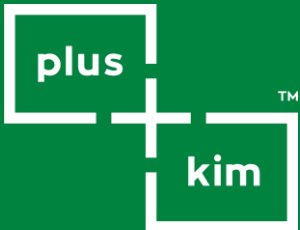


Open-Cell Spray Application Guide

PLUSOL-R-101-18



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Lightweight. Soundproof. Reliable.

PLUSOL-R-101-18 is a **two-component (A+B) open-cell spray polyurethane foam system**, designed for professional applicators who demand reliability and consistency. Formulated with carefully balanced **polyol** and **isocyanate** components, it ensures:

- **Strong adhesion** to a wide range of substrates (concrete, wood, metal, gypsum, etc.)
- **High acoustic insulation performance**, thanks to its open-cell structure and controlled diffusion values
- **Stable application characteristics**, with optimized rise and gel times for uniform spraying
- **Lightweight and flexible foam**, minimizing structural load while maximizing comfort

The system is suitable for **interior wall cavities, attics, ceilings, and partition walls**, providing a continuous insulation layer with **seamless coverage** and **long-term dimensional stability**.

1. Safety & Handling

- **Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):**
 - Full-face respirator or hood with appropriate filters
 - Protective coveralls
 - Chemical-resistant gloves
 - Goggles or face shield
- **Ventilation:**
 - Mechanical ventilation during spraying and for a minimum period after
 - Fresh air exhaust to exterior (e.g. 0.3 ACH or higher)
- **Safe handling of raw materials:**
 - Follow SDS for both A (isocyanate) and B (resin/blowing agent)
 - Avoid exposure to vapors, atomized mist
 - Containers must be kept closed when not in use
 - When changing between formulations, flush and clean lines thoroughly

2. Substrate Preparation

- Substrates must be **clean, dry, and free from dust, grease, and loose particles**
- **Moisture Content:** Maximum 12% (timber), no condensation, dew, or frost on surfaces
- **Concrete:** Ensure minimum 28 days cure, moisture <5%
- **Metal:** Degrease and remove rust; apply primer if required
- **Gypsum & Plasterboard:** Must be structurally sound and dry

3. Environmental Conditions

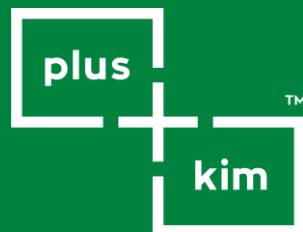
- **Ambient Temperature:** 5–30 °C
- **Substrate Temperature:** 5–40 °C
- **Relative Humidity:** <80% recommended
- **Cold Weather Guidance:**
 - Apply thinner lifts (25–50 mm per pass)
 - Allow cooling before next pass
 - Warm substrate with hot air blowers if needed
- **Hot Weather Guidance:**
 - Avoid direct sunlight during spraying
 - Ensure substrate temperature does not exceed 40 °C

4. Equipment Setup & Machine Settings

Parameter	Recommended Value
Mixing Ratio (Volume A:B)	100:100
Component Temperatures	40–45 °C
Hose Temperature	40–45 °C
Pressure	90–110 bar
Cream Time	3–5 sec
Tack-Free Time	6–8 sec
Applied Density	8.5–9 kg/m ³

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5. Application Procedures

- Spray Technique:**
 - Maintain consistent gun distance (40–60 cm)
 - Overlap passes by ~50% for uniform coverage
 - Avoid spraying directly into rising foam
- Lift Thickness:**
 - 25–50 mm per pass, allow cooling between lifts
 - Final thickness per design requirements (up to 300 mm)
- Detail Work:**
 - “Picture framing” around edges and joints before filling cavities
 - Pay attention to junctions, penetrations, and complex geometries
- Post-Application Protection:**
 - Protect foam from UV with coatings, paints, or claddings

6. Field Quality Control

- Foam Density Test:** Check cut samples (target 8.5–9 kg/m³)
- Adhesion Test:** Pull-off adhesion on representative areas
- Visual Inspection:** Uniform cell structure, no shrinkage or voids
- Thickness Measurement:** Caliper or probe checks on random spot
- Thermal Conductivity Check:** If required, test samples in lab

7. Storage & Shelf Life

- Store upright in original sealed containers
- Storage Temperature:** 15–25 °C
- Transport Temperature:** 10–25 °C
- Shelf Life:**
 - Component A (Polyol): 6 months
 - Component B (Isocyanate): 12 months
- Protect against moisture and direct sunlight

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8. Troubleshooting

Issue	Possible Cause	Corrective Action
Foam shrinkage	Off-ratio, low substrate temp	Adjust ratio/temperature
Brittle foam	Excess isocyanate	Balance ratio
Poor adhesion	Moist or dirty substrate	Clean and dry surface
Irregular cells	Wrong pressure/temperature	Optimize equipment
Scorching / discoloration	Too thick lift	Apply thinner passes

9. Disclaimer

The information in this Application Guide is based on laboratory and field data. Application conditions may vary and are beyond the manufacturer's control. Applicators must ensure suitability for each specific project.

10. Technical Assistance

For additional technical assistance ;


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