EARTHWOOL® CEILING BATT INSULATION

*For guidance on installations in Australia use AS3999
and for New Zealand use NZS 4246 including amendments*

Do not start work until the site is safe!
Assess the ceiling structure and the method of installation you are to use based on the appropriate requirements established in the building code, site assessment and or plans provided. Installation must be completed to the requirements of relevant standard: AS3999:1992 or NZS4246:2006.

STEP 1
• Ensure you have the right product for the application. Check the thermal resistance rating (R-Value) required on drawings/plans and that this matches the product selected. Check the joist width to determine the correct insulation batt width (e.g. 430mm or 580mm).
• Start from the furthest point ensuring the top plate is covered and work back towards the access hatch of the ceiling.
• When installing, energise each batt by giving it a light shake and gently bouncing it on its side, ensuring the product expands to the thickness specified on the label.

STEP 2
EarthWool® may be trimmed to appropriate sizes if required. Place insulation in accordance with AS 3999:1992 / NZS 4246:2006, ensuring appropriate clearances from recessed lights, extractor fans, chimney elements and piping as appropriate. Where possible, place insulation *under* electrical cables. Refer to relevant standard for guidance.

STEP 3
Use any off-cuts to fill voids.

STEP 4
Always make sure joins have good friction fits, with a uniform finished height of insulation. Refer relevant standard for reaching tight locations using assistance such as installing poles or other methods.

STEP 5
Once you have completed your installation, including the lid of the hatch and or any recesses/internal walls, fix the label of the EarthWool® outer wrapper – showing the product details and thermal resistance rating – where it can be easily seen from the hatch for customer verification and retained for certification.

It is recommended that once completed another team member checks the work to ensure it has been installed according to required standards.