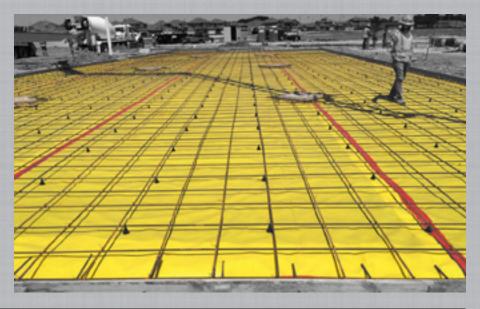


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## **VAPOR RETARDER HIGHLIGHTS**

- Developed for use as a durable vapor retarder.
- Formulated from top-quality polyethylene (polyolefin) resins.
- Exceeds industry-standard ASTM E 1745 Class A, Class B, and Class C specifications.
- Restricts migration of soil gases such as radon and methane.
- Exceptionally low water vapor permeance, three times lower than industry-standard ASTM E 1745 Class A requirement.

## Manufacturing Quality Control & Quality Assurance

All resins, additives, and concentrates for use in Husky<sup>®</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> vapor retarders must meet Poly-America's stringent raw material specifications. Husky<sup>®</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> vapor retarder is manufactured with continuous processcontrol monitoring and is routinely tested in Poly-America's state-of-the-art laboratory during and after production.

In addition, Husky<sup>®</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> vapor retarder has been tested by accredited independent laboratories to ensure that it meets ASTM E 1745 Class A, Class B, and Class C specifications.

- Manufactured by Poly-America on state-of-the-art manufacturing equipment with full-time on-line quality monitoring and routine laboratory testing.
- Maintains low water vapor permeance even after exposure to severe field conditions.
- Outstanding tensile properties and puncture resistance.
- Excellent resistance to low-temperature brittleness.
- Available nationwide.

### Installation

Installation of Husky<sup>®</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> vapor retarder, including placement, lap joints, pipe penetrations, protection, repair, and suggested field check list, shall be in accordance with ASTM E 1643 standard practice and the project specifications and plans.

#### **Availability**

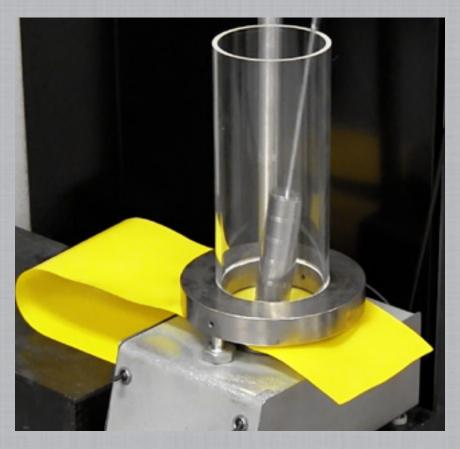
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### **PROPERTIES OF 10 MIL HUSKY® YELLOW GUARD® CLASS A VAPOR RETARDER**

Properties	Test Method	<b>ASTM E 1745</b> Class A Requirements	Yellow Guard® Vapor Retarder Test Result	Measures
Permeance	ASTM F 1249	0.1 perms	0.028 perms/*0.0126 WVTR	Resistance to water vapor
Puncture Resistance	ASTM D 1709 Method B	2200 g	3500 g	Impact energy required to cause failure
Tensile Strength	ASTM D 882	45.0 lbf/in	50 lbf/in	Force required to break/rupture film
Permeance After Conditioning	ASTM E 154			Resistance to water vapor after:
(ASTM F 1249)	Section 8	0.1 perms	0.030 perms	-wetting, drying, and soaking
	Section 11	0.1 perms	0.031 perms	-heat conditioning
	Section 12	0.1 perms	0.031 perms	-low-temperature conditioning
	Section 13	0.1 perms	0.032 perms	-soil organism exposure
Thickness			10 mils	
Roll Dimensions			14 ft x 210 ft	
Roll Weight			142.4 lbs	

\*WVTR (Water Vapor Transmission Rate) in g/(100 in<sup>2</sup> · day)

 $Perm = grains/(ft^2 \cdot hr \cdot inHg)$ 



### **Limited Replacement Warranty**

Poly-America provides a limited replacement warranty on Husky<sup>®</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> vapor retarder representing that the vapor retarder is free from material defects for a period of 1 year from the date of sale. The specific details of Poly-America's limited replacement warranty are available at http://www.yellowguard.com/limitedwarranty.pdf.

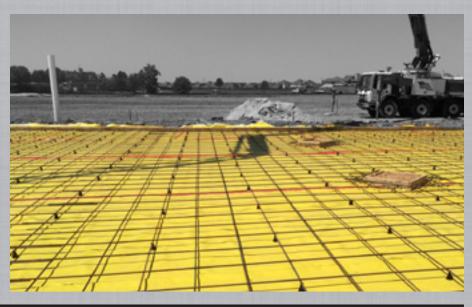


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# Yellow Guard. 15 MIL VAPOR BARRIER

Husky<sup>®</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> premium vapor barriers are waterproofing membranes manufactured using top-quality polyethylene (polyolefin) resins. Husky<sup>®</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> vapor barriers are manufactured to be used in contact with soil and granular fill under concrete slabs, beams, and footings, and provide exceptionally low water vapor permeance. Husky<sup>®</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> vapor barriers are manufactured by Poly-America, an industry leader in the manufacture of polyethylene films. Poly-America utilizes state-of-the-art processing equipment.



## **VAPOR BARRIER HIGHLIGHTS**

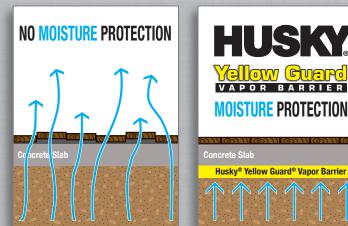
- Developed for use as a durable vapor barrier.
- Multi-layer product formulated from top-quality polyethylene (polyolefin) resins.
- Exceeds industry-standard ASTM E 1745 Class A, Class B, and Class C specifications.
- Restricts migration of soil gases such as radon and methane.
- Exceptionally low water vapor permeance, ten times lower than industry-standard ASTM E 1745 Class A requirement.

## Manufacturing Quality Control & Quality Assurance

All resins, additives, and concentrates for use in Husky<sup>®</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> vapor barrier must meet Poly-America's stringent raw material specifications. Husky<sup>®</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> vapor barrier is manufactured with continuous process-control monitoring and is routinely tested in Poly-America's state-of-the-art laboratory during and after production.

In addition, Husky<sup>®</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> vapor barrier has been tested by accredited, independent laboratories to ensure that it meets ASTM E 1745 Class A, Class B, and Class C specifications.

- Manufactured by Poly-America on state-of-the-art manufacturing equipment with full-time on-line quality monitoring and routine laboratory testing.
- Maintains low water vapor permeance even after exposure to severe field conditions.
- Outstanding tensile properties and puncture resistance.
- Excellent resistance to low-temperature brittleness.
- Available nationwide.



### **PROPERTIES OF 15 MIL HUSKY® YELLOW GUARD® VAPOR BARRIER**

Properties	Test Method	<b>ASTM E 1745</b> Class A Requirements	Yellow Guard® Vapor Barrier Test Result	Measures
Permeance Puncture Resistance Puncture Resistance	ASTM F 1249 ASTM D 1709 Method B ASTM D 4833	Ŭ	0.0082 perms/*0.0037 WVTR 2300 g 183 N 70.2 lbt/m	Resistance to water vapor Impact energy required to cause failure Force required to puncture film
Tensile Strength Permeance After Conditioning (ASTM F 1249)	ASTM D 882 ASTM E 154 Section 8 Section 11 Section 12 Section 13	45.0 lbf/in 0.1 perms 0.1 perms 0.1 perms 0.1 perms	79.3 lbf/in 0.0087 perms 0.0090 perms 0.0087 perms 0.0093 perms	Force required to break/rupture film Resistance to water vapor after: -wetting, drying, and soaking -heat conditioning -low-temperature conditioning -soil organism exposure
Methane Transmission Rate Radon Permeability Coefficien Thickness Roll Dimensions Roll Weight	ASTM D 1434	on painte	182.91 mL(STP)/(m <sup>2</sup> • day) 6.7 x 10 <sup>-14</sup> m <sup>2</sup> /sec 15 mils 14 ft x 140 ft 142.4 lbs	Transmission through a membrane

\*WVTR (Water Vapor Transmission Rate) in g/(100 in<sup>2</sup> • day)



 $Perm = grains/(ft^2 \cdot hr \cdot inHg)$ 

### Installation

Installation of Husky<sup>®</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> vapor barrier, including placement, lap joints, pipe penetrations, protection, repair, and suggested field check list, shall be in accordance with ASTM E 1643 standard practice and the project plans and specifications.

### Availability

Husky<sup>®</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> 15 mil vapor barriers are available nationwide. Visit www.yellowguard.com for more information.

### **Limited Replacement Warranty**

Poly-America provides a limited replacement warranty on Husky<sup>®</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> vapor barrier representing that the vapor barrier is free from material defects for a period of 1 year from the date of sale. The specific details of Poly-America's limited replacement warranty are available at http://www.yellowguard.com/limitedwarranty.pdf.

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# Yellow Guard. 20 Mil Vapor Barrier

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## **VAPOR BARRIER HIGHLIGHTS**

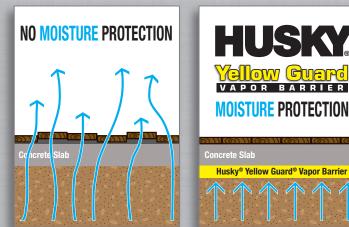
- Developed for use as a durable vapor barrier.
- Multi-layer product formulated from top-quality polyethylene (polyolefin) resins.
- Exceeds industry-standard ASTM E 1745 Class A, Class B, and Class C specifications.
- Restricts migration of soil gases such as radon and methane.
- Exceptionally low water vapor permeance, ten times lower than industry-standard ASTM E 1745 Class A requirement.

## Manufacturing Quality Control & Quality Assurance

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In addition, Husky<sup>®</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> vapor barrier has been tested by accredited, independent laboratories to ensure that it meets ASTM E 1745 Class A, Class B, and Class C specifications.

- Manufactured by Poly-America on state-of-the-art manufacturing equipment with full-time on-line quality monitoring and routine laboratory testing.
- Maintains low water vapor permeance even after exposure to severe field conditions.
- Outstanding tensile properties and puncture resistance.
- Excellent resistance to low-temperature brittleness.
- Available nationwide.



### **PROPERTIES OF 20 MIL HUSKY® YELLOW GUARD® VAPOR BARRIER**

Properties	Test Method	<b>ASTM E 1745</b> Class A Requirements	Yellow Guard® Vapor Barrier Test Result	Measures
Permeance	ASTM F 1249	0.1 perms	0.0073 perms/*0.0033 WVTR	Resistance to water vapor
Puncture Resistance	ASTM D 1709 Method B	2200 g	3577 g	Impact energy required to cause failure
Tensile Strength	ASTM D 882	45.0 lbf/in	101.5 lbf/in	Force required to break/rupture film
Permeance After Conditioning	ASTM E 154			Resistance to water vapor after:
(ASTM F 1249)	Section 8	0.1 perms	0.0056 perms	-wetting, drying, and soaking
	Section 11	0.1 perms	0.0066 perms	-heat conditioning
	Section 12	0.1 perms	0.0068 perms	-low-temperature conditioning
	Section 13	0.1 perms	0.0073 perms	-soil organism exposure
Methane Transmission Rate	ASTM D 1434		94.27 mL (STP)/(m <sup>2</sup> · day)	Transmission through a membrane
Radon Permeability Coefficient			8.3 x 10 <sup>-14</sup> m <sup>2</sup> /sec	
Thickness			20 mils	
Roll Dimensions			14 ft x 105 ft	
Roll Weight			142.4 lbs	

\*WVTR (Water Vapor Transmission Rate) in g/(100 in<sup>2</sup> • day)



 $Perm = grains/(ft^2 \cdot hr \cdot inHg)$ 

### Installation

Installation of Husky<sup>®</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> vapor barrier, including placement, lap joints, pipe penetrations, protection, repair, and suggested field check list, shall be in accordance with ASTM E 1643 standard practice and the project plans and specifications.

### **Availability**

Husky<sup>®</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> 20 mil vapor barriers are available nationwide. Visit www.yellowguard.com for more information.

### **Limited Replacement Warranty**

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YELOW GUARD POLYETHYLENE TAPE

Husky<sup>®</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> Tape is made with polyethylene film coated with high-tack pressure-sensitive rubber adhesive. Husky<sup>®</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> Tape is conformable and flexible with excellent durability and is an excellent choice for splicing, seaming, and patching of Yellow Guard<sup>®</sup> Vapor Retarder/Barriers. All areas to be taped must be clean and dry prior to sealing in accordance with ASTM E1643 — Standard Practice for Selection, Design, Installation, and Inspection of Water Vapor Retarders Used in Contact with Earth or Granular Fill Under Concrete Slabs.

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# TECHNICAL DATA

Total Thickness (ASTM D1000)	9.0 mils
Adhesion to Steel (PSTC 101)	134 oz/in
Tensile Strength (ASTM D1000)	33 lb/in
Permeance (ASTM F1249)	0.09 US Perms
WVTR (ASTM F1249)	0.22 g/(100 in² • day)
Application Temperature	30 to 160°F
Recommended Storage Conditions	60-80°F at 40-60% RH
Roll Size	3.75 in x 180 ft

All values are typical test values.

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# Yellow Guerd™ CRETE LOCK CRETE GRIPPING TAPE

Husky<sup>™</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>™</sup> Crete Lock<sup>™</sup> Concrete Gripping Tape is designed to mechanically bond Husky<sup>™</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>™</sup> vapor retarder to the concrete slab using our Crete Lock<sup>™</sup> technology. The top of the Crete Lock<sup>™</sup> Tape bonds to the slab at the time of the pour, becoming part of the slab itself. The base of the Crete Lock<sup>™</sup> tape is coated with a high-tack adhesive which boasts the industry's best bond from tape to barrier.



**INSTALLATION RECOMMENDATIONS:** All areas to be taped must be clean and dry prior to sealing. Seams should be sealed first using either Husky<sup>™</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>™</sup> Tape or Husky<sup>™</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>™</sup> Crete Lock<sup>™</sup> Concrete Gripping Tape. After the seams are sealed and as recommended by the architect or engineer, the perimeter of the vapor retarder as well as a checkerboard pattern of Husky<sup>™</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>™</sup> Crete Lock<sup>™</sup> Concrete Gripping Tape may be created to provide additional surface area adhesion between the vapor barrier and the slab. For best results, ensure that the upper (textured) side of Husky<sup>™</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>™</sup> Crete Lock<sup>™</sup> Tape is free of any contamination by soil, dust and debris prior to placement of concrete. For full installation of Husky<sup>™</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>™</sup> and Husky<sup>™</sup> Yellow Guard<sup>™</sup> Crete Lock<sup>™</sup> Concrete Gripping Tape, refer to ASTM E 1643 and ACI 302.2R-06.

## TECHNICAL DATA

TOTAL THICKNESS	30 mils
PERMEANCE, ASTM F1249	0.03 perms
180° PEEL ADHESION STRENGTH, ASTM D903	17.6 lbs/in
SHEAR ADHESION STRENGTH - 1 in <sup>2</sup> Embedded in Concrete	. > 49 lbs/in <sup>2*</sup>
APPLICATION TEMPERATURE.	. 40°F – 122°F
ROLL WIDTH	6 in
ROLL LENGTH	

\*Specimens stretched and failed before pulling the tape out of concrete



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