



Sovereign Super Gripmaster Acrylic Wall Tile Adhesive

An emulsion polymer based adhesive designed for the tiling professional.



Product Code

7 kg: **30806596**

16 kg: **30806597**

Description

Sovereign Super Gripmaster Acrylic Wall Tile Adhesive is a high viscosity, acrylic emulsion polymer based adhesive. Offering high initial grab, ease of application and excellent non-slip properties.

Form Supplied: High viscosity paste

Pack Size: 7 kg & 16 kg

Colour Range: Buff

Contains: A blend of styrene acrylic polymer, selected fillers and rheology control agents

Properties

Super Gripmaster can be used to fix porous bodied ceramic wall tiles and mosaics to many flat, sound interior surfaces, e.g. plaster, plasterboard, and cement render etc.

This adhesive can also be used to fix polystyrene tiles and plaster mouldings.

Sovereign Super Gripmaster conforms to BS EN 12004 Type D Class 1TE.

Limitations

Sovereign Super Gripmaster is for thin bed fixing only, the maximum bed depth must not exceed 3mm. Tile size must not exceed 0.75m² (250x300); Use a Sovereign cement based adhesive such as Porcel-Fex for such tiles. Do not use the adhesive to make up differences in the wall and under no circumstances use the "dot and dab" method of fixing. Emulsion paint is not a suitable background for tiling. Not for exterior use, or in areas subject to prolonged dampness. Do not use on floors or as a grouting medium. Sovereign Super Gripmaster conforms to BS EN 12004 Type D Class 1TE.



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PREPARATION/USAGE

When fixing to timber, in power showers, communal areas or using low porosity tiles (e.g. porcelain, glass and natural stone) then Sovereign Goldstar – a white, flexible and waterproof adhesive, is recommended. Very large format tiles should be fixed with Sovereign Porcel-Flex Adhesive.

All surfaces must be sound, smooth and free from contamination and sufficiently true to allow thin bed fixing. New plaster/render should be at least 4 weeks old. Polished plaster should be thoroughly brushed with a stiff brush and primed with Sovereign PVA diluted 1:4.

Check for plaster scum and clean down as required. Most surfaces do not require priming; if in doubt contact Sovereign support. Plasterboard must be rigidly fixed.

APPLICATION

Working in areas of no greater than 2 – 3 m² apply a thin bed of adhesive to 3 mm depth and comb through with a 6 mm notched trowel or smaller.

Fix tiles with a twisting action within 20 minutes of adhesive application. Remove a tile occasionally to ensure that a minimum of 75% contact is achieved which increases to full contact for larger tiles and in damp areas. Remove adhesive from the face of tiles immediately with a damp cloth.

Movement joints must be installed in accordance with BS 5385.

GROUTING

Allow a minimum of 24 hours before grouting when fixing to porous and un-primed surfaces. Primed, low porosity surfaces/tiles and large format tiles greatly extend the drying time of ready mixed adhesives, as do low temperatures and high humidity. Only grout once the tiles have become well bonded to the background, using Sovereign Wall Grout, available in White, Ivory and Limestone.

GROUTING CONTINUED

Special attention must be paid whenever finished tiling is likely to come into frequent contact with water e.g. non- domestic tile installations, as some backgrounds are not a suitable base for tiling e.g. plaster, plasterboard and timber, as these are moisture sensitive. If this is the case then waterproof the background using Sovereign Watertite and fix tiles using Sovereign Porcel-Flex, a cementitious, flexible and waterproof adhesive.

CLEAN UP

Clean tool immediately after use with water.

COVERAGE

Approximately 2 kg per m².

Storage: Between 5°C – 30°C.

Shelf Life: 12 months unopened.

HEALTH AND SAFETY

- ! Avoid skin and eye contact.
- ! Handle only when wearing protective clothing.
- ! Wash splashes from skin with soap and water, flush eyes with copious amounts of water and seek medical attention if irritation persists.



**Health & safety information
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