

# Reflectix® Concrete Slab Insulation



## **Benefits:**

- R-Value 1.1
- Enhances Radiant Floor Systems
- Vapor Retarder
- Non-Toxic/Non-Carcinogenic
- Fiber Free
- Environmentally Safe
- Radon Retarder
- Installs Quickly and Easily
- Lightweight and Clean
- Not Affected by Moisture/Humidity
- No Nesting Characteristics for Insects
- No Need for Protective Garments or Respirators When Installing

Reflectix® Concrete Slab Insulation consists of seven layers. The first layer of white poly is bonded to foil to protect from lime in curing concrete. Each outer layer is bonded to a tough layer of polyethylene for strength. Two inner layers of insulating bubbles resist conductive heat flow while a center layer of polyethylene gives Reflectix® high reliability and strength.

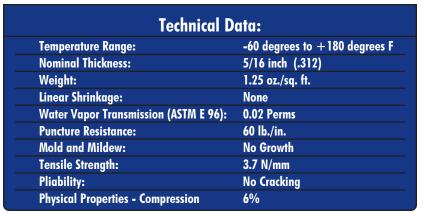
### **Uses:**

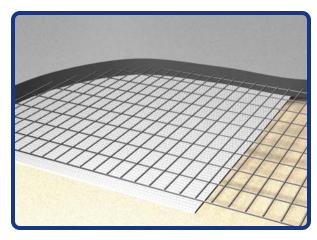
- Insulation (and a Vapor Moisture Retarder) Under a **Concrete Slab**
- Insulation Under a Radiant Floor System (in a Slab)
- Insulation Under a Snow Melt System (in a Slab)

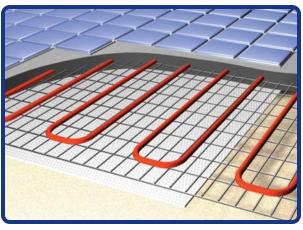


### **Pictured to the Right:**

Under a Concrete Slab (Top) Radiant Heating in a Concrete Floor (Bottom)







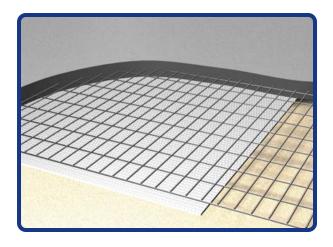
## **Testing and Certification:**

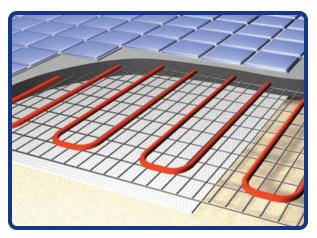
All tests on Reflectix<sup>®</sup> Insulation are performed at either nationally approved independent laboratories or at leading universities. Tests are performed to current American Society of Testing and Materials (ASTM) Standards when a standard exists. For a copy of any of the actual test reports, call 1 (800) 879-3645.

- Thermal Performance ASTM C518
- Fungus Resistance Mil-Std 810B Method 508
- Pliability Test
- Water Vapor Transmission ASTM E96
- Tensile Strength

## **Product Standards:**

Resistance to fungi or bacteria: Reflectix<sup>®</sup> does not promote the growth of fungi or bacteria.





## **Under a Concrete Slab**

- 1) Unroll Reflectix® Concrete Slab Insulation over the sand or gravel, (white poly side up.)
- 2) Butt the seams.

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- Seal the seams with 3" wide poly tape. All tape should be applied using a flat edge taping tool to assure good adhesion.
- Install reinforcing rod and then pour the concrete as usual.

Builder's Note: Adding 1" of sand over the Reflectix® Concrete Slab Insulation will facilitate water drainage and shorten the actual curing time.

# **Radiant Heating in a Concrete Floor**

- Unroll Reflectix® Concrete Slab Insulation over the sand or gravel, (white poly side up.)
- 2) Butt the seams.
- Seal the seams with 3" wide poly tape. All tape should be applied using a flat edge taping tool to assure good adhesion.
- Install radiant heating and reinforcing rod, and then pour the concrete as usual.

Builder's Note: Adding 1" of sand over the Reflectix<sup>®</sup> Concrete Slab Insulation will facilitate water drainage and shorten the actual curing time.



Insulation saves energy when installed according to ENERGY STAR guidelines.

## Saving Energy, Radiating Quality.

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