



# Jablite Ground Heave Protection (Vertical)

## Specification Guide

### 1) Choose application type

Selection of the appropriate product type is according to its intended use.



S (Slab)

B (Beam)

IS (Insulated Slab)

### 2) Choose the right grade for concrete thickness

The appropriate product grade is selected according to the maximum thickness of wet concrete that the product will be required to support during construction.

Concrete thickness (mm)	Product reference
100 – 220	<b>1</b>
221 – 300	<b>2</b>
301 – 340	<b>3</b>
341 – 460	<b>4</b>
461 – 660	<b>5</b>
661 – 900	<b>6</b>
901 – 1140	<b>7</b>

### 3) Choose product depth

The appropriate product depth is selected such that its specified deformation under fail-load is equal to, or greater than, the maximum anticipated ground movement owing to clay heave as established from site investigations.

Soil Plasticity Index PI (%)	NHBC Shrinkage Category	Predicted ground movement (mm)	JGHP – Slab Depth	JGHP – Beam Depth	Product reference
10 - 20	Low	50	90	85	<b>L</b>
20 - 40	Medium	100	160	155	<b>M</b>
40 - 60	High	150	225	220	<b>H</b>

### Examples of your specification or product order for Jablite Ground Heave Protection:

#### Design Example 1: Slab

**Order/Specification: S 1 M** is arrived at by the following steps:

Table 1) S	=	Slab
Table 2) 1	=	Concrete depth between 100- 220mm
Table 3) M	=	NHBC shrinkage category – product depth

#### Design Example 2: Beam

**Order/Specification: B 5 H** is arrived at by the following steps:

Table 1) B	=	Beam*
Table 2) 5	=	Concrete depth between 461- 660mm
Table 3) H	=	NHBC shrinkage category – product depth

\* Beam sizes include 300,450 and 600mm as standard, alternatives available on request.

#### Design example 3: Insulated slab

**Order/Specification: IS 2 L + 150mm HP insulation.** This is arrived at by the following steps:

Table1)	IS	=	Insulated Slab
Table2)	2	=	Concrete depth between 221-300mm
Table3)	L	=	NHBC shrinkage category

150mm HP insulation\* = Required depth of insulation to achieve the specified U-value 0.16 on a P/a ratio of 0.7

\* For guidance on thermal performance, please refer to page 2 of the Technical Data Sheet