

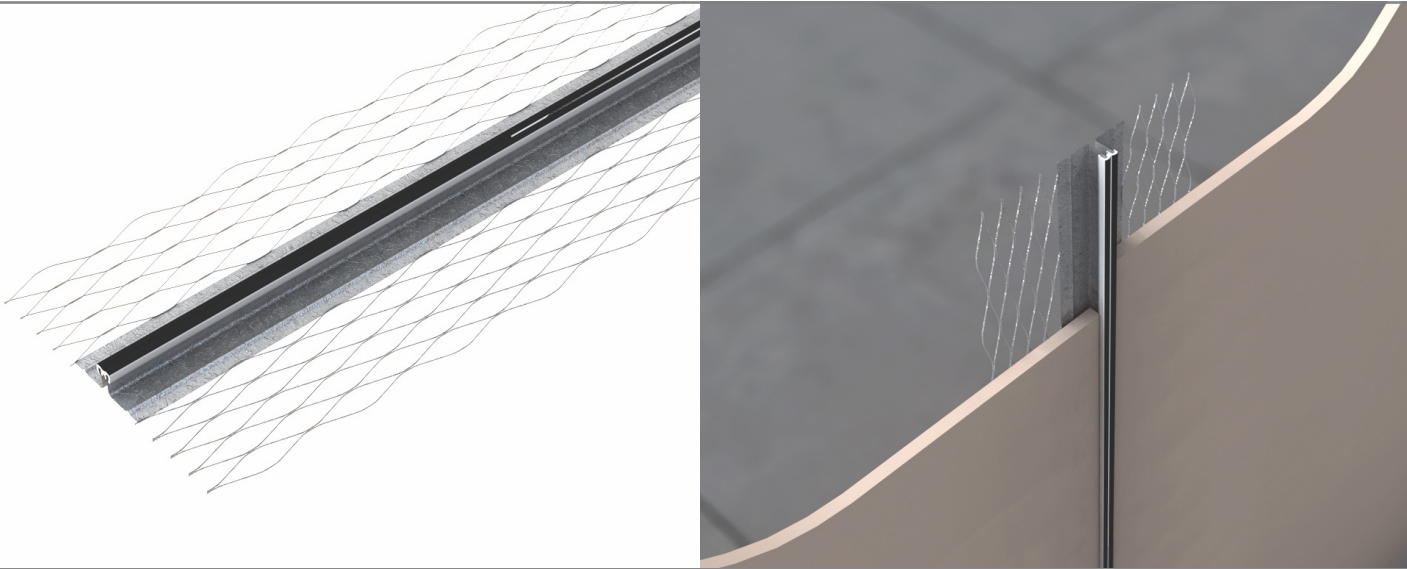
SSMB Stainless Steel Movement Bead

Data sheet

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External Beads

The following beads are generally for use with external renders or areas where there is high moisture / humidity or where applying a polymer modified or sand / cement finish. The mesh wings provide an excellent mortar key and the solid edges create true straight arrises, corners and finishes to render runs. Fixing is generally by mortar dabs or stainless steel nails or staples. Galvanised fixings should not be used to avoid bi-metallic reactions which cause rust spots.



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A bead used to form movement joints in render where long wall runs either have movement joints in situ or where there is a need to allow for differential or thermal movement. The bead consists of two plaster stop lengths joined by a white pvc extrusion which allows for +3/-1mm of movement and is covered by a vinyl tape which is removed after rendering. The 108mm overall mesh wing allows for a good render key and resistance to cracking. Fixed by mortar dabs, grab adhesive or stainless nails/screws with washer at maximum 600mm centres. External use only. Beads can be cut to size as required using tin-snips and/or a hacksaw. The large diamond of the expanded metal wings provide a suitable key to prevent cracking.

Standard: BS EN13658-2:2005
Material: Stainless steel grade 1.4016
Material gauge: 0.4mm
Reaction to fire: Class E

Code	Size	Per Box	Weight
SS10MB30	3.0m x 10mm	10 lengths	11kgs
SS13MB30	3.0m x 13mm	10 lengths	12kgs
SS16MB30	3.0m x 16mm	10 lengths	13kgs
SS19MB30	3.0m x 19mm	10 lengths	14kgs

Goods to be stored and transported laying down and in dry conditions.
Please dispose or recycle in accordance with waste management regulations.

COSHH & Health & Safety.

Contains no substances hazardous to health. The comparative rough surface finish and sharp edges of expanded metal requires care when handling manually, to avoid risk of cuts and abrasions gloves should be worn.