

WILOTEKT-PLUS PITCH POCKET

Installation Instructions



Pitch pockets are used to waterproof around complex details such as multiple pipe entries, steelwork, stanchion bases etc.

1. Install the full WILOTEKT-PLUS system on the roof surface up to the detail.
2. Pre-fabricate a once bent galvanised steel metal former of a sufficient size to suit the dimensions of the detail, ensuring a minimum compound depth of 50mm above all fixings is achievable.
3. Ensure the pitch pocket retainer is clean, dry and free from contaminants such as grease.
4. Ensure the pitch pocket retainer is a sealed unit to prevent hot compound escaping when poured.
5. Place the retainer around the detail, with the foot facing away from the detail, then seal the joint between the retainer and the WILOTEKT-PLUS protection membrane by torching strips of the WILOTEKT-PLUS detail membrane in place. This process will secure the retainer and prevent any compound escaping when poured.
6. Once satisfied that the retainer is secure and no compound can escape during installation, pour molten WILOTEKT-PLUS compound into place. The WILOTEKT-PLUS compound should be poured in a single operation. If compound installation has to stop prior to the retainer being full, the surface of the installed compound must be heated prior to installation of the remaining material.
7. Ensure that the WILOTEKT-PLUS compound finishes at least 50 mm above bolt heads, fixings or similar protuberances.
8. If the top of the pitch pocket is exposed to the elements then it must be protected with the WILOTEKT-PLUS mineral detail membrane. If not exposed then it can be finished with the WILOTEKT-PLUS protection membrane and then covered with the thermal insulation, breather membrane and specified inverted roof finishes.

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