



Polymer 220

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

A non-flammable high strength, high tack latex-based adhesive for direct-stick or double-stick installation of carpet & carpet tiles.

USES

For direct-stick of carpet of all types (except foam-back where adhesion is too aggressive) to concrete or timber floors, and for double bonding of carpet to underlay in double-stick systems. Also for bonding homogenous vinyl tiles. Excellent initial tack development while allowing easy positioning of carpet or tiles.

PREPARATION

Underlay seams should be prepared in accordance with trade practice prior to application of Polymer 220. Carpet seams should be sealed with latex.

Concrete, direct stick

Concrete must be free of dirt, dust, grease, oil, paint, etc. Check to ascertain if curing, water-proofing or parting agents have been used which could impair drying or adhesion.

Adhesive must not be used where water pressure or excessive water by capillary action is present, i.e. check whether a damp proof membrane is included in the sub-floor construction and with new concrete, whether adequate drying time has elapsed. In all cases, moisture testing of slabs is highly recommended.

Timber, direct stick

Timber floors must be dry and free of dirt, dust, grease, oil, paint etc. Care must be taken that floor sanders have not used solvents excessively in sweeping off. Floors must be well ventilated underneath. Priming with Polymer 6000 is recommended.

APPLICATION

Polymer 220 should be applied using a 2-3mm notched trowel, (Roberts switchblade #10-353 or 10-354 or similar for conventional direct sticking, or Roberts switchblade #10.366 or similar for double sticking).

Carpet should be laid into wet adhesive. Working period should be between 15 and 30 minutes dependent upon ambient conditions.

TECHNICAL DATA

Type: Synthetic latex based

Colour: Off white

Shelf Life: 12 months minimum

Open Time: Approx. 15 to 30 minutes

Coverage: Approx 3 to 4m² per litre

Storage: Store between 5°C and 25°C out of direct sunlight. **Must not freeze.**

Clean Up: Water while wet.

Pack Size: 20 litres

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