

Cellrod Method Statement (Closed cell polyethylene backing rod)

Section A : General Comments

Equipment

It is suggested that the following list of equipment is adopted as a minimum requirement:

<i>Personal protection</i>	:	<i>Protective overalls</i> <i>Gloves and goggles</i>
<i>Equipment</i>	:	<i>Pressure roller</i> <i>Cutter blade</i>

Section B : Application

1.0 Surface Preparation

- 1.1 The substrate should be dry, clean and free from laitance or any other contaminations.
- 1.2 The diameter of the Cellrod should be 25% larger than the width of the joint.

2.0 Application

- 2.1 Unroll the Cellrod and push it into the joint using a pressure roller.
- 2.2 Ensure that the Cellrod is placed tightly in the joint and will not move during the application and tooling of the sealant.
- 2.3 The depth of the joint is determined using the Cellrod. After the application confirm that the depth of the joint is in accordance with the design's specifications and requirements.

Section C : Approval and variations

This method statement is offered by DCP as a 'standard proposal' for the application of **Cellrod**. It remains the responsibility of the Engineer to determine the correct method for any given application. Where alternative methods are to be used, these must be submitted to DCP for approval, in writing, prior to commencement of any work. DCP will not accept responsibility or liability for variations to the above method statement under any other condition.

