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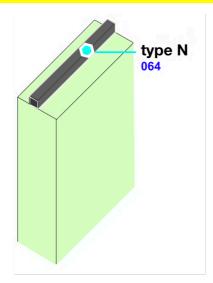
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Variant with bands type N

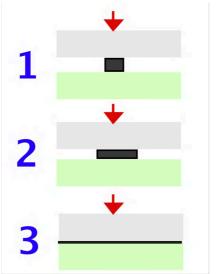
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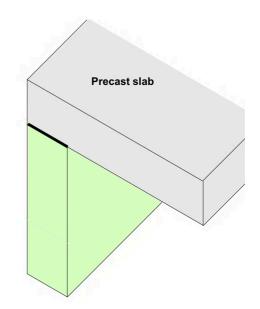


The main performance of **BFL-Mastix waterstops type N** is their plasto-elasticity (softness).

In the case of a precast slab placed on a wall, the BFL-Mastix waterstops **type N** will be squeezed and fill the whole space between both elements.

Watertightness is then assured.





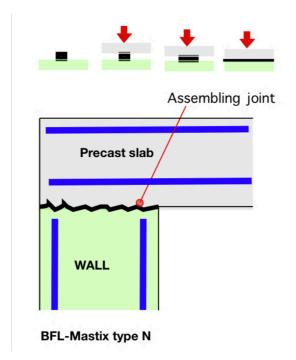
In winter, at temperatures below  $0^{\circ}$ C, a propane gas burner can help to bring some heat in order to accelerate the squeezing of the bands **type N**.

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Waterstops BFL-Mastix type N



#### **Assembling joints**

A separation joint between two hard concrete elements.

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This is a passage where water can circulate.

#### Choosing a profile type N

Consult the Mastix catalogue over www.mastix.ch page 62

The joint surface is to be counted in mm<sup>2</sup>. Example of a wall joint of 20 cm width and a medium roughness of 2 mm between the contact surfaces gives a joint surface of 2 x 200 = 400 mm<sup>2</sup>. The band profile BFL-Mastix type N 20/20 is convenient for this example.

#### Placing of waterstops type N

- 1.- Clean the contact surfaces
- 2.- Place the bands type N in the centre line.

  To keep them in position, a propane gas burner can be used to introduce a gluing point every meter. It is also possible to introduce a pluing point with Mosti

also possible to introduce a gluing point with Mastix MS-Polymer every meter.

It is not necessary to connect the bands, because

they are put under pressure and squeezed together.

3.- Control.

#### 1. Description of waterstop type N

The BFL-Mastix waterstops type N are composed of a non-gravel coated core.

The core consists of a watertight material based on a bituminous elastomer-rubber mixture.

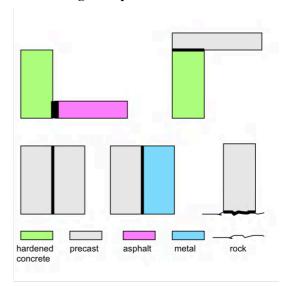
#### 2. Waterproofing of element connections

Waterproofing of assembling joints is achieved with waterstops type  $N_{\cdot}$ 

A waterproof connection between different materials with bands type N is possible.

The softness of waterstops BFL-Mastix type N (plastoelastic) allows to adapt the bands to all deformations in the joint.

#### 3. Assembling examples



The Mastix system is simple to work with and naturally compatible with concrete and concrete structures
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