# **FLUTE FILLER**

# **Expanded Polystyrene Insulation.**

R-Shield® expanded polystyrene insulation is a cost-effective, durable, and energy efficient solution for insulation applications. R-Shield Flute Filler acts as the void filler and is designed to be installed over existing metal roofs. It provides a uniform and level substrate and is installed prior to the new roof system.

- · Cost effective roof insulation
- R-value that never changes and is stable over time
- · Range of compressive strength available
- · Closed cell insulation with superior moisture resistance
- Improve R-value of roof assembly

# Strength/R-value.

R-SHIELD° RIGID INSULATION	Compressive Strength <sup>1</sup> , psi	R-value/inch²	
		75°F³	40°F⁴
100	10	3.9	4.2
130	13	3.9	4.3
150	15	4.2	4.6
250	25	4.4	4.8

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Compressive strength @ 10% deformation.

R-Shield is available in a wide range of R-values and thicknesses to meet your needs. Product thicknesses are provided in the R-Shield Thickness Selector. Project requirements vary, so R-Shield can be ordered in any R-value thicknesses to meet your needs.

### Proven to meet, or exceed, building codes.

R-Shield is manufactured under an industry leading quality control program monitored by UL and further recognized in UL Evaluation Report UL ER40361-01 and ICC ESR-4743. R-Shield meets ASTM C578, "Standard Specification for Rigid, Cellular Polystyrene Thermal Insulation".



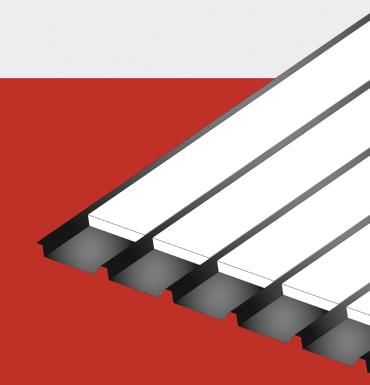


### Sizes and Shapes.

R-Shield Flute Filler can be custom cut to match the profile of the metal flutes on your building. Flute Filler strips are easy to install and provide the necessary support under the roofing membrane. Custom cut and square cut R-Shield Flute Filler is available to meet the size requirements of any size flute.

Custom cut R-Shield Flute Filler will fill the entire flute space, improving energy efficiency. Square cut R-Shield Flute Filler insulation is an economical way to fill voids in profile roof decks and still provide additional insulation value to each project.





# **FOAM FACTS:**

# R-Shield outperforms XPS.

- R-Shield provides a stable long-term R-value at a lower cost
- R-Shield uses a blowing agent with 10 x lower global warming potential and 10,000 x lower ozone depletion
- R-Shield meets strength requirements at a lower cost
- R-Shield and XPS have resistance to moisture, but R-Shield has a higher vapor permeance leading to superior drying potential

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> R-value units are °F·ft<sup>2</sup>·h/Btu.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Recommended for design in WARM climates.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>Recommended for design in COLD climates.

#### Performance Value.

When you consider all performance characteristics and cost, R-Shield is your best choice for foam insulation.

R-Shield has air in its closed cells and therefore has a stable R-value. Many other insulations use blowing agents that cause R-value loss and are harmful to the environment.

R-Shield has compressive strength to meet specific project requirements.

R-Shield is manufactured to resist moisture absorption in wetting conditions and release absorbed moisture quickly during drying periods, which means R-Shield maintains R-value.

### **Termite Resistant.**

One of the most destructive forces anywhere is termites. R-SHield can be manufactured with a proven and safe additive, that effectively resists termites.

R-Shield is treated to meet ICC ES AC239, "Acceptance Criteria for Termite-Resistant Foam Plastics".

## Recyclable.

After it's life as a building insulation, R-Shield is 100% recyclable. It can be ground into granules and reincorporated into new R-Shield products or it can be thermally processed into a resin that's used to manufacture other new products.

### Ready to take control? Start here.

If you're ready to have R-Shield contribute to your next project, just contact your Premier Building Systems Technical Sales Representative. They will be happy to give you design consultation, information about R-Shield products, pricing, and answers to all of your questions.



