



## Introducing... The New Industry Standard

**Home Owner Trusted,  
Builder Approved.**



You demand value, you want a housewrap that can stand up to tough jobsite conditions and deliver performance and dependability! You demand a product that will do the job at a competitive cost, while providing a quality product. With its tough woven construction, Breathe EZ is sufficiently strong enough to resist punctures and tearing, even under the worst weather conditions. Breathe EZ is also one of the most effective ways of reducing home energy costs. Breathe EZ maintains R-Values and reduces condensation problems on exterior walls by keeping the unwanted water out, yet allowing moisture to escape.

With over 20 years of combined experience the manufacturers and developers of Breathe EZ housewrap put years of field experience, testing, and of course the demands of its customers into the all new Breathe EZ housewrap product. So rest assure that your demands can now be met, with the home owner trusted, builder approved Breathe EZ housewrap product. The New Industry Standard!

### Features & Benefits

- Helps reduce air leaks
- Micro-Perforated, allows water vapor to escape
- Unrolls and cuts easily
- Translucent, to see the subsurface for proper positioning and fastening
- Lightweight and easy to handle for fast, efficient installation
- Flexible, bends around corners and uneven surfaces
- Tear Resistant, stays in place
- UV Resistant

*– “We’ve tried most all the woven house wraps, but what my customers want most, is a competitively priced product that meets our demands. That’s why we use Breathe EZ!”*



## SPECIFICATIONS

### Typical Properties and Test Results:

	UNITS	RESULTS	TEST METHOD
Thickness		Avg 5.0 mils	
Tensile Strength			
-Machine Direction	lbs.	53	ASTM D 5034
-Cross Direction	lbs.	44	ASTM D 5034
Tear Strength			
-Machine Direction	lbs.	21	ASTM D 5587
-Cross Direction	lbs.	19	ASTM D 5587
Water Resistance	24 Hours	Passed	ASTM D 779
Water Vapor Transmission	g/m2/24 hrs. perms	>50 Avg 10	ASTM E 96A
Low Temperature Flexibility		Passed	AC - 38
UV Resistance		9 Months	
Fire Rating		Class A	ASTM E84

\* Values meet or exceed AC 38 and ICC regulation requirements.

### Standard Roll Quantities:

- 9 or 10 ft x 100 ft - 78 rolls/pallet
- 9 or 10 ft x 150 ft - 55 rolls/pallet
- 9 or 10 ft x 195 ft - 40 rolls/pallet

\*Other sizes are available. Contact a Breathe EZ representative.

\*\* Rolls/Pallet Count may have a 10% variance

## INSTALLATION

### General

- Install housewrap "shingle-lap" fashion, with higher courses lapped over lower courses by at least 2 inches. Any vertical seams created by ending one roll and beginning another should have an overlap of at least 6 inches.

- Start with lowest course, 2-3 feet from a corner and continue nailing or stapling as you move around the house. Fasteners must penetrate the stud or nail base material.

- Secure the housewrap firmly in place by fastening it every 12" to 18" along the vertical studs using large-headed or plastic cap nails, or 1" crown staples.

### Windows

- Make an inverted Y cut in the housewrap at rough opening. Then cut straight across the top and make diagonal cuts from the top corners to create header flap.

- Fold the flaps in through the opening at the two sides and the sill and fasten them inside with staples set about every 6 inches.

- Temporarily tape header flap up to expose nail base material. Install the sill flashing over the housewrap.

- Apply sealant behind window flanges and install window. Next install jamb flashing over side window flanges. Next, Install head flashing over the top windows flange and extend beyond jamb flashing. Remove temporary tape from header flap and fold back down over top flange. Next, Seal header flap with approval flashing tape.

### Warranty

Breathe EZ is warranted to be free of material defects and workmanship at the time of shipment. The warranty does not apply to loss or damage due to abuse, mishandling, accident, or failure to follow instructions procedures. Material found to be defective will be replaced at no charge, but in no event shall KB Building Products, LLC. be liable for any other costs or damages, including any labor costs. No other warranties are given; all implied warranties of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose are expressly excluded.



### Private Label Program.

Advertise your company! Show your company's flying colors and create awareness and recognition! Your company logo displayed on a building is like having a multi-sided billboard!

Single color printing is available in black, blue, green, and red with a plate size up to a 40" x 30". Once artwork is approved, the lead-time is three weeks, and reorders are produced within two weeks.

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