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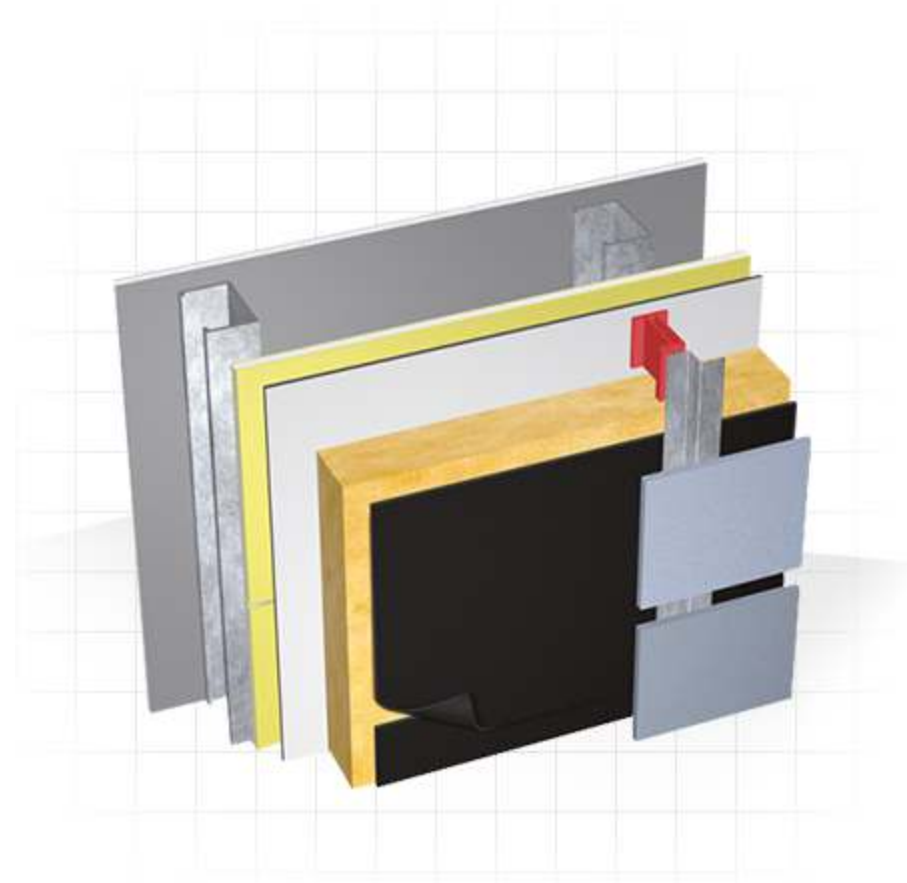
In August, sustained heat, high humidity, and intense summer rain events increase moisture load and drying demands across building assemblies. Open-joint cladding systems add another challenge, exposing the wall assembly to direct sunlight and UV radiation while still requiring reliable water protection behind the façade.

That’s why this month we’re spotlighting DELTA®-FASSADE, a weather-resistive barrier engineered for open-joint cladding applications. Designed to withstand UV exposure while blocking exterior moisture, it helps maintain durable wall performance even in demanding summer conditions.

We’d love to hear about what you’re working on. If you’re looking for a partner to help protect your latest project, [let’s connect!](#)

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Product Spotlight:

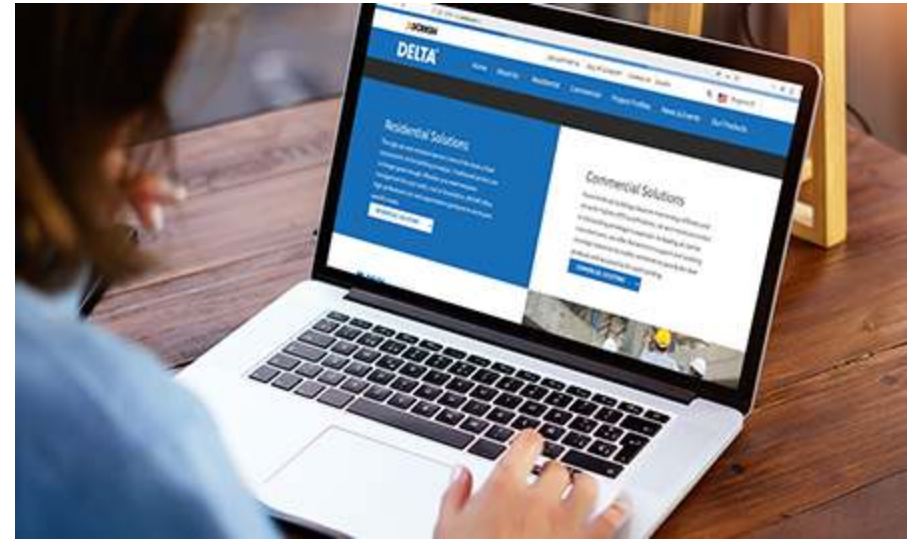
Product Spotlight: DELTA®-FASSADE S

Your open-joint cladding deserves proven protection. And, not just from the elements, but to provide the long-term performance and peace of mind that architects and builders need.

It's why DELTA®-FASSADE S is engineered and upgraded to protect structures from UV rays, changing temperatures, wind-driven rain, and much more. Here's why it works:

- Allows for 50% open-joint exposure with open joints up to 2" (50 mm) wide, giving architects and designers more creative freedom without compromising durability
- Matte black finish – virtually invisible behind slats or panels for a seamless aesthetic
- Tested for long-term durability with proven UV-stable and weather-resistant performance

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As you know, the Construction Documents (CD) phase is your last opportunity to lock in the building envelope performance the project demands. By the time tenders go out, specifications are set, and changing them in the future can be costly or impractical. To ensure smooth integration into your documents:

- Include key performance specifications, such as air and water resistance, permeability, and fire ratings.
- Use Division 07 CSI codes for Thermal and Moisture Protection.
- Reference our listings in BSD SpecLink, making it easy to access pre-vetted language and streamline your documentation.

And don't forget: when finalizing your CD package, be sure to include DELTA®-VENT SA, a high-performance, fully adhered air- and water-resistive barrier. DELTA®-VENT SA is now manufactured using thermal polyurethane liquid (TPU). This change provides increased UV protection and long allowable exposure times, reducing the risk of damage before a building's exterior cladding is installed. Specifically, this WRB allows for an exposure time of up to a year throughout most of North America. Want to learn more.

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Last year, we announced key upgrades to our most trusted air and moisture barriers — including **DELTA[®]-VENT SA** — giving crews more flexibility, better durability, and longer UV protection than ever before.

Haven't seen what changed? Read our quick recap of how these durability improvements help wall systems perform through real-world delays, tough weather, and modern specs.

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