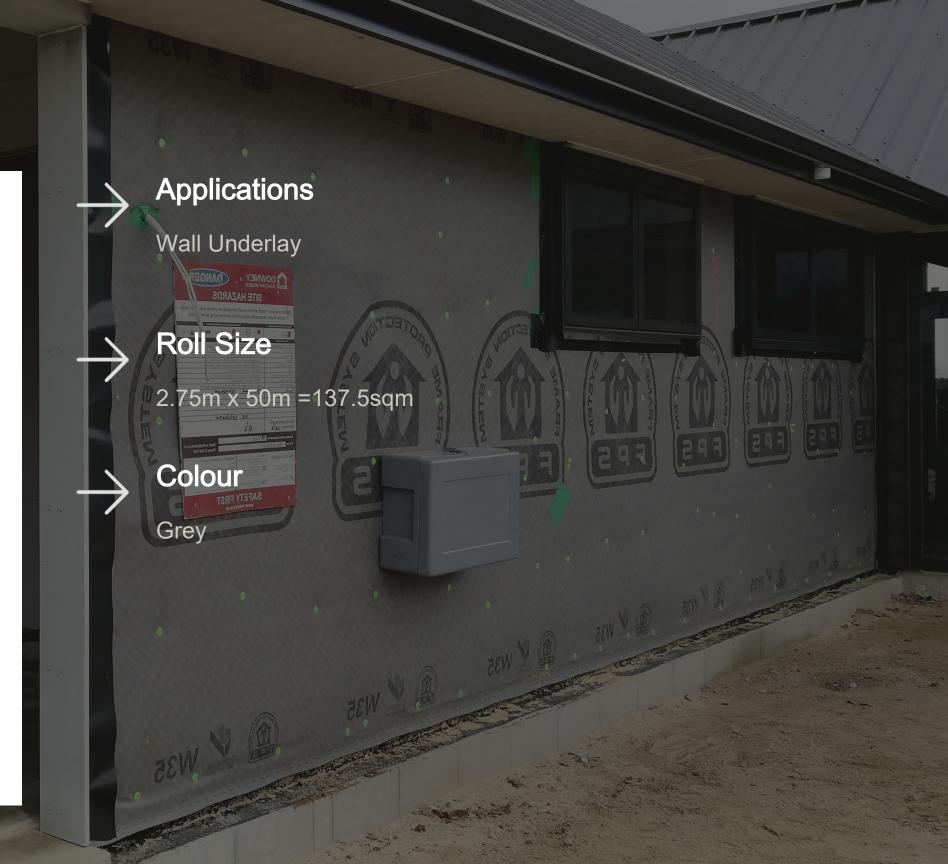
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### **EUROBAND D/S BLACK TAPE**

- Below Bottom Plate

  Seals the foundation to the underlay
- Moisture Protection
  Prevents water & airborne moisture
- Installation
  Easy application with great results







# EUROBAND D/S BROWN TAPE

#### Purpose

Creates a watertight seal at horizontal joins

#### **Application**

Applied to the underside of the overlapping layer

#### **Benefits**

Ensures a weathertight & airtight system

### **EUROBAND S GREEN TAPE**

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Vertical Joins

Seals vertical underlay overlaps

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Rips, Tears & Bare Staples

Repair areas where water can enter the build



**Conduit Seals** 

Used to seal the edges of our conduit seals (shown further down)







# CAP & STAPLE FIXINGS



CAP & NAIL FIXINGS IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED





WIND ZONE

LOW

MEDIUM

HIGH

**VERY HIGH** 

**EXTRA HIGH** 

SED

9.5mm SPACINGS

300mm

250mm

200mm

150mm

100mm

22mm SPACINGS

300mm

300mm

250mm

250mm

250mm

150mm





#### WHAT DO WE OFFER?

# Take-offs

Send us the plans, we'll tell you what you need

# Site Checks

After your install demo but before your pre-line inspection, we can come by and make sure everything is looking good

## Install Demos

Tell us the day of your first install and we'll come by and run you through our system

# Warranty

When installed as it should, complete our warranty checklist for a 50 year in-wall completely transferable warranty





### **BARE STAPLES**



#### **Pressure Differential**

Wind creates pressure difference from inside to out



#### **Moisture Ingress**

Rain gets sucked through uncontrolled penetrations



#### **Proper Protection**

Cap and staple prevents water entry





### SITE INSPECTION

1 Leaking Issues

Water was coming in through the underlay

2 Problem Identified

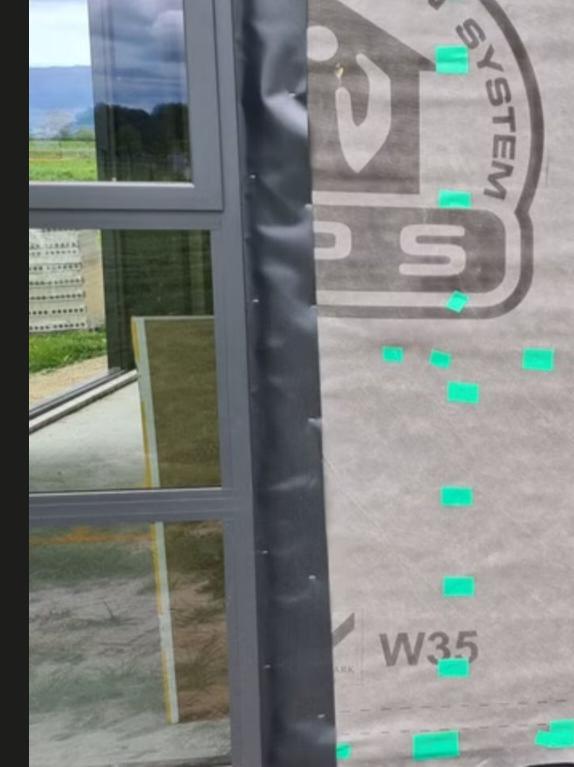
Cap & Staples weren't used

3 Solution

FPS suggested using tape to cover bare staples

4 Problem Solved!

More weather came through the following weekend and building remained dry







### DIRECTLY FIXED CLADDINGS IS PROHIBITED



#### **Moisture Ingress**

Creates an uncontrolled penetration for water entry into the build



#### **Heat Transfer**

Heat transfer into the underlay reduces lifespan



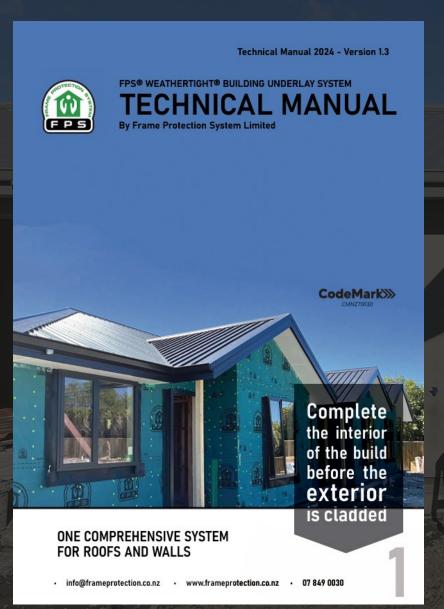
#### No Airflow

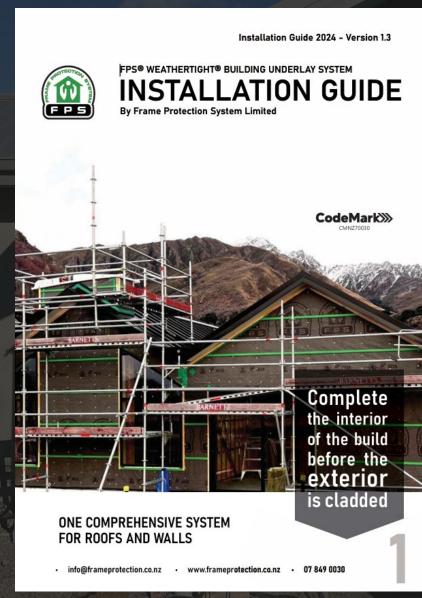
Reduced airflow prevents the underlay from breathing





#### INSTALLATION LITERATURE







**CodeMark** >>>>

This notice must be read in conjunction with the FPS Installation Guide Ver 1 June 2024 and FPS Technical Manua By adhearing to these requirements, the 'systems' performance and warranty will be satisfied.

#### WALL INSTALLATION

#### Euroband S 60mm Green Tape

Vertical Joins, Penetration Seals, & Patching Tape

- All vertical joins need to be taped with a minimum 60mm overlap. » Holes, tears, and exposed staples need to be repaired when practicable.
- Avoid vertical joins closer than 40mm from corners and openings.
- » Use the provided green spatulas to ensure adhesion. » Can be installed in very extreme conditions (-40°C to \*100°C).
- » Split backing for easy install.
- » For more information, please refer to FPS Installation Guide

#### Euroband S 120/180mm Green Tape Corner Tape For Window & Door Openings

- Use ES120 for 90mm timber/ steel framing.
- Use ES180 for 140mm framing / SIP panels
- Ensure a triangular fillet of tape is fitted to all external corners of all openings before a 400mm length of sill tape is installed.
- Only cut openings when joinery is ready to install.
- » For more information, please refer to FPS Installation











before removing the backing to ensure it cures. Use the provided green spatulas to ensure adhesion.

Euroband D/S Black Butvl Tape

overhang 35mm below the bottom plate.

Euroband D/S Brown Tape

» Ensure foundation substrate is clean, dry, and free from anything

Apply EDSB directly below the bottom plate and allow membrane to

Don't remove the backing on the tape right away. Allow for dust and

All horizontal joins need to be taped with a minimum 60mm overlap

When possible, always apply EDS Brown to the bottom edge of the

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underside of the overlapping membrane. Press in place with a spatula.

Allow at least an hour after applying the EDS Brown to the membrane

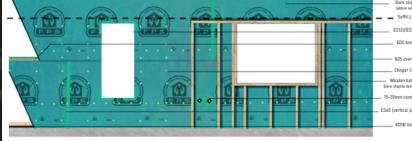
may damage the membrane (staples, nails, protrusions).

debris to clear away before internal linings proceed.

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**N35 Elevation** 



Install Notes



# QUICK RECAP OF THE UNDERLAY SYSTEM

- Suitable for Roof & Walls (with a cavity)
- 100% Weathertight & Airtight
- Suitable for Passive House
- Waterpoof & Non-absorbent
- Can be used in ALL wind Zones including EH & SED completely unsupported
- 90 days UV Exposure (on roof & walls)
- FR Rated Can be used without restriction
- Codemarked Certified (CM70030)
- All spec's are available on Masterspec & Product Spec/ Smart Spec



