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RE: Products requiring SLU's

Dear Wally,

In response to your request, MAPEI is pleased to provide recommendations for the use of SLU (Self-Leveling Underlayment) over the nVent Nuheat Membrane. MAPEI will recommend the use any of our self-leveling underlayments over the nVent Nuheat Membrane at a minimum thickness of 1/4" (6 mm) above the highest point of the membrane. This is commonly done when installing alternate floor coverings (engineered wood, sheet vinyl, luxury vinyl tile, luxury vinyl plank, laminate).

1. Apply any MAPEI SLU over nVent Nuheat Membrane at a minimum thickness of 1/4" (6 mm) above the highest point of the membrane.
2. Use of a primer is not necessary.
3. Allow the SLU to cure before installation of finished floor.
4. Install floor covering using an appropriate adhesive according to its TDS (Technical Data Sheet).
5. Wait at least 72 hours after the flooring installation before reactivating the heating cable

Please follow all manufacturers' recommended installation procedures and industry standards to ensure a successful installation. MAPEI technical data sheets, material safety data sheets and surface preparation bulletins are available on our website www.mapei.com/US-EN.

Thank you for choosing MAPEI products. Feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

Regards,

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