

CMI TILEGRIP 185



DESCRIPTION

CMI TileGrip 185 is an environmental friendly polymer modified flexible cement-based tile adhesive for fixing ceramic glazed tiles, homogenous vitrified tiles and stones for both floors and walls for internal and external applications. It is available in Thin Medium (TM) for bed thickness below 6mm and Medium Thick (MT) grade for bed thickness above 6mm. It is classified as C2TE in accordance to EN12004.

USES

Fixing of ceramic tiles, glass mosaic, stones onto concrete slab, screed / render, RC walls, blockwall. For other areas not specified, please consult CMI Technical Representatives for more information.

TECHNICAL DATA

Appearance : Grey / White Powder

Bond Strength @ 28 days : ≥ 1.0 N/mm²
Open Time @ 25°C : 30 minutes

 Wet Density
 : 1400 - 1450 kg/m³

 Dry Density
 : 1250 - 1300 kg/m³

 Pot Life @ 30°C
 : Approx. 1-1.5 hours

Mixing Ratio : Approx. 24% on dry material

SURFACE PREPARATION

All surfaces must be sound, clean and free from dirt, dust, grease and other contaminants which will inhibit proper bonding. Damp the substrate for dry, heated or high absorbing substrates prior to application of CMI TileGrip 185.

MIXING

Add 25kg bag of CMI TileGrip 185 to approximately 6.0 - 6.5 litres of clean water (Do not add cement into the mixture). Mix thoroughly for 3-5 minutes using mechanical mixer until the homogenous paste is achieved and lump-free. Allow mixture to stand for 5 minutes and re-stir before use. Re-mix if the mixture is left unattended for more than 30 minutes.

APPLICATION

- Soaking of tiles in water is unnecessary. However, if the backs are dusty, they should be wiped with clean damp cloth.
- Spread the adhesive onto substrate using notched trowel not more than 1 sq m at a time or at arm's length. The suitability of notched trowels depends on size of tiles.
- · Press tiles firmly into position immediately with a twisting action.
- The open time in normal temperature and humidity is 30 minutes.
 However in unfavorable weather conditions e.g. strong sun, windy, high temperature, or highly absorbent substrates may shorten the open time to just few minutes. Touch adhesive ribs periodically and if a skin has formed, re-trowel the adhesive to break the skin.
- Lift tiles occasionally to check that adequate contact between tile & adhesive bed is maintained and that there are no hollows areas.
- . Leave minimum joints of 2mm for wall tiling & 3mm for floor tiling.
- Remove surplus adhesive from tile surface & joints with a damp cloth.
- · Allow 24 hours drying time before grouting.

COVERAGE

Approx. $2.5 - 3.0 \text{ kg/m}^2$ at 3 mm bed thickness Approx. $5.0 - 6.0 \text{ kg/m}^2$ at 6 mm bed thickness Approx. $10.0 - 11.0 \text{ kg/m}^2$ at 10 mm bed thickness

PACKAGING

Available in 25 kg bag

SHELF LIFE & STORAGE

Six (6) months when stored in cool and dry condition in its original packing.



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