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Visqueen Radon Sump

Features and benefits

- Complete protection provides a cost effective pathway where sub floor depressurisation is required
- Lightweight easy to handle
- Simple design multiple outlets and quick to install

Product description

Visqueen Radon Sump is a pre-fabricated PVC roto-moulded unit consisting of four equidistant outlets. The system requires 110mm pipework to be connected with the pipework joints been fully sealed.

The sump is 460mm diameter with 110mm size outlets.

Approvals and standards

- Quality Management System ISO 9001
- Occupational Health and Safety System ISO 18001:2007
- Environmental Management System ISO 14001:2015

Usage

The Visqueen Radon Sump is required when full radon protection has been identified. The Visqueen Radon Sump can be used in a solid slab applications and a ventilated sub floor void applications. Depending on the permeability of the soil type the radon sump can draw the harmful radon gas from a radius distance of between 9m to 15m or one unit per dwelling. In solid slab applications place the Visqueen Radon Sump directly beneath the radon membrane.

System components

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Storage and handling

Store in warm, dry and clean environment in its current packaging. The sump should not be exposed to long periods of ultraviolet light.

Preparation

Excavate a pit for the sump, for maximum depressurisation ensuring that any fill used beneath the slab does not contain excessive fines.

Installation

Position the sump in the base of the excavated pit and ensure the sump is level. Connect a 110mm diameter PVC-U pipe to one outlet of the sump. Extend the pipe horizontally so that it passes through the external wall. Ensure that all joints and couplings are airtight. Backfill using a clean permeable material without excessive fines. Terminate the pipe just above ground level and approximately 100mm from the face of the external wall. Cap off the pipe with a stopper. The pipe will then be ready to extend and form a vent when necessary. Provide an identification plate on the wall to indicate the presence of the Radon Pipe. Multiple sumps can the linked to a single110mm diameter PVC-U pipe, however do not overload the system by linking excessive sump units.

Usable temperature range

It is recommended that the radon system should not be used below 5°C

Additional information

In solid slab applications place the Visqueen Radon Sump directly beneath the radon membrane. Depressurisation within the sump can only be achieved by the installation of a mechanical fan system. For fan specification, seek specialist advice from a fan manufacture.





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Property	Value
Unit diameter	460mm
Outlet size	110mm
Open base area of sump (approx)	72,000mm ²

Health and safety information

Please refer to material safety data sheet.





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