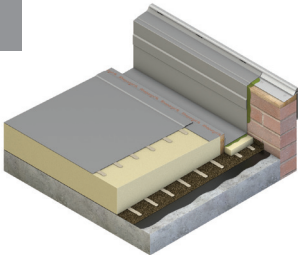
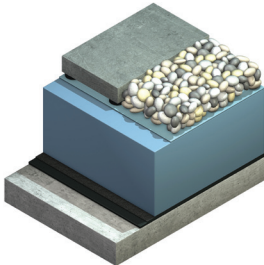
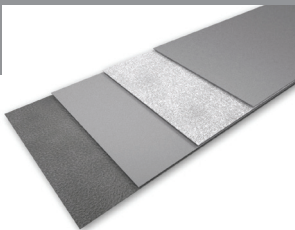
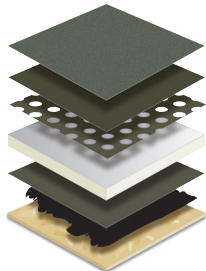


# Waterproofing options: Some things to consider

		Good For...	Look Out For...
Single Ply		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cost driven projects</li> <li>• Cold and Warm Roofs</li> <li>• Lightweight structures</li> <li>• No/Limited roof mounted plant</li> <li>• Green roofs if FLL certified</li> <li>• Coloured finishes (PVC)</li> <li>• Some UK made</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Heavy traffic needs walkways</li> <li>• Needs protecting during construction</li> <li>• Complex details can be messy</li> <li>• Some aren't bitumen compatible</li> <li>• Not ideal for inverted roofs</li> </ul>
Hot Melt		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Inverted roofs</li> <li>• Green roofs</li> <li>• Concrete deck</li> <li>• Limited falls</li> <li>• Complex details and multiple penetrations</li> <li>• Some UK made</li> <li>• Long life expectancy</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Only suitable for inverted roofs</li> <li>• Involves hot works</li> <li>• Only 4 manufacturers</li> <li>• Limited installer network</li> </ul>
Cold Applied Liquids		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Roof refurbishment</li> <li>• Green roofs</li> <li>• Heavy plant areas</li> <li>• Restricted working space balconies</li> <li>• Complex details and multiple penetrations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Some contain VOCs</li> <li>• Some require breathing equipment</li> <li>• Choose the right product for populated areas e.g. schools</li> </ul>
Built Up Roofing		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cost driven projects</li> <li>• Cold and warm roofs</li> <li>• Occasional foot traffic (e.g PVs)</li> <li>• Green roofs if FLL certified</li> <li>• Some UK made</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Not attractive, limited colours/finishes</li> <li>• Complex details can be messy</li> <li>• Can require hot works on site.</li> </ul>

This table is intended as a simple guide. Always take professional advice when specifying waterproofing.

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