

Marketing Bulletin- Building Insulation

JM Corbond MCS[™] closed-cell SPF Seasonal Formulations Frequently Asked Questions

Q: Why does JM offer closed-cell SPF in seasonal formulations?

A: JM has developed the standard and fast formulations in order to optimize installation and performance for our customer's during summer and winter application conditions.

Q: What is the difference between standard and fast formulations?

A: The formulations have different catalyst packages. The fast packages allow for installation in cold weather, while the standard packages optimize installation in warmer weather.

Q: Do the seasonal formulations have the same R-value?

A: Yes, both standard and fast formulations meet advertised thermal performance listed on the technical data sheet.

Q: Is there a price difference between seasonal formulations?

A: No, seasonal formulations are offered at the same price to provide SPF contractors a consistent price for bidding purposes throughout the year.

Q: Do the seasonal formulations have the same yield?

A: Yes, seasonal formulations are designed to have the same coverage per pound within the prescribed temperature ranges. Substrate conditions and application can impact yield of both formulations; installers must adjust temperature settings depending on the conditions.

Q: Do seasonal formulations require different temperature settings?

A: Yes, seasonal formulations have similar initial processing parameters, however to maximize efficiency, settings must be adjusted according to environmental conditions, equipment, and material formulation.

Q: How do I know when JM will be transitioning from one formulation to the other?

A: Transition dates are typically in March and October, depending on regional weather forecasts. Please contact your Sales Representative for current season transition information.

Q: Can I spray the fast formulations in the summer:

A: Yes, fast formulations can be sprayed in the summer without impacting performance or yield as long as the proportioner temperatures are adjusted. Please contact your Field Technical Services Professional for guidance.

Q: Can I spray the standard formulations in the winter:

A: Yes, if the temperatures are above 45°F, standard formulations can be sprayed in the winter without impacting performance or yield. Please contact your Field Technical Services Professional for guidance.

Q: Is the foam the same color?

A: Yes, both standard and fast formulations are Lavender[®].

Q: Where can I find more information regarding JM Corbond SPF seasonal formulations?

A: For additional information, contact your Sales Representative, Account Manager, Product Manager or our Technical Services team (1-800-654-3103).