



FOR INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL USE



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TILEGLUE 4.0

TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

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RETTER COVERAGE







HIGHLY POLYMER MODIFIED, HIGH
STRENGTH SINGLE COMPONENT
CEMENTITIOUS ADHESIVE WITH
EXTENDED OPEN TIME AND NO VERTICAL
SLIP FOR THE INSTALLATION OF CERAMIC,
VITRIFIED & FULLY VITRIFIED TILES, GLASS
MOSAIC, PORCELAIN, PRECAST TERRAZZO,
NATURAL STONE AND ENGINEERED
STONES IN THE INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR
FLOOR & WALL APPLICATIONS WITH A
MAXIMUM BED THICKNESS OF 12MM





FEATURES AND BENEFITS

- 1. High strength, Polymer modified
- 2. Suitable for Interior and exterior floor and wall applications
- Suitable for wet area applications like swimming pools, washrooms, water bodies and sauna
- 4. Bonds to various substrates
- 5. Water and shock resistance
- 6. Ready to use, consistent quality. Just mix with specified water ratio
- Self-curing No curing required, enriched with water retention technology
- 8. Simple and mason friendly material
- 9. Anti-Slip properties for vertical applications
- 10. Easy mixing, smooth application and better workability & its properties



INSTALLATION TYPES

Substrates

- 1. MIVAN/Shear Walls
- 2. Trimix concrete and VDF concrete
- 3. Concrete
- 4. Concrete Masonry
- 5. Cement Mortar Beds
- 6. Cement Plaster
- 7. Existing Ceramic*, Vitrified* tiles and Natural stones*
- 8. Cement Backer boards, Calcium Silicate Boards and Gypsum Wallboards
- 9. Swimming pools, Washrooms and any other wet areas
- 10. Water proofing membranes
- 11. Light weight blocks
- *The existing system should be roughed and cleaned before installation of tiles and stones



CERTIFICATION

- 1. EN 12004 C2TE
- 2. IS 15477:2019 Type 3T
- 3. ANSI 118.4 TE



INSTALLATION PROCEDURE

Apply a thin layer of **TILEGLUE 4.0** adhesive to the substrate using the straight edge of the trowel. Place the material over the applied thin layer and comb the adhesive with notch side of the trowel. Spread as much adhesive as can be covered with tile in 15 minutes. If the tile/stone size is 2**2', back buttering is mandatory to provide full bedding and firm support. It is recommended to use the proper sized notch trowel to ensure the full bedding of the tile/

stone. Place the tile over the applied wet and sticky adhesive and beat it using rubber hammer or mallet to install it under a firm pressure to ensure a good coverage of the adhesive. Periodically, check the adhesive transfer on the back side of the tile by removing the tile. If the adhesive is dried/not sticky (skinned over), remove and replace with fresh material. It is recommended to provide a minimum of 3mm grout joint around the tiles while fixing the tiles.

Coverage

Approximately 55-60 sft per 20kg bag with 6mm*6mm square notched trowel.

*Coverage will depend on the trowel notch size, evenness and smoothness of the substrate, type and size of tile and weather conditions.



Surface Preparation: All the surfaces should be clean, dry, free from dust, oil, grease, loose bonded particles, peeling paints, concrete sealers and structurally sound The surface should be true to the plumb. Uneven or rough surfaces should be made even and smooth with FC PLASTWELL/FC READYSCREED to provide a better flat finish. Dampen the dry, dusty concrete/masonry and surfaces heated from exposure to sunlight with water, sweep off the excess water if any. Allow 28 days for walls and floor surfaces to cure prior to tiling. Existing tiles must be roughed and cleaned.



MIXING PROCEDURE

Mixing: Take 6-6.25L of clean, potable water per 20kg of TILEGLUE 4.0 adhesive into a clean mixing bowl. Add adhesive powder into the mixing bowl and mix the material by hand or with a slow speed mixer until a smooth, lump-free paste is obtained. Allow the adhesive to slake for 5 minutes. Adjust the consistency of the material accordingly if necessary, but make sure that the water used is within the recommended range. Remix the adhesive prior to the application and apply with the proper sized notch trowel. The paste should be kept away from direct sunlight and heat.



Product : **FC TILEGLUE 4.0**Color : Grey/White
Pack Size : 20 KG (Powder)

Application Data at 25±2°C & 60±5% RH

EN 12004 C2TE		
TEST PARAMETER	STANDARD REQUIREMENT	PRODUCT PERFORMANCE
Open Time (EN 1346)	≥0.50 N/mm²	0.90 - 1.00
Slip Resistance (EN 1308)	≤0.50 mm	0.20 - 0.30
Tensile Adhesion Strength in N/mm ²		
Air Curing EN 1348; CI 8.2	≥1.00 N/mm²	1.60 – 1.70
Water Curing EN 1348; CI 8.3	≥1.00 N/mm²	1.35 - 1.45
Heat Curing EN 1348; CI 8.4	≥1.00 N/mm²	1.25 - 1.35
Freeze-thaw EN 1348; CI 8.5	≥1.00 N/mm²	1.40 – 1.60
IS 15477:2019 - Type 3/T		
Tensile Adhesion Strength in N/mm ²		
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Dry Condition	≥1.50 N/mm²	1.60 - 1.70
Wet Condition	≥1.00 N/mm²	1.35 – 1.45
Shear Adhesion Strength in N/mm ²		
Dry Condition	≥1.50 N/mm²	1.70 – 1.80
Heat Ageing Condition	≥1.00 N/mm²	1.20 - 1.30
Wet Condition	≥1.00 N/mm²	1.25 - 1.35
Slip Resistance		
Slip Resistance Annex E (Clause 5.5)	≤0.50 mm	0.20 - 0.30

^{*}Open time may vary depending up on the site and atmospheric conditions



PRECAUTIONS

GROUTING

Although **FC TILEGLUE 4.0** is non-hazardous material, the precautions should be taken:

- It is recommended to use the N95 nose mask, gloves and googles while handling the material
- Keep out of reach of the children
- In case of contact with eyes, rinse eyes with plenty of water and consult a doctor immediately

For further and complete information about the safe use of our product please refer to the latest latest version of our material safety data sheet. Grouting can be done after 24 hours of installation for best results.



CLEANING

The tools and containers should be cleaned with plenty of water while the adhesive is still fresh. The surfaces should be cleaned with a damp cloth before the adhesive dries.



SHELF LIFE



LIMITATIONS

- For laying tiles on floor, surface should be structurally sound (28 days curing) & good condition
- Always add powder to water & never add water to powder
- Do not add excess water than recommended
- Never add sand & cement to the mix at site
- Not recommended for Tile-on-Tile application
- Strictly not recommended for tiling on metal, wood, paint and gypsum plaster
- Do not use for vertical cladding of heavy stone & tiles

12 months from the date of manufacturing in the original unopened manufacturer's packaging.



STORAGE

Store in dry place away from the moisture



CUSTOMER CARE

For any suggestion or concerns, please mail to reachus@firstchoicereadymix.in.

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- TELANGANA HYDERABAD WEST BENGAL KOLKATA, BARDHAMAN, JALPAIGURI

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