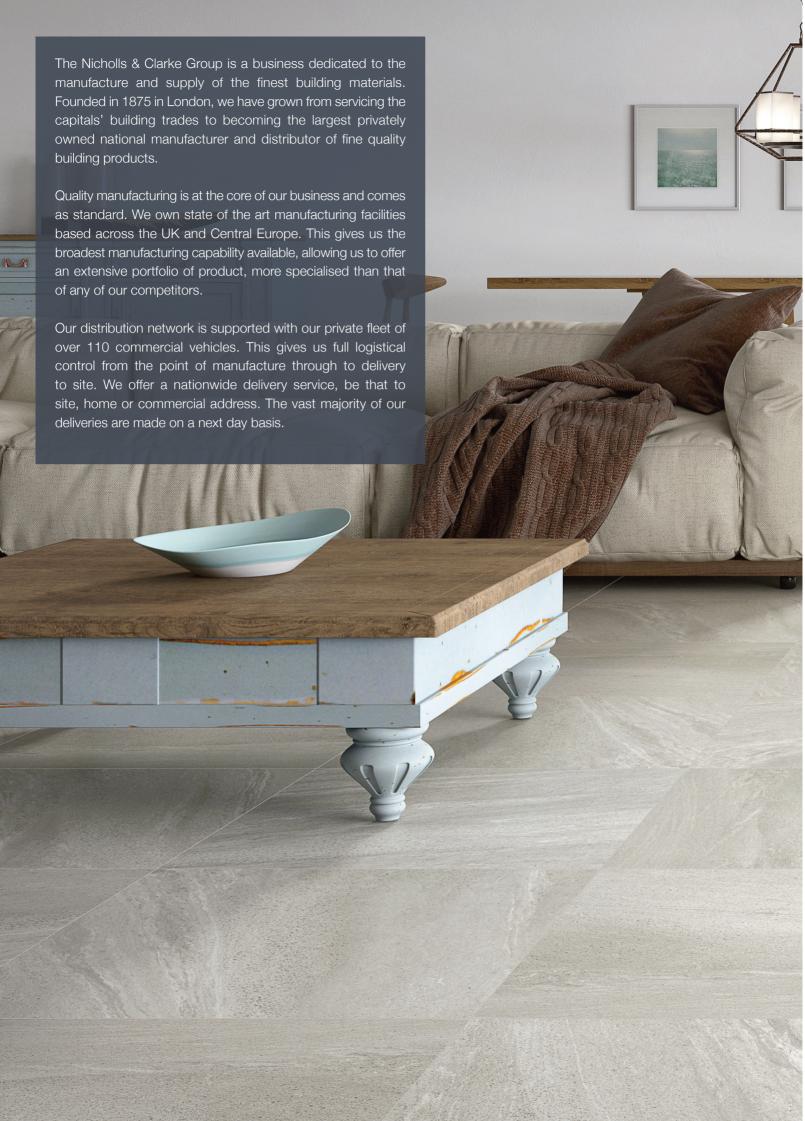


Tiling Products the directory

Nicobond



For your complete tiling needs

As leading, quality manufacturers and distributors of tiling products and systems within the tile industry, N&C Nicobond offer the complete tiling solution, with the ability to supply all the tools and materials required for tiling projects with varying requirements. With well over 55 years in the market, we have broad, unrivalled expertise and experience in providing solutions to help overcome different types of tiling problems, from day to day common issues, to the most challenging of installations where product performance and quality are vital.

N&C Nicobond have the ability to offer invaluable technical expertise and advice for our client for the ultimate in confidence, reliability and service.



Experience

Established in 1875, Nicholls & Clarke has pedigree that has been developed over many years. Through great heritage, we have gained a depth of knowledge and invaluable experience in the manufacturing and supplying of Nicobond products to the construction market. We have experience across many industries with a huge portfolio of products suited to all project environments.

Total Solution Providers

Part of the Nicholls & Clarke Group, we have the ability to offer the complete tiling package through a comprehensive range of quality products, so that you can benefit from dealing with one source, making it easier to co-ordinate project supplies. We don't just manufacture tile adhesive and screeding systems, see page 119 for details.

Inventors & Innovators

N&C Nicobond invented ready mixed tile adhesive in 1958 and continue to be at the forefront of innovation, embracing new technology within the industry and better defining our portfolio with products that perform, but where quality and functionality are at its peak. As inventors, we continue to engage in research and development and have spent more than 55 years developing innovative Nicobond products that solve the challenges faced in today's construction industry.

Technical Service

The N&C Nicobond technical team has well over 100 years of combined experience in the tile adhesive & screeding industry. We are able to offer a full technical specification service and are available to attend any site address throughout the U.K. A technical written specification is available on request.

Research & Development

The chemists in our highly equipped laboratories are constantly engaged in research and development. Investment in the latest laboratory equipment and testing facilities allow us to push forward with the development of the next new technology or raw material that will further enhance product performance or handling characteristics. Prior to going to market, we undergo rigorous testing of all our products to ensure that performance is to a high standard. All products are tested to meet the relevant standards and regulations.

24 Hour Nationwide Delivery

Nicholls & Clarke are unique in being able to offer nationwide, next day delivery, even when you order up to 5pm the day before¹ and there is no minimum order requirement. N&C Nicobond operates from 15 branches nationwide so can offer localised delivery, or with thousands of product lines in stock, you also have the option to collect.

Environment

As an ISO14001 company, sustainability is a core part of our company agenda. As well as various carbon offsetting programmes in place, we invest a great deal in manufacturing and developing solutions dedicated to reducing our carbon footprint, and in turn increasing our customers' green credentials.

Customer Care

We aim to provide you with an outstanding level of customer service that will help to further enhance the service you offer to your clients. We monitor our performance levels and strive to achieve 100% client satisfaction. We believe that open channels of communication with our customers, coupled with their feedback are a sure way of further impoving our customers buying experience.

British Manufacture

Our three state of the art U.K manufacturing facilities comply with ISO 9001 and ISO 14001, utilise the latest manufacturing technologies and apply stringent quality control checks during every part of the manufacturing process. Only the highest quality raw materials, product formulations and packaging materials are used, ensuring the finished product meets our exacting standards, far exceeding those of the latest European standards.

Product Features Key Water Water Water Flexible Resistant Friendly Resistant Chemical Swimming Stain Stain Stain 1 Hour Set 2 Hour Set 3 Hour Set Water Lock Chemical Chemical Resistant Resistant Resistant Commercial Pumpable Undertile Protein Resistant Material Areas Areas Screeds Preparation Heating Free

International

N&C Nicobond products are used in over 70 countries throughout the world in some of the most demanding commercial situations and climates imaginable. This worldwide experience has furthered the development of some of the latest technologies we now use in the U.K.

Training

We offer practical training courses at our 120,000 square foot head office facility. Our team of experts will demonstrate and give clients and customers the opportunity to get hands on with our range of products. For further information please contact our Head Office on 020 8586 4600 or email us at info@nichollsandclarke.com

Trade Associations & Technical Committees

N&C Nicobond has been heavily involved in the creation of British & European Standards for decades. We have chaired The Tile Association and their Wetroom Technical Committee. We continue to push for stringent policing of the industry which would stop manufacturers falsely claiming specific European standards on packaging. Our philosophy has always been to drive up quality and standards whilst remaining highly competitive.

Warranties

N&C Nicobond products are manufactured to such high and exacting standards enabling us to offer a life time warranty on all our adhesives, grouting compounds and screeds.

Product Quality

All Nicobond products are tried and tested prior to being introduced into the marketplace. All Nicobond adhesives and grouts achieve classifications that meet EN Standards for the optimum product confidence and quality.















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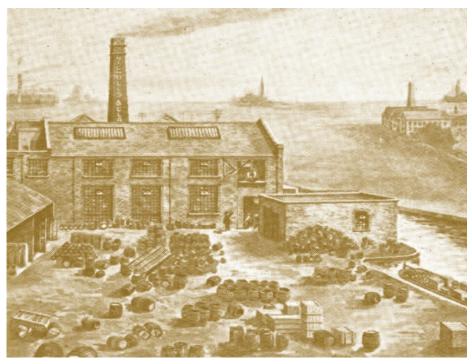
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Our history & heritage leading the way ahead...

Founded in 1875, Nicholls & Clarke have grown from strength to strength with over 135 years of experience and expertise in the manufacture and distribution of high quality building products. The journey saw huge developments into new areas of trade through diversifying and ongoing product development to meet the needs of different markets.





In the earliest days, it was the experimentation of raw materials for paint that formed an important part of the evolution of Nicobond Products.

The sensational discovery of emulsion paint was made through experimenting with Polyvinyl Acetate Emulsion, a raw material that was new to the paint trade by Mr A.E.G. Brown at our former Nicholls & Clarke Bow factory. The success of Nicoloid Emulsion Paint was staggering and changed the face of interior decorating for both the public and trade.

In an attempt to diversify and make use of the new polymer emulsion, Dr Eric Leigh, a former Chemist at our Bow Factory experimented with various paste formulations. In a moment of inspiration, one of these was used to fix a tile to a wall. It very quickly became



apparent that an exciting new product had been invented as attempts to remove the tile proved difficult. It had superb adhesion in excess of 300lbs p.s.i. compared to about 5lbs p.s.i for sand and cement. Samples were sent to tile

manufacturers which resulted in exciting reports and feedback, that led to the development of the first ready mixed tile adhesive paste.

The success was unprecedented and was to be a breakthrough in tile fixing, not only in the UK but internationally. The product was to be called Nicobond Tile Cement, today known as Nicobond Tile Adhesive. Tile fixing prior to the introduction of Nicobond Tile

Cement consisted of installations using either black solvent based adhesive or sand and cement mortar, which required highly skilled operators with only cement rendered surfaces used as a suitable base. Nicobond Tile Cement was pure white, easy to use and easy to clean off with water. Furthermore, it became apparent that tiling could be carried out directly to plaster, cement, and painted surfaces and even onto old tiles. This has radically changed the tile industry, as manufacturers we were able to reduce the thickness of tiles to produce modern tiles that we still see today. Pre-soaking of tiles before fixing also became a thing of the past.

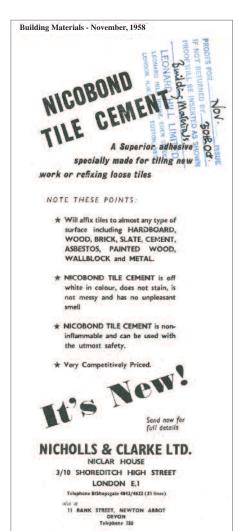
Nicobond became a success in a short space of time. Sales were being made throughout the UK, Europe and Worldwide. Nicobond were producing tile adhesive for other leading manufacturers still operating even today.





As time went on, it became evident that a separate organisation was needed to cope with the sales, marketing and specialist production of this new product. The new company, Nicobond (Products) was formed to look after the manufacturing, with distribution outlets opened in Cardiff in 1966, Stoke-on-Trent in 1968 and Glasgow in 1981 trading as Nicobond Western, Nicobond Midlands and Nicobond Scotland. Niclar exports was set up in 1972 to cater to the rapidly growing sales internationally.

Over the many years from the early period until present day, Nicholls & Clarke stay true to a philosophy engrained in the heart of the company to drive forward and adapt to changing trends in the market in order to stay relevant. This is achieved by understanding customers requirements and solving common problems.



In 2008, N&C introduced a revolutionary solution for fixing tiles and natural stone to timber floors, Nicobond Plastic Ply. The 2mm thick, self adhesive reinforcing sheet helped to prevent problems of damage to tiles and tile joints by avoiding the effects of timber shrinkage, warping and rotting. Plastic Ply eliminates the need to install thick sheets of marine grade plywood (min 15mm) or similar over-boarding products in order to achieve an attractive and sound tiled floor finish. Easy to use, install and store Nicobond Plastic Plv was a huge success from the outset. It has been stated that tilers that have transferred over to using Nicobond Plastic Ply have not reverted back to traditional methods. With year on year growth, the success of the product has been phenomenal, exceeding expectations.

In 2011, after identifying that the use of anhydrite/calcium sulphate screeds was increasingly being used in modern day contruction, Nicobond formulated Nicobond Gypfix, a new, innovative, rapid setting, white, gypsum based tile adhesive specially designed for fixing ceramic, porcelain and natural stone tiles directly onto Anhydrite/ Calcium Sulphate substrates.

This high strength adhesive, unlike any other in the marketplace, achieves high levels of bond strength on a par with traditional C2 category cement based adhesives. Priming is not required as there is no risk of Ettringite with this product. Nicobond Gypfix is highly successful and presents the specifier with a viable and practical alternative to cement based adhesive systems.



As well as providing quality solutions with the trade in mind, Nicobond produce innovative solutions to overcome consumer problems.

In 2012, Nicobond introduced Starlike, a new genre of extreme performance grout that had been developed to allow long term UV resistance and a lifetime performance guarantee. This new innovation was created using patented technology to achieve high stain, mould and acid resistance. Under adverse conditions of high humidity and wetting, such as kitchens, bathrooms and even swimming pools grout lines remain as fresh as when first applied. Nicobond Starlike has been rigorously tried and tested against other leading brands and has demonstrated that absolute white grout line can be achieved whilst other brands discolour over time.

Nicholls & Clarke's philosophy remains intact as new and innovative solutions are defined to overcome problems in day to day and specialist tiling installations by utilising over 100 years of combined technical expertise.

Nicobond Quality Assurance

All Nicobond adhesives and grouts have been tried and tested for quality assurance and meet the relevant EN Standards Classification to give you the ultimate confidence in our products. Our products are manufactured to such high and exacting standards enabling us to offer a life time warranty on all our adhesives, grouting compounds and screeds.

Guide to Adhesives And Grouts For Tiles European Standards EN 12002/12004/13888

EN12002 Classification for cement based adhesives with a degree of

flexibility or deformable characteristics categorised as

Type C class S.

Category Product Characteristics Deformable adhesive S2 Highly deformable adhesive

EN13888 General classification for cement based grouts Type C class G.

Reaction Resin Grouts Type R class G.

Category Product Characteristics CG1 Normal cementitious grout

CG2 Improved cementitious grout with additional characteristics

RG Reaction resin grout

FN12004 General classification for cement based adhesives categorised as

Type C.

Ready mixed or paste adhesives categorised as Dispersion

adhesives Type D.

Epoxy resin adhesives categorised as Reaction Resin

Adhesives Type R.

Category **Product Characteristics** Normal cementitious adhesive C1 C1 F Fast-setting cementitious adhesive

C1 T Normal cementitious adhesive with reduced slip C1 FT Fast-setting cementitious adhesive with reduced slip C2 Improved cementitious adhesive with additional characteristics

C2 E Cementitious adhesive with extended open time

C2 F Improved fast-setting cementitious adhesive with additional

characteristics

C2 T Improved cementitious adhesive with additional characteristics and reduced slip

C2 TE Improved cementitious adhesive with additional characteristics.

reduced slip and extended open time

C2 FT Improved fast-setting cementitious adhesive with additional characteristics and reduced slip

D1 Normal dispersion adhesive

D1 T Normal dispersion adhesive with reduced slip

D2 Improved dispersion adhesive with additional characteristics

D2 T Improved dispersion adhesive with additional characteristics

and reduced slip

D2 TE Improved dispersion adhesive with additional characteristics, reduced

slip and extended open time Normal reaction resin adhesive

R1 T Normal reaction resin adhesive with reduced slip

R2 Improved reaction resin adhesive with additional characteristics R2 T

Improved reaction resin adhesive with additional characteristics and

reduced slip



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CE Marking of Tile Adhesives

The CE mark is a fitness for purpose mark linked to the essential requirements listed within the above standard and in essence is a 'passport' which allows our tile adhesive products to be placed on the market in any EU member state.

With effect from July 2013 CE marking became mandatory for tile adhesives in the UK. In order to be CE marked, tile adhesives must comply with the essential requirements of the relevant Harmonised EN Standards set out under the Construction Products Regulation (CPR). The relevant performance targets and test requirements for CE marking are contained in the current European Standard: Annex Z of EN 12004.

Guide to Screed Material and Floor Screeds European Standard EN 13813

EN13813 floor Classification for Screed material and screeds

Screed Material - Properties and requirements.

Product Characteristics Category

Cementitious Screeds to EN 13892-2: 2002 CT

С Compressive Strength in N/mm² F Flexural Strength in N/mm²

Installation notes

For full technical information visit www.nichollsandclarke.com and ensure that the relevant data sheets have been read prior to undertaking the installation.

Drilling glass tiles

To drill holes in glass tile you must use a motorised (electric) hand drill - use Nicobond Diamond edged Electroplated Hole saws. Drilling must be performed with the Nicobond Water cooling system. If cooling is insufficient, the edges will crack or split at a later date. The larger the diameter of the hole, the lower the rom speed setting (e.g. 1800-2000 rpm for 0 10mm (0,4"), 800-1000 rpm for 0 25 mm(1"). Pre-drilling from the reverse (rear) side of the tile (approximately half way through) will prevent the splintering of the hole edge. Grind down properly all drilled edges. Do not apply excessive pressure while drilling - allow the diamond core drill to drill the hole! When drilling installed tiles it is possible to drill holes with a diameter of 6-25mm (0,24"-1 "}. The diameter of the hole drilled into a tile should be 2 mm (0,08") larger than diameter of the pipe or fitting.

Grinding and bevelling tile edges

After cutting and drilling tiles you must mechanically grind, smooth and bevel all cut edges (e.g. by electric hand drill with grinding wheel). Commence with 60grade silicone carbide sandpaper and for a smoother finish use 100-grade silicone carbide paper. Keeping the cut edge of the tile wet while sanding will provide the best results. If using an electric drill the recommended grinding speed is 2000-3000 rpm. Grinding should continue until a factory type finish is achieved. This results in reducing the visibility of grouting materials and also minimises the risk of the tile cracking.

Metallic decoration

A number of decorated tiles now have silver metallic or 18 carat gold fired onto the glaze, and being a soft precious metal will not withstand abrasion, therefore special care should be taken when grouting and cleaning these tiles.

Natural stone

Certain Natural Stones may be extremely porous; therefore the potential for efflorescence and general staining may be increased. This is a characteristic of these particular Natural Stones and therefore is not caused by the Nicobond adhesive and grout systems used. We recommend where pale coloured Natural Stones are used that a white adhesive is specified as well as being fixed using the solid bed fixing method. All Natural Stones should be sealed using the appropriate sealer(s) prior to grouting, following the manufacturers instructions.

We endeayour to ensure that any advice, recommendation or information given in this booklet is accurate and correct. However, we have no control over the circumstances in which our products or systems are used.

It is important that end users satisfy themselves that due deference is given to specifications and guidance as detailed in British Standards BS 5385 Parts 1-5. The code of practice for fixing wall and ftoor tiles. An assessment must be made for the need for and location of movement joints & insert in accordance with the appropriate part of BS 5385. Additional information relating to tile fixing to timber substrates can be found in The Tile Association 'Tiling to Timber Sheets and Board, Timber Substrates and Alternative Products.'

No responsibility can be accepted or any warranty given by ourselves, agents or distributors, other than that the products supplied by us will meet our written specifications. The end user should at all times ensure that he has consulted our latest product and safety information sheets. Setting times for adhesives and grouts are given as accurately as possible based on a temperature of 20°C and 50% relative humidity. Extremes of temperature and humidity will influence the figures stated. Setting times may be extended if Porcelain bodied tiles are used owing to their impervious nature, the use of additives in adhesives and grouts can also produce a similar effect.



Our Commercial Partners

We have worked in partnership with an extensive list of customers throughout the UK and worldwide on some of the most demanding projects imaginable. Our first projects were completed over 60 years ago, yet our products continue to perform today and will continue to do so for the life of the building or project. This pedigree has created ultimate confidence in the N&C Nicobond products.

Today we have N&C products specified by many recognised UK and international brands and are also working with many of the UK's premier contractors, who in turn work in partnership with these brands.



Waitrose











































































































































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A business dedicated to a sustainable future

The environment matters. N&C Nicobond are committed to a continuous programme of improvement in this important area of business. We have an environmental committee which meets regularly to access our performance and levels of progress. We train all our people to be environmentally aware in the workplace as we can all make a difference on a daily basis.



As manufacturers and distributors, Nicholls & Clarke has made a corporate commitment to improving its environmental performance through an Environmental Policy. This will provide the framework for all our work, whether it is in relation to energy efficiency, sustainable waste management or sustainable transport. A committee (Environmental Committee) will implement this policy by developing programmes of work that constitute an Environmental Management System.

The Environmental Committee will monitor the effectiveness of its policies and actions.

Together, we will promote the best use of environmental practice and more particularly Nicholls & Clarke will:-

- Continuously improve environmental performance
- Reduce consumption of resources
- Measure and take action to reduce the carbon footprint of business activities
- Ensure environmental criteria are taken into account in the procurement of goods and services
- Encourage staff involvement in environmental issues
- Expect similar environmental standards from all business partners
- Meet or exceed all environmental legislation that relates to the business

To meet these commitments Nicholls & Clarke will:-

- Set and monitor strategic objectives and targets for managing environmental performance
- Communicate internally and externally this commitment and environmental performance
- Work together with staff and business partners to promote improved environmental performance
- Review the environmental policy regularly

International Standards – Achieving ISO14001

With the growing demand for products to be sourced from more eco-friendly production, a high volume of carbon dioxide emissions have been considerably reduced, as a result of the new procedures in place to effectively tackle climate change and the negative effects on the environment, continually advocating the prudent use of natural resources. These processes have lead to the accreditation of ISO 14001, the international standard for environmental management systems (EMS). This achievement ensures that our customers are benefiting by proving the products are sourced from an ISO 14001 company.

"Through controlling our CO2 emissions, our customers benefit by sourcing their products from a responsible manufacturer. We have recognised the importance of the environment on future generations and proactively work towards reducing the environmental impact within our manufacturing processes.

Stephen Forbes, Deputy Chairman, Nicholls & Clarke.

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Carbon Footprint

Our manufacturing processes, buildings, delivery and travel policies are monitored continuously which has already reduced our carbon emissions.

Product Development

Our Chemists consider the impact a new product will have on the environment. We work hard to develop low impact formulations that still give the specifier, professional tiling or screeding contractor the performance and handling characteristics they require.



Logistics

We own and operate a private fleet of low carbon commercial vehicles. Our transport managers hold a 'Certificate of Professional Competence' and ensure that we use our fleet efficiently using efficient routing and maximising vehicle capacity.

Social Responsibility

We believe that a sustainable and responsible business will ultimately become a more successful one. We respect the local communities we operate in and work closely with them ensuring we minimise our impact on them. We support a national charity that works in the local communities to our branches providing disadvantaged children with vital equipment.

Raw Materials

The vast majority of our raw materials are sourced locally to our factory in Stoke-on-Trent. We evaluate each raw material supplier's credentials and ensure that we select low carbon partners.

Low Carbon Manufacturing

We continue to invest in the latest low carbon manufacturing equipment. We make use of grey water technology, solar panels & low energy lighting systems. All our products have low VOC's.

Energy Saving

Our aim is to keep our energy consumption to a minimum and to use the greenest sources wherever possible.

Packaging

Wherever possible we make use of packaging with a recycled content. Certain products like 'Ecoflex' use unbleached naturally coloured packaging.

Recycling

Pallets are repaired and reused internally to reduce our consumption of wood. Pallets beyond repair are sent to be recycled rather than being land filled. We also recycle plastic, paper and cardboard.

Waste Reduction

The latest manufacturing techniques and the use of grey water technologies have reduced the amount of waste our manufacturing facilities create.

Carbon Offsetting

N&C Nicobond supports a carbon offsetting program designed to benefit the environment through delivering reliable emission reductions through products such as Ecoflex adhesive.



Nicobond Waterproof Tile Adhesive

Flexible ready mixed adhesive for wall tiles in bathrooms and showers



- Colour: White
- Max Bed Thickness: 3mm
- Coverage: 0.8kg/m²
- Adjustment Time: 15 mins
- Grouting: 4 6 hrs
- Open Time: 30 mins
- Available in: 15kg, 3.75kg

A commercial and domestic waterproof acrylic emulsion based ready mixed thin-bed adhesive. For fixing ceramic tiles and mosaics to all internal walls that are subjected to constant splashing or running water e.g. kitchens, bathrooms and domestic/power showers. Able to accommodate slight background movement. Easy to apply with excellent slip resistance and high bond strength.

Priming may be required.













Resistant

Nicobond Aquagrip

Flexible high grab ready mixed adhesive for wall tiles in bathrooms and showers



- Colour: Off White
- Max Bed Thickness: 3mm
- Coverage: 0.8kg/m²
- Adjustment Time: 20 mins
- Grouting: 4 6 hrs
- Open Time: 30 mins
- Available in: 15kg

A ready mixed acrylic based waterproof, tile adhesive. Excellent non-slip properties which eliminates the need for battens in most situations. For fixing ceramic tiles and mosaics to all internal walls that are subjected to constant splashing or running water e.g. kitchens, bathrooms and domestic/power showers, also suitable for communal showers.

Priming may be required.













Non-Slip

Resistant

Nicobond Tile Adhesive

Ready mixed adhesive for fixing wall tiles



- Colour: Off White
- Max Bed Thickness: 3mm
- Coverage: 0.8kg/m²
- Adjustment Time: 15 mins
- Grouting: 6 12 hrs
- Open Time: 20 mins
- Available in: 15kg

The original ready mixed thin-bed adhesive, for fixing small ceramic tiles and mosaics to all internal walls in dry or intermittently wet locations, e.g. kitchens, bathrooms and domestic showers. Able to accommodate slight background movement. Easy to apply with excellent slip resistance and high bond strength. Superb handling characteristics and reliability.

Priming may be required.









Walls

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Nicobond Ultragrip

High grab ready mixed ceramic wall tile adhesive



- Colour: Off White
- Max Bed Thickness: 3mm
- Coverage: 0.8kg/m²
- Adjustment Time: 15 mins
- Grouting: 6 12 hrs
- Open Time: 30 mins
- Available in: 15kg, 7.5kg

A commercial and domestic acrylic emulsion based ready mixed thin-bed adhesive. Suitable for fixing ceramic wall tiles and mosaics to most firmly fixed, rigid, dry interior walls. Easy to apply with high grab for larger tiles.

Priming may be required.









Walls Interior

Nicobond Rapidflex

A fast setting, high performance, single part flexible and waterproof tile adhesive, bonds all types of tiles to a wide variety of substrates



- Oclour: White, Grey
- Max Bed Thickness: 12mm
- Coverage: 2 4kg/m²
- Adjust Time: 15 20 mins
- Grouting: 1 4 hrs
- Pot Life: 30 45 mins
- Open Time: 10 15 mins
- Available in: 20, 10 kg

A single part, rapid setting, waterproof, thin or thick-bed flexible adhesive with excellent initial grab and non-slip properties. For fixing ceramic wall or floor tiles, porcelain, mosaic and natural stones in interior or exterior situations where a resilient bond is required. Ideal for substrates subject to slight vibration or movement. Bonds to most substrates, including sand/ cement surfaces, plywood, flooring grade asphalt, hard vinyl tiles and tile backer boards.

Recommended adhesive for tiling to Nicobond Plastic Ply.











Non-Slip





Heating

Water

Resistant







Pools







Flexible

Nicobond Single Part Flexible Adhesive

Highly flexible standard set wall and floor tile adhesive



- Colour: White, Grey
- Max Bed Thickness: 12mm
- Coverage: 2 4kg/m²
- Adjust Time: 15 20 mins
- Grouting: 12 24 hrs
- Pot Life: 5 hrs
- Open Time: 10 20 mins
- Available in: 20, 10 kg

A single part, polymer enhanced, cement based waterproof and flexible adhesive for fixing glass wall and floor tiles, porcelain, mosaic and natural stones. A standard setting adhesive with high initial grab and resilient bond. Can be used in areas where slight vibration occurs.

Nicobond Single Part Flexible Adhesive will bond to most substrates. Recommended adhesive for tiling to Plastic Ply.















Heating



Resistant



Pools









Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive

A fast setting flexible and pourable adhesive designed to be of fluid consistency to aid bedding of larger format tiles



- Colour: Grey
- Max Bed Thickness: 30mm
- Coverage: 1½ 4kg/m²
- Adjustment Time: 20 mins
- Grouting: 3 4 hrs
- Pot Life: Approx 45 mins
- Open Time: 20 mins
- Available in: 20 kg

A single part, fast setting, water resistant, polymer modified, pourable flow bed adhesive for easier installation of large format ceramic, porcelain, and natural stones in interior or exterior situations where a resilient bond is required. For bonding large format floor tiles (300 x 300mm or larger) to: sand/cement screeds, concrete, plywood, floor tile backer boards.

Recommended adhesive for tiling to Nicobond Plastic Ply.















Resistant

Undertile 3 Hour Set Heating

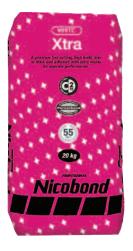






Nicobond Xtra

A high build adhesive with a traditional mortar consistency for bonding all types of ceramic wall and floor tiles including natural stones



- Colour: White, Grey
- Max Bed Thickness: 15mm
- Coverage: 2 4kg/m²
- Adjustment Time: 20 mins
- Grouting: 12 24 hrs
- Pot Life: 5 hrs
- Open Time: 10 20 mins
- Available in: 20 kg

A thin or thick-bed, high build, waterproof, fast setting cement based adhesive with additional resins for superior performance.

An exceptional adhesive with a traditional "mortar" feel for bonding ceramic wall and floor tiles and other natural stones to: sand/cement render, blockwork, screeds, concrete, plywood and tile backer boards. When mixed with Nicobond Enhancer 2002 can be used for bonding to: glazed and painted surfaces, galvanised and mild steel, power floated screeds and flooring grade asphalt.













Exterior Non-Slip

Undertile Heating

Water Resistant





Swimmina Pools

Nicobond Natural Stone Speedflex

For bonding natural stones to most substrates including tile backer boards



- Oclour: White, Grey
- Max Bed Thickness: 12mm
- Coverage: 1½ 4kg/m²
- Adjust Time: 15 20 mins
- Grouting: 3 4 hrs
- Pot Life: 20 mins
- Open Time: 10 mins
- Available in: 20 kg

A premium cement based, single part, quick setting, waterproof adhesive with added flexibility. Specially developed for fixing marble, granite, slate and natural stone tiles in interior or exterior situations. Suitable for walls and floors where a resilient bond with excellent initial grab and non-slip is required. For bonding natural stones to most substrates including tile backer boards. When mixed with diluted Nicobond Enhancer 2002 can be used for bonding to: plywood, glazed surfaces, flooring grade asphalt and hard vinyl tiles.













Heating



Resistant

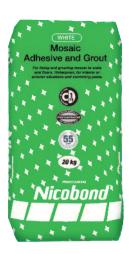
Swimming





Nicobond Mosaic Adhesive and Grout

Standard set combined adhesive and grout for interior and exterior applications



- Colour: See page 21
- Max Bed Thickness: 10mm
- Coverage: Approx 5kg/m²
- Adjustment Time: 20 mins
- Grouting: 8 18 hrs
- Pot Life: Approx 60 mins
- Open Time: 10 15 mins
- Available in: 20 kg

A cement based, waterproof adhesive and grout for use in interior or exterior applications. Dual purpose - adhesive and grout. For bonding and grouting paper faced or mesh backed ceramic mosaic and glass mosaic to concrete, brickwork and cement rendered or screeded surfaces. Suitable for grout joints 3 - 10mm wide. When mixed with diluted Nicobond Enhancer 2002 can be used for fixing and grouting ceramic and porcelain wall and floor tiles. Available in a wide range of colours, see page 18.

Note: Super white and grey are available ex-stock. Other colours have a mininum order required























Nicobond Fast Flexible Adhesive

A two part highly flexible elastomeric adhesive for fixing tiles in areas of slight vibration or for bonding to difficult substrates



- Colour: Dark Grey
- Max Bed Thickness: 12mm
- Coverage: 1½ 3kg/m²
- Adjust Time: 15 20 mins
- Grouting: 5 6 hrs
- Pot Life: 45 60 mins
- Open Time: 30 mins
- Available in: 7.5 kg/5 ltr

A two part water resistant rapid setting highly flexible adhesive. High performance technology allows Nicobond Fast Flexible Adhesive to be used for fixing ceramic tiles, porcelain or stoneware tiles, natural stone, slate and mosaic onto various substrates such as concrete/brick/block walling, cement: sand rendering, plaster/plasterboard, plywood/chipboard, tile backer boards where a resilient bond with tolerance to slight movement is reauired.















Water Heating Resistant

Swimmina

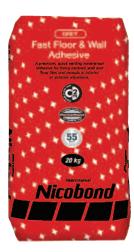






Nicobond Fast Floor and Wall Adhesive

Ultra fast setting wall and floor tile adhesive (walk on in 2 hours)



- Colour: Grey
- Max Bed Thickness: 12mm
- Coverage: 1½ 4kg/m²
- Adjust Time: 15 20 mins
- Grouting: Approx 2 hrs
- Pot Life: Approx 20 mins
- Open Time: 10 mins
- Available in: 20, 10 kg

A fast setting thin or thick-bed, waterproof, cement based adhesive. For the interior or exterior bonding of ceramic wall and floor tiles, mosaic, porcelain, slip brick, marble, granite and other natural stones to: sand/cement render, blockwork, screed, concrete and tile backer board.

When mixed with diluted Nicobond Enhancer 2002, can be used for bonding to: glazed and painted surfaces, steel, power-floated screeds, flooring grade asphalt, plywood and tile backer boards.











Non-Slip





Undertile Heating

Water Resistant









Nicobond Floor and Wall Adhesive

Cement based standard setting tile adhesive



- Colour: White, Grey
- Max Bed Thickness: 10mm
- Coverage: 1½ 4kg/m²
- Adjust Time: 15 20 mins
- Grouting: 8 24 hrs
- Pot Life: 4 hrs
- Open Time: 15 20 mins
- Available in: 20, 10 kg

A thin or thick-bed, waterproof, cement based adhesive. Recomended for the interior or exterior bonding of ceramic wall and floor tiles, mosaic, slip bricks and natural stones to: sand/cement render, blockwork, screed and concrete.

When mixed with diluted Nicobond Enhancer 2002, can be used for bonding to: glazed and painted surfaces, steel, power floated screeds, flooring grade asphalt, plywood and tile backer boards.





Floors















Swimming Pools



Nicobond Quickfix

A quick setting thin or thick bed tile adhesive, suitable for ceramic wall and floor tiles, terracotta and quarry tiles



- Colour: Grey
- Max Bed Thickness: 10mm
- Ooverage: 2 4kg/m²
- Adjust Time: 15 20 mins
- Grouting: 3 4 hrs
- Pot Life: Approx 45 mins
- Open Time: 10 15 mins
- Available in: 20 kg

A quick setting, waterproof, thin or thick-bed adhesive for fixing ceramic wall or floor tiles in interior or exterior situations where a resilient bond is required. When mixed with diluted Nicobond Enhancer 2002 can be used for bonding to: plywood, glazed surfaces, flooring grade asphalt and hard vinyl tiles. Also used for bonding Nicobond Tile Backer Board to wall surfaces.

A $600 \times 2400 \times 12.5$ mm sheet will typically have 9 – 12 dabs of mortar approximately 30mm thick, ensure outer blobs are located at board edges. Mechanical fixing screws may also be required.















Interior Exterior Non-Slip

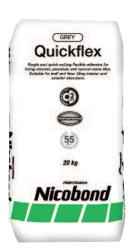
Undertile Heating

Water Resistant



Nicobond Quickflex

A quick setting, thin or thick bed flexible tile adhesive



- Colour: White, Grey
- Max Bed Thickness: 12mm
- Coverage: 1½ 4kg/m²
- Adjust Time: 15 20 mins
- Grouting: 2 4 hrs
- Pot Life: 30 45 mins
- Open Time: 10 15 mins
- Available in: 20 kg

A single part, quick setting, waterproof, thin or thick-bed flexible adhesive for fixing ceramic wall or floor tiles, porcelain, mosaic and natural stones in interior or exterior situations where a resilient bond is required.

When mixed with diluted Nicobond Enhancer 2002 can be used for bonding to: plywood, glazed surfaces, flooring grade asphalt and hard vinyl tiles.









Exterior







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Water Resistant









Non-Slip

Nicobond Standard Set Flex

A standard setting polymer modified flexible tile adhesive



- Colour: White, Grey
- Max Bed Thickness: 10mm
- Coverage: 2 2¼kg/m²
- Adjust Time: 15 20 mins
- Grouting: 18 24 hrs
- Pot Life: 5 hours
- Open Time: 10 20 mins
- Available in: 20 kg

A single part, non-slip, polymer enhanced, standard setting, waterproof, flexible adhesive for fixing ceramic wall and floor tiles, porcelain, mosaic and natural stones in interior or exterior situations where a resilient bond is required.

Exceeds requirements of BS EN 12004









Exterior



Non-Slip



Heating







Pools





Nicobond Gypfix

A gypsum based tile adhesive for direct bonding to Calcium Sulphate/Anhydrite screeds



- Colour: White
- Max Bed Thickness: 12mm
- Coverage: 4 4½ kg/m²
- Adjustment Time: 15 mins
- Grouting: 18 24 hours
- Open Time: 20 mins
- Available in: 20 kg

Nicobond Gypfix is a rapid setting, white, gypsum based tile adhesive specially designed for fixing ceramic, porcelain and natural stone tiles to Anhydrite/Calcium Sulphate floors. It is designed for use in interior, dry situations and should not be subjected to immersion in water.

Nicobond Gypfix is a high strength adhesive which achieves levels of bond strength on a par with traditional C2 category cement based adhesives. The product performs exceptionally well with undertile heating and other forms of UFH (under floor heating).

Care must be taken to ensure the surface has been prepared correctly and moisture content readings taken in accordance with notes on page 112.



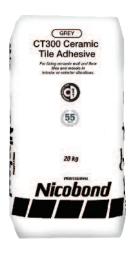




Heating

Nicobond CT300 Ceramic Tile Adhesive

Standard set export grade wall and floor tile adhesive



- Colour: White, Grey
- Max Bed Thickness: 10mm
- Coverage: 1 3½ kg/m²
- Adjustment Time: 20 mins
- Grouting: 8 12 hrs
- Pot Life: 4 hrs
- Open Time: 20 mins
- Available in: 20 kg

A thin or thick-bed, waterproof, export formulation, cement based adhesive for use with most types of ceramic wall and floor tiles, mosaics, marble, granite and other natural stones to: sand/cement render, blockwork, screeds and concrete.

When mixed with diluted Nicobond Enhancer 2002, can be used for bonding to: glazed and painted surfaces, steel, power-floated screeds, flooring grade asphalt, plywood and tile backer boards.















Floors

Interior

Exterior

Non-Slip

Water Resistant

Nicobond Ecoflex Carbon Neutral Adhesive

A fast setting, high performance, single part highly flexible and waterproof tile adhesive, bonds all types of tiles to a wide variety of substrates



- Colour: Natural Grey
- Max Bed Thickness: 12mm
- Coverage: 2 4kg/m²
- Adjust Time: 15 20 mins
- Grouting: 1 4 hrs
- Pot Life: 30 45 mins
- Open Time: 10 15 mins
- Available in: 20 kg

A premium multipurpose rapid setting and highly flexible wall and floor tile adhesive. It has excellent initial grab and non - slip properties. Extremely versatile, Ecoflex Carbon Neutral Adhesive is compatible with ceramic tiles, porcelain, mosaic and natural stones and adheres to most commonly tiled substrates.

It is ideal for use where any movement or vibration is anticipated. Recommended adhesive for tiling to Nicobond Plastic Ply.

Exterior





















Water

Resistant

3 Hour Set

Swimming Pools

Eco Friendly



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Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus

A superior highly flexible grout with anti efflorescence, anti mould and unique Aquablok technology. Suitable for joint widths 2 - 20mm.



- Joint Width: 2 20mm
- Coverage: See page 115
- Pot Life: 45 60 mins
- Setting Time: Approx 3hrs
- Ready for Use: 8 12hrs
- Available in: 10, 2.5 kg

A superior, single part, fast setting, highly polymer modified, cement based grout. Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus is free from efflorescence has excellent anti mould properties. Incorporating AquaBlok Technology, Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus is both water resistant and water repellent.

Suitable for use with ceramic, porcelain, glass and natural stone tiles. Designed for situations where slight background movement or vibration is likely. Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus is available in a range of contemporary colours designed to co-ordinate with our silicone sealants.

















Flexible

Water Stain Resistant

Resistant







Heating







Nicobond Mosaic Adhesive and Grout

Standard set combined adhesive and grout for interior and exterior applications



- Max Bed Thickness: 10mm
- Coverage: Approx 5kg/m²
- Adjustment Time: 20 mins
- Grouting: 8 18 hrs
- Pot Life: Approx 60 mins
- Open Time: 10 15 mins
- Available in: 20 kg

A cement based, waterproof adhesive and grout for use in interior or exterior applications. Dual purpose - adhesive and grout. For bonding and grouting paper faced or mesh backed ceramic mosaic and glass mosaic to concrete, brickwork and cement rendered or screeded surfaces.

Suitable for grout joints 3 - 10mm wide. When mixed with diluted Nicobond Enhancer 2002 can be used for fixing and grouting ceramic and porcelain wall and floor tiles.

Note: Super white and grey are available ex-stock. Other colours have a mininum order requirement of 100 bags.

















Swimming







Marine

Nicobond Tilers Grout

A water resistant grouting compound for ceramic wall and floor tiles, mosaic and marble



Joint Width: White, Limestone, Ivory up to 4mm Grey, Charcoal, Biege up to 20mm

Coverage: See page 115

Pot Life: Approx 60 mins

• Setting Time: 18 - 24 hrs

Ready for Use: Approx 24hrs

Available in: 20, 10, 5, 2.5, 1kg

Available in two grades, a fine version for the lighter coloured narrow joints, typically used on walls and a coarser version in the darker shades more suited to floor applications.

For grouting porcelain bodied tiles or grouting in demanding conditions such as a leisure pool it is recommended to use Nicobond Enhancer 2002.

It is highly compressible and has good adhesion to the porous or glazed edaes of tiles.

















A high quality silicone sealant for sealing round wash basins, bath surrounds and showers

- Overage: 9lm in 6 x 6mm bead
- Full Cure Approx: 24 hrs
- Shore Hardness: (A scale) 25
- Movement: ± 25% of joint
- Skinning Time: 10 25mins
- Working Life: Approx 5 mins
- Available in: 310 ml

A ready to use, high modulus, acetoxy cure silicone sealant complying with ISO 11600-F-25HM. Nicobond Silicone Sealant cures rapidly on exposure to atmospheric humidity to form a durable, flexible and long lasting weather tight seal. Nicobond Silicone Sealant has excellent adhesion to a range of construction materials including glass and glazed surfaces as well as some metals and plastics.

Forms a perfect seal around baths, bathroom fittings, showers, toilets, sanitaryware, kitchen sinks and rimless sink bowls. It can also be used for sealing and draught proofing around badly fitting window and door frames.

Not suitable for total submersion in water.















Resistant

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Black















Nicobond Starlike Grout

Nicobond Starlike is an easy to use extreme performance grout that can also be used as a mortar. Unique patented epoxy based technology has created a grout with excellent long tem U.V resistance



- Joint Width: 1 15mm
- Max Adhesive bed: 10mm
- Coverage: See page 115
- Adhesive: at 3mm thick 3kg/m²
- Pot Life: Approx 60 mins
- Setting Time: 6 8 hours
- Available in: 2.5kg

Nicobond Starlike Grout is waterproof, stain & mould resistant and is extremely easy to clean. It has superb acid resistant properties and is very easy to mix, apply & clean off. When fully cured, Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout provides an attractive, durable and chemical resistant finish to the tiled surface.















Exterior Heating

Undertile

Water Resistant

Swimming Pools













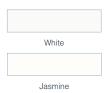


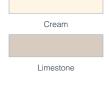


Preparation











Nicobond Starlike Sparkle

Nicobond Starlike Sparkle, a range of glitter additives which when combined with Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout produce unique and attractive sparkle effects to the grout



- Colour: Galaxy, Silver and Gold
- Add to Starlike
- Glitter: Polyester/Metal/Epoxy
- Available in: 75gm















Undertile Heating

Water Resistant

Pools

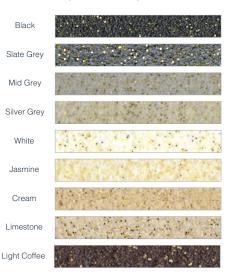
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Starlike Grout Plus Starlike Sparkle Gold



Starlike Grout plus Starlike Sparkle Silver



Part of the Synergy Collection...



Nicobond Starlike Resin Cleaner

A concentrated liquid detergent with an alkaline pH especially formulated for the cleaning and effective removal of residues or film of epoxy resin mortars from tiled surfaces.



- Oclour: Clear
- Smell: Peach
- pH: 12 ± 0.5
- Ooverage: 10 15m²/litre
- Available in: 1 Litre bottle







Stain Resistant

Chemical Resistant

Food Preparation



Nicobond Vinyl Matt Emulsion



- Coverage:
 Up to 17m² per ltr
 dependant on surface
 texture and porosity
- Drying Time: Touch dry in 1-2 hrs.
 Allow 4 hours between coats.
- Available in: 2½ ltrs

Nicobond Synergy Vinyl Matt Emulsion offers the ultimate matt finish for contemporary, and sophisticated aesthetics. The perfect solution for absorbing light for non reflective surfaces.

A water-based quick-drying matt emulsion that provides a durable and washable decorative finish for interior walls and ceilings.

Nicobond Acrylic Eggshell



- Coverage:
 Up to 12m² per ltr
 dependant on a smooth
 low porous suface
- Drying Time: Touch dry in 1-2 hrs
 Allow 4 hours between coats
- Available in: 1 ltr

Nicobond Synergy Acrylic Eggshell has been specially formulated to harmoniously complement all the elements within the N&C Synergy Series. The subtle gloss and satin like finish creates instant opulance and a luxurious effect to your interiors.

A water-based quick-drying low odour emulsion providing a moisture resistant soft sheen finish for interior walls and ceilings that is very durable and washable. Ideal for kitchens and bathrooms where steam is a consideration.



Silver Grey

Matt Emulsion N2570003

Acrylic Eggshell N2570013



Warm White

Matt Emulsion N2570005

Acrylic Eggshell N2570015



Jasmine

Matt Emulsion N2570000

Acrylic Eggshell N2570010



Cream

Matt Emulsion N2570007

Acrylic Eggshell N2570017



Limestone

Matt Emulsion N2570008

Acrylic Eggshell N2570018



Light

Matt Emulsion N2570002

Acrylic Eggshell N2570012



Slate Grey

Matt Emulsion

Acrylic Eggshell



Part of the Synergy Collection...



Nicobond Enhancer 2002

A highly modified acrylic resin emulsion which improves the properties of Nicobond cementitious adhesives and grouts under demanding conditions



- Colour: White Liquid
- Mixing Ratio: See page 113
- Stir immediately before use
- Non-toxic
- Non-flammable
- Available in: 120, 25, 4, 1ltr

Improve adhesion, flexibility, resilience and chemical resistance to our cement based adhesives and grouts by adding Nicobond Enhancer 2002 to the gauging liquid. This will aid bonding of large ceramic panels, impervious natural stone slabs and fully vitrified or porcelain tiles to a variety of substrates including some metals and decorative laminates.

Nicobond Enhancer 2002 also imparts flexibility to tiling applications where slight background movement or vibration may occur.













Resistant



Resistant

Pools

Nicobond Render Improver

New improved formulation – an additive to improve the physical properties of key coats, spatterdash and sand/cement render



- Oclour: White
- Tensile Strength NRI/Water/Cement Keycoat: 1.95N/mm² at 14 days NRI/Cement Keycoat: 2.16N/mm² NRI/ 3:1 Sand/Cement Render: 3.9N/mm²
- Flexural Strength: 6.8N/mm² at 28days
- Compressive Strength: 34N/mm² at 28 days
- Available in: 200, 25, 5 ltr

A synthetic polymer emulsion based dispersion for improving the bond strength of key-coat, spatterdash and sand/cement render. As an additive it improves the adhesion of key coats to spatterdash or concrete substrates.

Nicobond Render Improver is also an admixture for sand/cement render where tensile, flexural and compressive strengths and workability are all greatly improved.















Exterior

Flexible

Resistant

Nicobond Universal Bonding Agent and Sealer (UBAS)

A high quality PVA bonding agent, multipurpose, can be used as a household adhesive, for woodwork or as a simple additive to sand/cement mortar



- Colour: Off White (dries to clear film)
- Mixing Ratio: See data sheet
- Coverage: 6 8m² on low suction background using undiluted material
- Non-toxic
- Non-flammable
- Available in: 5, 1 ltr

A high solids content PVA emulsion, for most building site jobs and general repairs. Priming plywood, timber and similar internal surfaces prior to fixing ceramic tiling. Bonding agent prior to plastering and sand/cement rendering. Additive to upgrade interior sand/cement mixes. Sealer for porous surfaces. Prevents concrete floors dusting. General purpose woodworking and household adhesive.

Conforms to BS 5270









Interior Flexible

Nicobond Primer

An acrylic dispersion used for priming sand/cement screeds, concrete or render prior to applying Nicobond flooring or tiling products



- Colour: White liquid
- Coverage: See data sheet
- Mixing Ratio: See data sheet
- Drying Time: 1 2 hrs
- Non-toxic
- Non-flammable
- Available in: 5, 1 ltr

A white acrylic emulsion-based liquid for use prior to application of Nicobond ceramic tile adhesives and floor surfacing compounds. Specially formulated for preparing porous or difficult cementitious floors and walls prior to the application of Nicobond ceramic tile adhesives, screeds and surfacing compounds.

By reducing porosity of surfaces Nicobond Primer increases adhesion of cement based ceramic tile adhesive and surfacing compounds. Dries almost transparent and does not stain.













Nicobond ScreedPro Rapid Repair Mortar

A cement based rapid repair mortar that is fast setting and hardening and ideal for external or internal use.



- Pot Life: Use immediately
- Initial Set: Approx 20 mins
- Ready: 45 60 mins
- Fast setting
- Versatile product
- Can be extended with clean sharp sand for larger areas
- Available in: 10kg

ScreedPro Rapid Repair Mortar is a high strength rapid setting and hardening cement based repair product, which is ideal for repairing internal or external concrete or cement screeded floors prior to the application of other surface treatments.

It produces a thixotropic and non-slump mortar which can also be used for general repairs to stairs and steps and also for plugging holes in floors and walls as well as making patch repairs prior to the application of a damp proof membrane.



Walls









Exterior







Resistant

Nicobond ScreedPro Latex

A conventional, two part low odour self smoothing compound with excellent flow and flexibility. Used extensively over undertile heating to encapsulate wires prior to tiling.



- Rapid Setting
- Self Smoothing
- Excellent Flow
- Protein Free
- Feather Edge
- High Flexibility
- Low Shrinkage
- Low Odour
- Available in: 20kg/4ltr

ScreedPro Latex is a conventional and economical to use, two part, low odour, fast setting compound designed for smoothing uneven floors prior to the installation of floor coverings. ScreedPro Latex can be used in kitchens, bathrooms, living areas and commercial applications such as schools, care homes, offices and retail environments.

For sound but absorbent concrete or screed surfaces mix ScreedPro Latex powder with ScreedPro Latex liquid. When applying to plywood or other timber surfaces and non porous concrete use ScreedPro Latex Flex liquid.





Interior



Foot Traffic





Free







Undertile Heating

20 - 30

Lifetime Guarantee

ScreedPro All Purpose

A versatile rapid drying, rapid setting two part low odour self smoothing underlayment with excellent flow and flexibility.



- Rapid Setting
- Self Smoothing
- Excellent Flow
- Added Fibres
- OPC Free
- Low Shrinkage
- Low Odour
- Rapid Drying
- Available in: 20kg, 4.8kg

ScreedPro All Purpose is a medium strength two part, low odour, fast setting and fast drying, OPC free underlayment designed for smoothing uneven floors prior to the installation of floor coverings.

ScreedPro All Purpose is specially formulated to give good adhesion to old adhesive residues and is ideal for renovation or refurbishment of floors in kitchens, bathrooms, schools and care homes etc where fast track installation is required.













30 mins Foot Traffic

Free

Heating



10 mins









Guarantee

Nicobond ScreedPro Level Floor

A premium, self smoothing, pre-aggregated, fast setting compound which can be laid up to 50mm in one single application providing an even base suitable for ceramic/porcelain and natural stone tile installations.



- Rapid Setting
- Self Smoothing
- Pumpable
- Protein Free
- Tiling Base
- Low Shrinkage
- Low Odour
- Pre-aggregated
- Available in: 20kg

ScreedPro Level Floor is a cement based smoothing and levelling compound that is designed to rapidly smooth and level existing substrates prior to applying a floor finish.

ScreedPro Level Floor is the perfect solution for renovation and making good a concrete or cement screeded floor prior to installing ceramic/porcelain or natural stone floor tiles.





Interior





Foot Traffic



Protein

Free



Heating



Lifetime

Nicobond ScreedPro Cement Mix

A premium rapid setting, rapid drying and low shrinkage cement replacement for use in floor screeds.



- Rapid Setting
- Rapid Drying
- Protein Free
- Low Shrinkage
- Bonded Screed
- Unbonded Screed
- Floating Screed
- Available in: 20kg

Used to replace Ordinary Portland Cement in sand:cement screed mixes, ScreedPro Cement Mix has rapid high strength development producing a screed which can be walked on after 2 hours and tiled after only 3 hours. It is ideal for use in bonded screeds and floating floors where fast drying is required.

Refer to the data sheet for information on design mixes and detailed coverage figures for bonded, unbonded and floating screeds.





Interior







Foot Traffic





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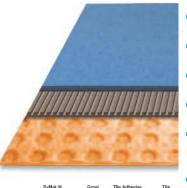




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Nicobond D-Mat 3L

For tiling onto a cracked floor or green screed. Use Nicobond D-Mat 3L, for tiling on to problem substrates to avoid cracked tiles



- Tough and durable
- Watertight textured fleece
- Tile onto green screed
- Thickness: 3mm
- Prevents the transfer of stresses in tiles
- Suppresses cracks in screed
- Load bearing
- Size: 1m x 30m 1m x 10m rolls

Nicobond D-Mat 3L is a versatile, decoupling mat that acts as an uncoupling membrane for problematic substrates. It has superb crack bridging properties which help to prevent the transfer of stresses between the substrate and the tiled surface, preventing damage and cracking of tile installations.

The triple layer mat also functions as a waterproof and water vapour equalization membrane through its grid like construction which allows it to be used in wet areas such as the bathroom or swimming pools projects.











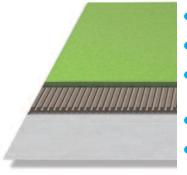


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Screed Tile Adhesive Stress Grack Anchoring Favre Fields

Nicobond Disconnecting Sheet

For laying a temporary tiled floor in a rented or commercial property or for tiling over a contaminated floor.



- Quick and easy to install
- Strong and durable
- Synthetic fabric with a bonded mesh
- Thickness: 0.7mm
- Corrosion resistant
- Suitable for undertile heating
- Size: 1m x 50m roll

Our Nicobond Disconnecting Sheet allows floor tiles to be laid in temporary accommodation, showrooms and exhibition areas where tiles can be installed, then subsequently lifted and removed easily with no damage or penetration to the subfloor.

Designed to be used in areas where a temporary solution for bedding tiles is required, it is also ideal as an uncoupling membrane where the condition of the floor does not facilitate good adhesion between the tile adhesive and the substrate such as old or contaminated screeds, tiled or painted surfaces.





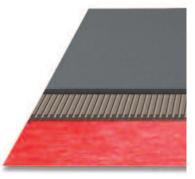




Undertile Heating

Nicobond Wet Room Tanking Sheet

A tough sheet material designed to prevent water penetration on timber floors, forms part of the Nicobond Wet Room Tanking System



- Oclour: Red
- Roll Size: 10m x 750mm
- Thickness: 0.3mm
- Density: 226gm/m²
- Waterproofing: 8 bar
- Adhesive Tensile Strength: 0.6N/mm²
- Size: 750mm x 10m roll

A sheet membrane tanking material which when used in conjuction with Nicobond Plastic Ply and other components forms a system for covering surfaces subject to movement such as chipboard, plywood and timber floor boards. Made from UV resistant polyethylene and faced with glass fibre fleece Nicobond Wet Room Tanking Sheet offers superb protection against moisture penetration, has high flexibility and is part of a total solution for a watertight barrier.

The tanking sheet is to be firmly bedded down onto the Nicobond Plastic Ply using a thin layer of Nicobond Rapidflex adhesive.







Water Resistant

Nicobond PlasticPly™

Prevents floor tiles and grout from cracking when tiling on to a timber floor. Eliminates through overboarding the need for a step as only 2mm thick.



A revolutionary solution to fixing tiles and natural stone to timber floors. Prevents problems of damage to tiles by reducing the effects of timber shrinkage, warping and rotting. Eliminates the need to install thick sheets of marine grade plywood (min 15mm) or similar over-boarding products. Easy to cut, easy to install. Manufactured using 50% recycled plastic ingredients We recommend our C2 S1 category adhesives for fixing tiles onto Plastic Ply, these are Nicobond Rapidflex, Nicobond Single Part Flexible, Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive and Nicobond Ecoflex.

Extract from BEAL Approval -

The Plastic Ply system prevents the fracture of the finished tiled floor over all nominated timber floor substrates constructed with timber joists at 600mm centres, and in conjunction with a number of differing adhesives. On average the floors required a deflection of more than 3 times the required deflection before failure occurred; generally through the cracking of tiles



Floors











Undertile Rec Heating

Resistar

Nicobond Acoustic Matting

Designed to reduce impact sound transmission through ceramic floor tiles on a concrete floor. Complies with Building Regulations 2010 Document E.



- Colour: Brown/Beige fleck
- Size: 1m x 20m x 3mm roll
- Class B2 Fire Rated
- Density: 390 kg/m3
- Can be used under tiles, stone, vinyl, wood, carpet
- Zero ODP Zero GWP

Nicobond Acoustic Matting is manufactured from a fine granulate of recycled rubber with cork and PU elastomer bonding agent. Nicobond Acoustic Matting provides a very effective underlay with the added benefit of thermal insulation properties. Complies with the requirements of Building Regulations 2010 Document E. To be used as part of the Nicobond Sound Reduction System. See N&C Nicobond Tiling Solutions for more information on the Nicobond Sound Reduction System.

Nicobond Acoustic Matting can be used under Ceramic Tiles, Stone, Vinyl, Wood, Carpet and Laminate. Weighted reduction in impact sound pressure level for 3mm thick matting (Δ Lw): 18dB.







Heating







Fire Resistant



Manufactured from polypropylene, Nicobond Protection Board offers tough all round protection on the job site.



Colour: Black/White

Nicobond Standard and Fire Retardant Protection Board

- Thickness: 2mm
- Density: 250gm/m²
- Sheet Size: 2400 x 1200mm
- Roll Size: 50 x 1m
- Must be used print side up

Nicobond Protection Board is manufactured from all purpose twin wall fluted polypropylene providing excellent impact and splash resistance. This functional board is ideal for protection of new tile installations, kitchen fit outs, work tops and other critical areas including windows. It can be used on walls and floors, is easy to cut, can be curved or creased to go round awkward structures and offers all builders an economic, temporary means of protection while other trades go about their work.

The Fire Retardant grade is fully approved to LPS 1207 and meets the stringent quality control standards of the LCPB (Loss Prevention Certification Board). This caters for the increased concern of combustible materials fuelling fires. The LCPB logo and certificate number is clearly printed on every board. Use D8018610 50m x 50mm Silver Protection Board Tape for joining boards together.

















Water Resistant F

Resistant

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Nicobond Tile Backer Board and Construction Panel

A polystyrene hard foam core and coated with a glass-fibre mesh reinforced cement based mortar layer on both sides



- 87kg/m² weight loading
- Insulating properties
- Class O fire rated
- High U value
- Improves undertile heating

Nicobond Tile Backer Board is lightweight, very robust, easy to cut, easy to install, waterproof and is available in numerous sizes and thicknesses providing solutions for many tiling and building situations. It can be used as a direct replacement for gypsum plaster board or timber wall boards in wet areas, overlay damaged boards or provide additional protection to similar wall boards.

Eco friendly - Zero Ozone layer depletion













Insulation



600 x 1200 x 6mm N2553006 600 x 1200 x 10mm N2553010 600 x 2400 x 12.5mm N2553012 600 x 2400 x 20mm N2553020 600 x 2400 x 30mm N2553030 600 x 2400 x 40mm N2553040

600 x 2400 x 50mm N2553050 600 x 2400 x 60mm N2553060 600 x 2400 x 70mm N2553070 2400 x 1200 x 12.5mm N2553084

Resistant

Nicobond Tile Backer Board does not use either HCFC or CFC gases during manufacture and has an Ozone Depletion rating of zero.

Nicobond Pre-Cut Panels

Pre-slit construction panels for creating rounded shapes



- Boards Sizes: 1200 x 600 x 20mm
- Create long curvy shapes with the horizontal cuts Create tall curved walls with the vertical cuts
- Class O fire rated

1200 x 600 x 20mm vertical N2553100

1200 x 600 x 20mm horizontal N2553102 Nicobond Tile Backer Board is a very versatile material and a new variant is a range of horizontal and vertical pre-cut panels which enable the board to be formed into curved shapes or structures.

Round partition walls, bath surrounds or round wall construction elements can be quickly and easily achieved.







Interior









Fire Insulation Resistant

Undertile

Resistant

Friendly

Nicobond Tile Backer Board does not use either HCFC or CFC gases during manufacture and has an Ozone Depletion rating of zero.

Nicobond Jointing Tape

Self adhesive jointing tape



A self adhesive tape for the simple jointing of Nicobond Tile Backer Boards on wall or floor sections and corners.

Nicobond Jointing Tape 48mm x 45m roll N2552120





Nicobond Pipe Covers

The easy to fit pipe cover ready for immediate tiling or painting



- Perfect fit for soil stacks
- Fitted within minutes
- Lightweight and easy to cut
- Ready to tile or paint
- Thermally Insulated
- Waterproof and flame retardant



Nicobond Pipe Covers are manufactured from high density extruded polystyrene with a specially formulated reinforced cementitious smooth surface coating. Nicobond Pipe Covers are designed to be placed directly over the pipe routes. They are fixed directly to the wall using Nicobond Sealant and do not require studding or plastering. Nicobond Pipe Covers can be easily trimmed if required to suit site conditions.

Nicobond pipe covers 140 x 140 x 2400mm Nicobond pipe covers 200 x 200 x 2400mm Nicobond pipe covers 300 x 200 x 2400mm

N2553150 N2553200 N2553240





Floors











Fire

Insulation Interior Water Fco Resistant Friendly Resistant



Nicobond PU Pro - Polyurethane Adhesive

High strength polyurethane adhesive for Nicobond Tile Backer Board



- Colour: Translucent
- Open Time: Approx 10mins
- Suitable for marine use
- Compatible with marble and stone
- Installation Temp: Min 5°C
- Service Temperature: -30°C - +80°C
- Available in: 310ml

A single part, moisture hardening adhesive, ideal for glueing components of Nicobond Tile Backer Board together and to a variety of substrates including plaster, wood, metals, stone, ceramics and plastic. It is also the recommended adhesive for attaching pipe covers to wall substrates. Conforms to EN 204 (D4)

N2553130 Nicobond Polyurethane (PU) Adhesive 310ml.











Water Resistant

Nicobond Mechanical Fixing Systems

A range of fixing products for the secure installation of Nicobond Tile Backer Boards



- Very strong hammer fixing
- Different lengths available
- Complete screw & washers
- Rust proof
- Available: Packs of 50

Nicobond Hammer-in fixings are used for fastening Nicobond Tile Backer Board to solid substrates. Using a 6mm drill bit, drill through the board into Nicobond Quickfix through to the wall substrate and hammer/screw into place. Use galvanised screws and washers for normal stud walls.

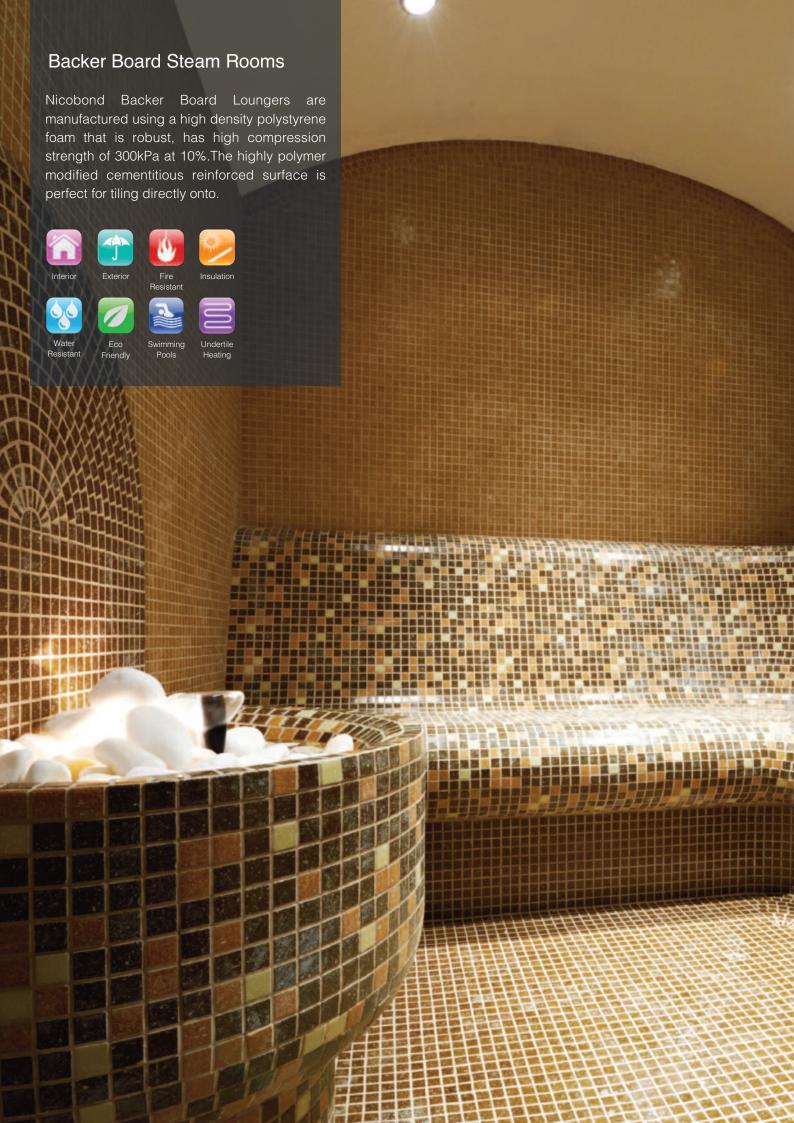
Hammer-in fixings 70mm N2553110 Galvanised screws & washers 45mm N2553112 Galvanised screws & washers 25mm N2553114 Galvanised washers 35mm dia N2553116



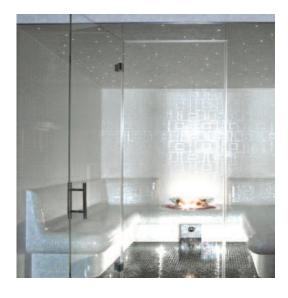




Interior



Nicobond Backer Board Steam Room



- Internal use
- External use
- Fire resistant
- Water resistant
- Swimming pools
- Undertile heating





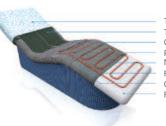




Nicobond Backer Board Loungers



- Health spa's
- Swimming pools
- Jacuzzi's
- Steam rooms
- Fitness centres



Tiles
Tile Adhesive
Cementitous Hard Coat
Reinforcement Mesh
Nicobond Undertile Heating Cable
Reinforcement Mesh
Cementitous Adhesive
Rigid Foam Core







Nicobond Backer Board Showers



- Creative design
- Curved enclosures
- Bath panels
- Utility bench



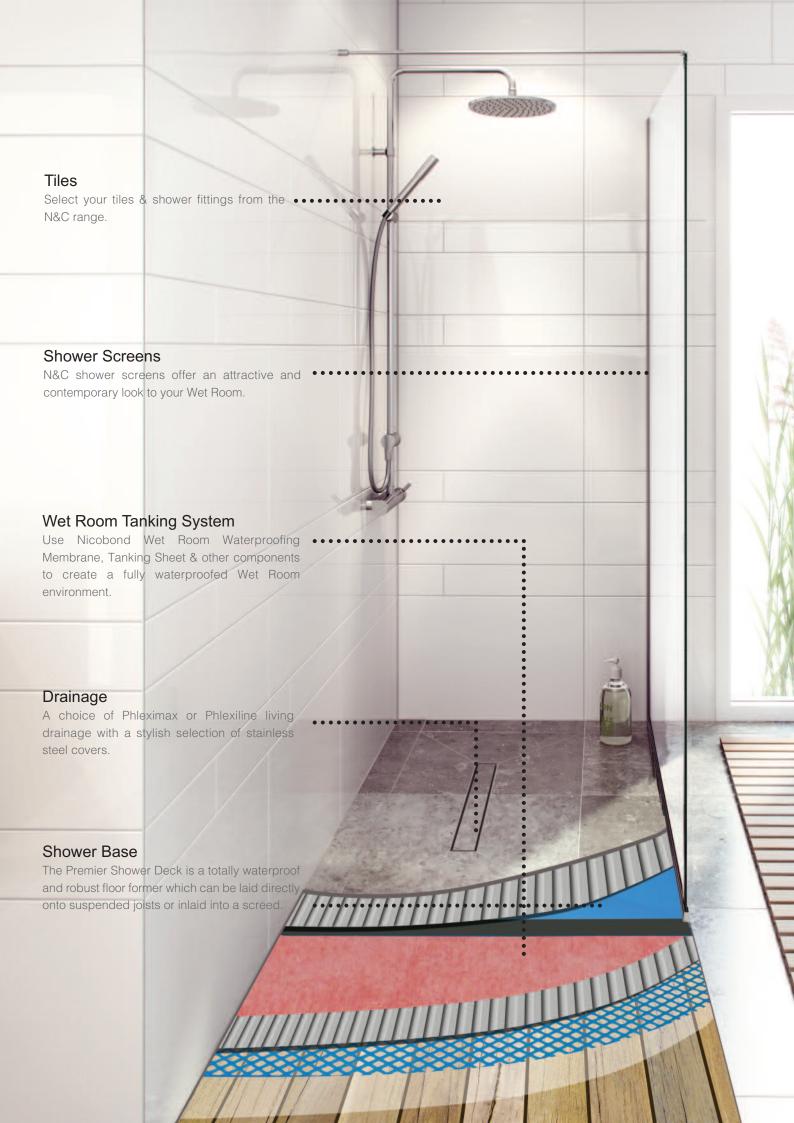
Bespoke Enclosures



Spiral Enclosures

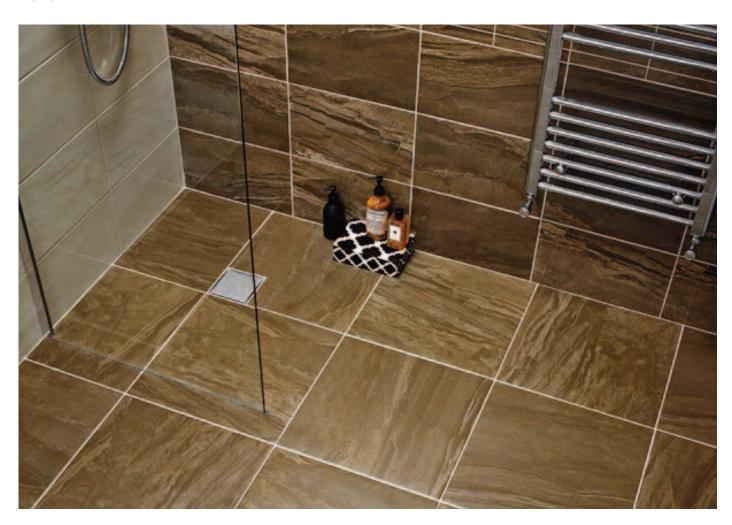


Round Enclosures

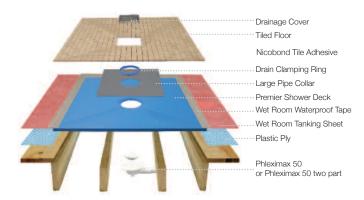


Total Wet Room Solutions Providers

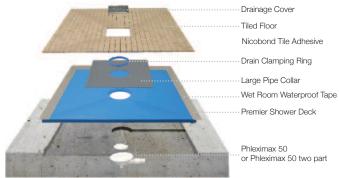
At Nicobond, we are unique in being able to combine our manufacturing facilities to be able to offer you a 'Total Wet Room Solution'. Using our experience, we have created a complete wet room system which ensures peace of mind, because each component is designed to work in harmony with each other to create a cost effective, easy to install solution which is watertight, practical and easy to maintain.



Installation on to Wooden Floor



Installation on to Concrete Floor



N&C Premier Shower Deck

The Premier Shower Deck can easily be installed onto concrete by removing the screed, or onto timber floors, by removing the floorboards and fixing directly onto the joists



- Thickness: 22mm
- Density: 22Kg/m²
- Self supporting
- 470kg load capacity
- 50% recycled plastic
- Can be tiled direct

One of the key elements in the construction of a wet room - the Premier Shower Deck is a robust and stable floor former which can be laid directly on to suspended timber joists or inlaid to a screed or concrete floor. With a built in fall for easy water drainage the Premier Shower Deck is produced in square and rectangular shapes and is available in a wide variety of sizes. Combining the Phleximax standard drainage system and our Finesse shower panels you can create the ultimate in wet rooms.

900 x 900mm	P6821934
1000 x 1000mm	P6821930
1135 x 770mm	P6821931
1200 x 1200mm	P6821936
1200 x 800mm	P6821941
1300 x 800mm	P6821932

934 1400 x 900mm P6821935 930 1500 x 800mm P6821933 931 1800 x 800mm P6821940 936 1450 x 1150mm P6821942 941 1650 x 900mm P6821942









Water Resistant

Recycle

N&C Phleximax 50

A superb drainage system for installation in concrete or timber floors and our Premier Shower Deck



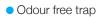
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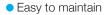
Size of outlet: 50mm

• Depth of drain: 70mm

Low profile

Phleximax 50 Horizontal P6882441

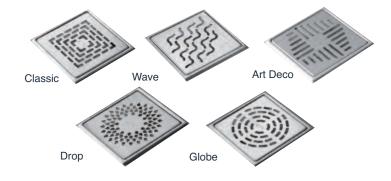






Phleximax Grating for Tiled Floors

Classic	155mm	P6882457	Art Deco	155mm	P6882456
Classic	175mm	P6882462	Art Deco	175mm	P6882461
Wave	155mm	P6882459	Drop	155mm	P6882458
Wave	175mm	P6882464	Drop	175mm	P6882463
			Globe	155mm	P6882460



Phleximax 50 Vertical P6882398

N&C Phleximax 50 Two Part

A superb drainage system for installation in concrete or timber floors and our Premier Shower Deck



Phleximax 50 two part P6882471

- Oclour: Black
- Size of outlet: 50mm
- Depth of drain: 89mm
- Low profile
- Odour free trap
- Easy to maintain
- For ceramic or vinyl floors

This two piece gulley can be used in all floors but this has been specifically designed for use with timber floors and Floor Formers and can be plumbed prior to the installation of the floor or Former.

Suitable for all floors but specifically designed for use with the Premier Shower deck.

N.B: Height of standard Phleximax 50 P6882441 is 76mm. Height of Phleximax two part is 89mm



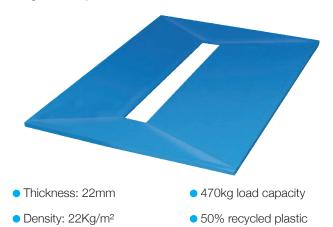
Tile Insert Twist Insert P6882472 P6882473



Platinum Insert P6882474

N&C Premier Linear Shower Deck

Our floor former can be installed directly onto concrete by removing the screed, or onto timber floors, by removing the floorboards and fixing onto the joists



Our Premier Linear Shower Deck offers an attractive, yet unobtrusive option enabling the use of large format tiles for the creation of a trendy, minimalist wet room showering area with built-in falls.

The Premier Linear Shower Deck allows you to achieve level access with the ability to extract a higher volume of water out of the shower area.

600mm gulley
900 x 1200mm
1200 x 1200mm
1500 x 900mm

P6821988 P6821987 P6821989

800mm gulley 900 x 1400mm P6821985 900 x 1600mm P6821986







N&C Phlexiline Living Linear Drainage

Grate, waste and trap 50mm outlet complete with concrete and joist door installation kits and ABS 1½ inch adaptor.



Self supporting

Side Outlet Flow rate 60 litre per minute



Low Mini Outlet Flow rate 30 litre per minute



Flow rate 60 litre per minute



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Bottom Outlet Flow rate 72 litre per minute

Side Outlet	
600mm Drop	P6882500
600mm Twist	P6882501
600mm Tile	P6882502
800mm Drop	P6882510
800mm Twist	P6882511
800mm Tile	P6882512

Low Mini Outlet	
600mm Drop	P6882503
600mm Twist	P6882504
600mm Tile	P6882505
800mm Drop	P6882513
800mm Twist	P6882514
800mm Tile	P6882515

- Size of outlet: 50mm
- Odour free trap

Can be tiled direct

- Easy to maintain
- For ceramic tile floors

Side, Side Outlet

600mm Drop	P6882506
600mm Twist	P6882507
600mm Tile	P6882508
800mm Drop	P6882516
800mm Twist	P6882517
800mm Tile	P6882518

Bottom Outlet gulley only

106mm height P6882395



Phlexiline Living Drop Pattern



Phlexiline Living Twist Pattern





Phlexiline Living Ready to Tile

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Nicobond Wet Room Waterproofing Membrane

Create a wet room using our highly flexible Nicobond Wet Room Waterproofing Membrane



- Min Film Thickness: 0.6mm
- Coverage: Min 1.2 kg/m² (Approx 1l/m²)
- Drying Time: 2 4 hrs
- Fix Tiles After: 2 4 hrs
- Tensile Strength/14days:
 1.3 2.1N/mm²
- Adhesive Tensile Strength: 0.5N/mm²
- Available: 8 kg

A quick drying, aqueous emulsion polymer based liquid applied waterproofing membrane for rigid surfaces in wet rooms, bathrooms and showers. Use with Wet Room Waterproof Tape and accessories to create a total wet room system prior to the installation of ceramic tiles.

For floors subject to movement such as plywood or to overlay moisture sensitive wall or floor substrates use Nicobond Wet Room Waterproof Tanking Sheet in conjunction with the Waterproofing Membrane to provide a higher specification tanking system in compliance with BS 5385 part 4.

Complies with BS EN 14891:2012.







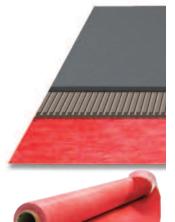




Resistan

Nicobond Wet Room Tanking Sheet

A tough sheet material designed to prevent water penetration on timber floors, forms part of the Nicobond Wet Room Tanking System



- Colour: Red
- Size: 750mm x 10m roll
- Thickness: 0.3mm
- Density: 226gm/m²
- Waterproofing: 8 bar
- Adhesive Tensile Strength: 0.6N/mm²

A sheet membrane tanking material which when used in conjuction with Nicobond Plastic Ply and other components forms a system for covering surfaces subject to movement such as chipboard, plywood and timber floor boards.

Made from UV resistant polyethylene and faced with glass fibre fleece, Nicobond Wet Room Tanking Sheet offers superb protection against moisture penetration, has high flexibility and is part of a total solution for a watertight barrier.

The tanking sheet is to be firmly bedded down onto the Nicobond Plastic Ply using a thin layer of Nicobond Rapidflex adhesive.







Water Resistant

N&C Wet Zone

Our N&C Wet Zone offers a time saving and labour saving method of creating a unique shower area in the bathroom



Our N&C Wet Zone is quickly and easily assembled using the N&C Premier Shower Deck mounted onto the Wet Zone Base. The principle benefit being that the components sit directly onto the floor. This offers the perfect solution where it is impossible or impractical to breach the floor. Waste pipes and connections are all built in to the base and previous connections can be utilised. A shower screen, tiles and shower valve complete the transformation.

P6821933

N2561500

1500 x 800 x 105mm

For use with Premier Shower Deck P6821930 1000 x 1000 x 105mm N2561000

For use with Premier Shower Deck



Floors







Water Re-Resistant

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Nicobond Wet Room Waterproof Tape

A strong self adhesive reinforcing tape for floor and wall joints, forms part of the Nicobond Wet Room Tanking System



- Colour: Grey
- Thickness: 0.5mm
- Tensile Strength: 7N/mm²
- Durable and Very flexible
- Self adhesive
- Size: 20mtrs x 80mm wide

A key component in the Nicobond Wet Room System. Our self adhesive, strong polyethylene material is covered with a rubberised layer where the tape is used for bridging and reinforcing internal corners and floor and wall joints. Simply remove the backing release paper and press the tape firmly in to position.









Resistant

Nicobond Wet Room Waterproof Internal and External Corners

Special accessories to compliment the waterproof tape, forms part of the Nicobond Wet Room Tanking System



- Colour: Grey
- Thickness: 0.5mm
- Tensile Strength: 7N/mm²
- Durable and Very flexible
- Self adhesive
- Size: 120 x 120mm

To ensure complete waterproofing in internal and external corners use the special self adhesive pre-formed angled corners. Bed corner pieces into position with Nicobond Wet Room Waterproof Membrane. Simply remove the backing release paper and press the tape firmly in to position.



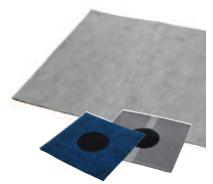






Nicobond Wet Room Waterproof Pipe Collars

Special designs for sealing around penetrating pipe work and drainage outlets, forms part of the Nicobond Wet Room Tanking System



- Colour: Grey
- Thickness: 0.5mm
- Tensile Strength: 7N/mm²
- Durable and Very flexible
- Self adhesive

For efficient sealing around pipework, valves and drainage outlets. Available as a small collar with a large piece for on site fabrication. Bed pipe collars into position with Nicobond Wet Room Waterproof Membrane. Simply remove the backing release paper and press the tape firmly in to position.

120 x 120mm 500 x 500mm











Resistant

When using the large collars over the Phleximax drain it is recommended to cut the aperture using the Phlexiknife to ensure accuracy and a snug fit. Phlexiknife P6882445

Nicobond Wet Room Waterproof Tanking Kit

A convenient kit providing all necessary materials to waterproof a domestic shower area.



- Contents: 1 x 6kg waterproofing membrane
- 1 x pce 1200 x 750mm tanking sheet
- 1 x 6m self adhesive waterproofing tape
- 1 x pce self adhesive internal corner
- Tile: 2 4 hours after second coat
- Coverage: Approx 6m²

Create a total wet room system prior to the installation of ceramic tiles in bathrooms, wet rooms and showers with the Nicobond Waterproof Tanking Kit. Suitable for domestic applications, the kit is sufficient to waterproof a typical shower area of 1200 x 800 x 2300mm. Ideal for protection of plasterboard, gypsum plasters and board surfaces but also suitable for sand - cement renders and screed.

Creates a water tight structure in compliance with BS 5385 Part 4.











Finesse Two



- 8mm toughened safety glass
- Free standing and corner wall
- Profiles in chrome
- Wall support included
- Reversible
- Flexible seal
- Tray or wet floor installation
- Optional deflector panel

Experience pure sophistication with Finesse Two, a frameless option that enhances any showering space by enabling freedom of movement, unhindered by traditional enclosure frames.

As one of the most versatile in the collection, Finesse Two allows you to create the perfect showering option for any environment by simply selecting the style of your choice. Install onto a shower tray or directly onto the wet room floor.

Freestanding: 900 x 2000mm up to 1400 x 2000mm

Corner Wall 300 x 2000mm up to 1400 x 2000mm

Mobile Panel 300 x 2000mm

Finesse Two Reflex



- 6mm toughened safety glass
- Mirror effect on the face side
- Oxide, scratch, acid and salt spray resistant
- Free standing and corner wall
- Profiles in chrome
- Wall support included
- Reversible
- Flexible seal
- Tray or wet floor installation

Finesse Two Reflex incorporates all the sophistication of Finesse Two whilst creating the illusion of space with its mirrored effect. The glass has a mirrored chromium treatment which is scratch, acid and salt spray resistant. With corner panels and mobile panels available this makes Finesse Two Reflex one of our most versatile ranges.

Corner Wall 500 x 2000mm up to 1400 x 2000mm

Mobile Panel 300 x 2000mm up to 400mm x 2000mm

Freedom Two



- 6mm toughened safety glass
- Clean stylish look
- Integrated assistance pole to ease access
- Minimalist fittings
- Profiles in chrome
- Built-in wall adjustment
- Concealed fixing
- Tray or wet floor installation
- Reversible

A contemporary shower screen with an attractive, integrated chrome pole that is both elegant and unobtrusive. With minimalist fittings and concealed fixings, Freedom Two instantly upgrades the look of any wet room.

Each screen is equipped with a 1000mm extension pole that can either return to the opposing wall or ceiling for an equally attractive fixing.

Corner Wall 700 x 1900mm up to 1000 x 1900mm

Creative



- 6mm toughened safety glass
- Profiles in chrome
- Reversible
- Telescopic ceiling support
- Tray or wet floor installation
- Clear scale treatment

Stability within a shower space is important. With Creative shower screens you are guaranteed additional support through an adjustable telescopic ceiling support without any extra cost. Creative, a cost effective solution for your bathroom.

The polished chrome and square edge asesthetic allows users to combine functionaliby with modern design

Freestanding: 690 x 2000mm up to 1400 x 2000mm

Corner Wall 310 x 2000mm up to 510 x 2000mm

Transform



- 6mm toughened safety glass
- Profiles in chrome
- Reversible
- Pivot release safety mechanism
- Low profile threshold bar
- Tray or wet floor installation
- 60mm adjustment
- Clear scale treatment

Transform encompasses a shower enclosure with a modern design and attractive bi-fold doors that incorporates a unique pivot safety mechanism. The pivot safety opening is guided by an innovative magnetic release. In day to day operation, the bi-fold door would fold inwards to accommodate a small bathroom. However, should a fall or accident occur, the quick pivot operation of the shower door will act as an emergency release feature to prevent harm from full contact with a glass door. A low threshold door, with a square edge chrome finish and anti-limescale treatment supplied as standard, makes transform the ideal choice for elegant, safe showering.

Bi-Fold Doors 800 x 2000mm up to 1000 x 2000mm

Side Panels 800 x 2000mm up to 900 x 2000mm

Freespace Two



- 6mm toughened safety glass
- Inclusive design
- Profiles in chrome
- Unique folding doors
- In-line and corner entry
- Unique spring handles
- Rising hinge system
- Easy to use
- Tray or wet floor installation

Enter a new generation of showering with Freespace Two. Designed with the whole family in mind, this unique award winning range is versatile with its split door functionality that allows users to assist loved ones, wash children or pets in the shower.

The screen can be opened up completely when not in use to increase your bathroom space. Easy to install and operate, it adds instant sophistication to the home offering innovation in functionality and style.

Bi-Fold Doors 580 x 2000mm up to 1200 x 2000mm

Fluidity



- 8mm toughened safety glass
- Unique soft close mechanism
- In-line and corner entry
- Tray or wet floor installation
- Clear scale treatment



An elegant range of sliding shower screens with a unique soft close door system and no floor channel so that you can seamlessly walk into your shower.

This high quality, robust system requires the gentlest of touches to operate the doors to offer you a unique option. With a huge range of panel sizes available, the design possibilities are endless.

Double Sliding Panel - 8mm thick 1400 x 2000mm up to 1800 x 2000mm

Single Sliding Panel - 8mm thick 1000 x 2000mm up to 1800 x 2000mm

Side Panel - 6mm thick 680 x 2000mm up to 880 x 2000mm

Enhance



- 8mm toughened safety glass
- Chrome profiles & components
- Optional deflector panel
- Tray or wet floor installation
- Reversible
- Multiple combinations available
- Corner, front and linear panels



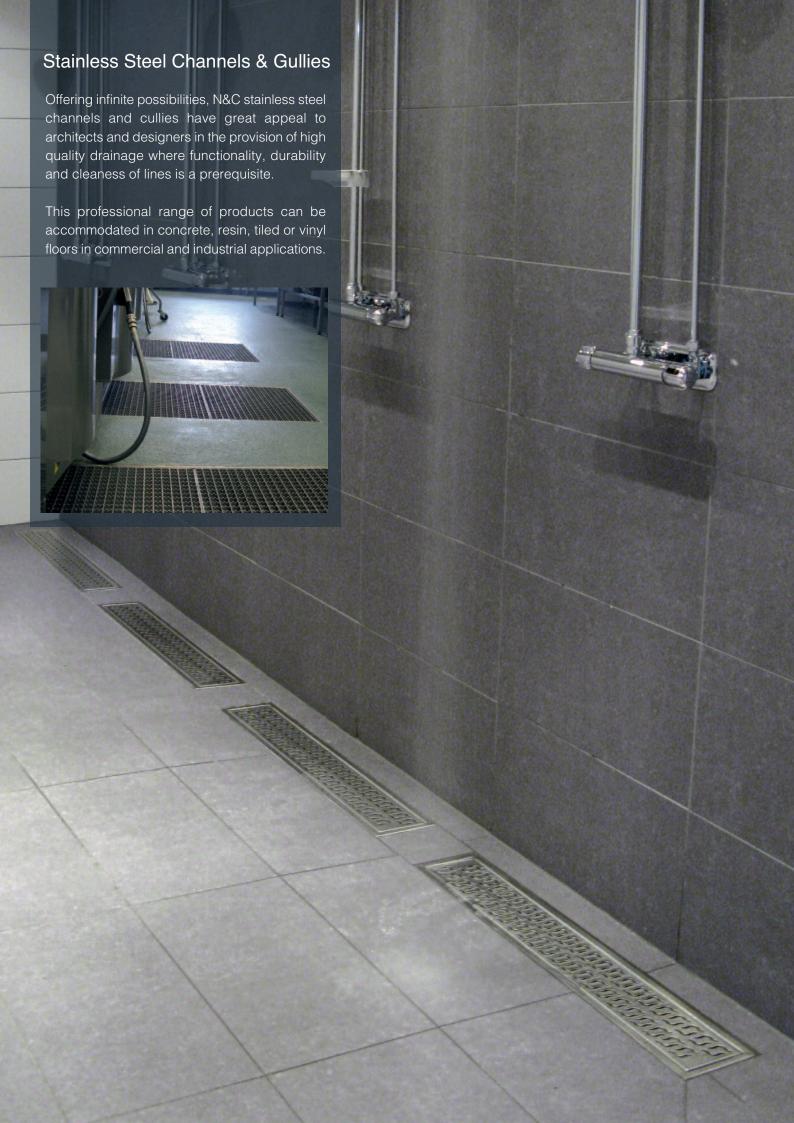
Our Wetroom panel options can be fitted to our low level shower trays or straight onto your floor to create a true wetroom. We present a number of panel sizes and options to help you to create your perfect bathroom sanctuary. Simply select the size of the panel you require, choose your configuration , decide between a fixed or pivoting deflector panel and select your desired bracing bar to create your tailor made wetroom.

Alcove/corner panel 600 x 2000mm up to 1400 x 2000mm

Front panel 600 x 2000mm up to 1200 x 2000mm

Deflector Panel 200 x 2000mm up to 400 x 2000mm

Linear panel 1000 x 2000mm up to 1400 x 2000mm



Showering

This new design of stainless steel channel has the advantage of having a wide range of models available to suit a variety of showering situations. The suspension for the grating gives unique hygienic advantages, as the risk of accumulation of bacteria is minimal.

Leisure

Wider grates are available for leisure application, made completely of stainless steel and are hygienically adapted. The gullies are available as standard lengths; 600, 800, 1000, 1200, 1500, 2000 and 2300 mm.

Industrial

Nicobond Industrial gullies are made of stainless steel for environments where hygienic requirements are not prescribed. Suitable for industrial environments, garages, laundries etc. The industrial gullies can be fitted with mesh grating capable of withstanding substantial weights and can be equipped with filter buckets / sediment traps.

Hygienic

Designed for applications in laundries with integrated water traps, where high volume capacity is required. Lint separators are available with removable strainers.

Kitchens

This stainless steel channel is adapted for hygienic applications which require the capacity to cope with larger discharges from cooking utensils. Available with side or bottom outlets, the channels work with a wide variety of flooring, porcelain tiles, vinyl, concrete etc. The channels can be made acid resistant if required.

Bespoke

The range of standard gullies and channels is vast but if you require something specific for your project, bespoke sizes and designs can be manufactured; Extra outlets, increased capacity, wider or deeper channels can be made to your specification.

For full details of the complete range and consultation services please contact your local branch.

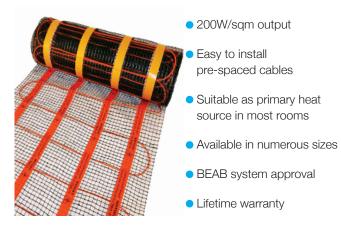






Nicobond Professional Undertile Heating Mat

A high powered, energy efficient undertile heating mat



BEAB Approved and EMF safe, the Nicobond Professional Undertile Heating Mat can be used as either a primary or secondary heat source. With a huge 200W/sqm output, fitted onto Nicobond Tile backer Board for improved insulation and connected to a Nicobond Thermostat a comfortable room temperature can be easily achieved.

Covers 0.6 m ²	N2550006	Covers 4.2 m ²	N2550042
Covers 1 m ²	N2550010	Covers 5.4 m ²	N2550054
Covers 1.6 m ²	N2550016	Covers 6 m ²	N2550060
Covers 2 m ²	N2550020	Covers 6.7 m ²	N2550067
Covers 2.6 m ²	N2550026	Covers 7.5 m ²	N2550075
Covers 2.8 m ²	N2550028	Covers 8.9 m ²	N2550089
Covers 3.5 m ²	N2550035	Covers 9.9 m ²	N2550099















Nicobond Undertile Heating Cable

Loose undertile heating cable allowing easy installation regardless of the room size or shape



- Up to 1600W kits available
- Easy to install
- User friendly instructions
- Lifetime warranty

BEAB approved and EMF safe, the Undertile Heating Cable is supplied as loose cable for easy positioning and installation. Kits are available according to the room size or floor area required. The use of Nicobond Tile Backer Board and Nicobond Thermostats ensure a thoroughly efficient heating system to benefit any living area.

200W (1 - 1.3m²)	N2550200	800W (4.0 - 5.3m ²)	N2550800
300W (1.5 - 2.0m ²)	N2550300	1000W (5.0 - 6.7m ²)	N2551000
400W (2.0 - 2.7m ²)	N2550400	1400W (7.0 - 9.3m ²)	N2551400
600W (3.0 - 4.0m ²)	N2550600	1600W (8.0 - 10.7m²)	N2551600















Nicobond Underfloor Heating Cable (6mm)

The 6mm red heating cable that is perfect for new build or major renovation scenarios where a 65mm screed is going to be laid.



- Coverage:
- @125W/m2 1.0m2-28.2m2
- @ 175W/m2 0.7m2-20.1m2
- Easy to install
- User friendly instructions
- Lifetime warranty

A robust and cost-effective heating cable designed for new build and major renovation projects, where a 65mm screed will be laid. The cable is perfect for providing energy-efficient room heating and floor warming beneath nearly any floor covering and is fast to install and adds no build height to the construction.



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Nicobond Digistat Thermostats

Easy to use thermostat for maintaining floor temperatures exactly as required



- Simple to set up and operate
- BEAB Approved
- 3 year warranty
- Energy usage information
- 16 amp 3600W
- Available in ivory, silver and gloss black

Produced by the world renowned O J Electronics, our BEAB Approved thermostats are easy to program and have an intelligent adaptive function that learns when to switch the system on.

Fitted with a 3m floor sensor which is extendable to 100m means the thermostat can be fitted in any convenient location. 7 day programmable.







lvory N2552100

Silver N2552102

N2552104

Nicobond Touchscreen Thermostat

Easy to use colour touchscreen display Thermostat for use with underfloor heating



- Can operate up to 6 events per day or used in various modes to suit different lifestyles
- Energy usage information and diagnostic data
- Includes simple manual mode
- 5 Year Warranty
- 16 Amp 3,800W
- Made in Denmark

Manufactured for us by the world renowned OJ Electronics, our stylish, colour display, touchscreen thermostat is simple to use and includes intelligent adaptive functions to ensure optimum, energy saving performance from your undertile heating system.

The thermostat programming technology allows access to energy usage and diagnostic data and can be switched to manual mode if needed.



White N2552110

Nicobond Touchscreen Thermostat Conversion Kits

Easy to install touchscreen display thermostat covers



- East to fit during or after installation
- Made from solid metal & glass
- Available in White Glass, Black Glass, Brushed Aluminium and Chrome

To complement our Nicobond Touchscreen Thermostat we offer four conversion kits to enhance its appearance. Available in solid metal or glass frames with a colour-coded replacement fascia for the display.

*Thermostat not included



N2552109



White Glass N2552108



Brushed Aluminium N2552112



Chrome N2552111

Nicobond Manual Digistat Thermostats

Easy to use thermostat for maintaining floor temperatures exactly as required



- Simple to set up and operate
- BEAB Approved
- 3 year warranty
- Energy usage information
- 16 amp 3600W
- Available in ivory, silver and gloss black

Produced by the world renowned O J Electronics, the BEAB Approved Manual Thermostat is extremely easy to operate by simple control of temperature settings.

Fitted with a 3m floor sensor which is extendable to 100m means the thermostat can be fitted in any convenient location.





Ivory manual N2552004

Silver manual

Nicobond Mirror Demisters

A simple solution to ensure mirrors remain permanently condensation free in a bathroom.



- Automatically ensures mirrors are steam free
- Perfect for bathrooms and shower-rooms
- Sizes can be mixed and matched for perfect coverage
- Simple to install and power through the lighting circuit

Mirror demisters ensure mirrors automatically remain steam free during and after bathing and showering. They work by gently heating the reverse of the mirror, are simple to fit and can be powered through the lighting circuit.

Sizes can be mixed and matched to provide perfect coverage.



274 x 265mm N2551700

524 x 520mm N2551704





N2540064

Nicobond Gauging Trowel

7" (178mm) trowel with steel blade and softgrip handle



Nicobond Round Notched Trowel

20 x 10mm softgrip round notch trowel for floor tiles N2540058



Nicobond 4mm Notched Trowel

 Softgrip square notched trowel 4 x 4mm for wall tiles N2540059



Nicobond 6mm Notched Trowel

 Softgrip square notched trowel 6 x 6mm N2540060 for wall tiles



Nicobond 10mm Notched Trowel

 Softgrip square notched trowel 10 x 10mm for wall & floor tiles N2540062



Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Trowel

 Softgrip with unique tooth design for improved coverage

N2540194



Nicobond Grout Rake

 Grout remover with interchangable carbide and saw blades N2540090 N2540092

Spare blades

Nicobond Sealant Remover



 Soft grip dual action right angled blade allows both pull and push action for effective removal of cured silicone sealant N2540228



Nicobond Bucket Trowel

 Specially shaped for effective use with buckets 160mm trowel

N2540066



N2540018



Nicobond V Notched Trowel

 Trowel handle for notched blades 275 x 110mm

V Notched trowel blades 1.5mm

V Notched trowel blades 2mm

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Spare wheel for Pro tile cutter

Nicobond 600mm Pro Cutter

N2540020 6mm 10mm N2540022

Supplied with 6mm & 10mm wheels and case

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Nicobond Softgrip Float

 Float with softgrip handle and fixed hydro sponge N2540094



Nicobond Grout Float

 Professional grout float with wooden handle 240 x 102mm.

Suitable for walls & floors N2540100



Nicobond Epory Grout Float

 Light weight body with dense green rubber pad for the application of epoxy grouts N2540103



Nicobond Washboy

23 Litre professional cleaning set N2540104



Nicobond Softgrip Float with Hydro Sponge

- Float with softgrip handle & replaceable block cut hydro sponge
- Float with replaceable block cut hydro sponge
 280 x 140mm
 N2540096
- Replacement velcro block cut hydro sponge N2540098



Nicobond Cleaning Pads

- Emulsifying cleaning pad handle and variety of pads
- Cleaning pad handle with velcro fixings
- Emulsifying pad fine (white)

N2540084

Emulsifying pad medium (brown)

N2540086

N2540082

Emulsifying pad coarse (black)
 N2540088



Nicobond Hydro Sponges

- Used for grouting and cleaning up grout
- Small hydro sponge160 x 110 x 50mm

N2540076

Jumbo hydro sponge 200 x 150 x 60mm

N2540078

Professional Square Cut Hydro Sponge
 165 x 100 x 65mm
 N2540079



Nicobond Guide & Cooling System

 Universal guide and cooling system for use with diamond hole saws

N2540056







Nicobond Diamond Hole Saws

 Electro plated diamond cutting rim with discharge holes

N2540024 - 5mm	N2540038 - 27mm
N2540026 - 6mm	N2540040 - 30mm
N2540028 - 8mm	N2540042 - 35mm
N2540030 - 10mm	N2540044 - 50mm
N2540032 - 12mm	N2540046 - 63mm
N2540034 - 18mm	N2540048 - 75mm
N2540036 - 22mm	N2540050 - 115mm

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Nicobond Professional Tile Nipper

- For use with ceramic, glass, mosaic and porcelain tiles N2540008 Spare wheels for nipper (2 Piece)
 - N2540009



Nicobond Trim Mitre Cutter

 Designed for mitre cutting PVC trims and beading N2540001



Nicobond Tile Nipper

Drop forged carbine tipped nippers N2540006



Nicobond Rodsaw

- Nicobond 6" Rodsaw
- Replacement blades

N2540002 N2540004



Nicobond Tile File

 Tungsten grit file with flat & rounded sides 250mm N2540014



Nicobond Tile Scriber

 Tungsten carbide tipped scriber 130mm

N2540010



Nicobond Mixing Paddle

 Heavy duty mixing paddle 500 x 100mm

N2540144



Nicobond Tile Remover/Scraper

• Angled stainless steel blade with brass high im pact end for the removal of wall and floor tiles N2540198



Nicobond Long Handle Floor Scraper

- 12" Long handle floor scraper
- Long handle floor scraper blades

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Nicobond Diamond Hand Pads

- Fine pad for smoothing the edges of all types of tile N2540190
- Medium pad for smoothing the edges of all types of tile N2540192



Nicobond Heavy Duty Builders Bucket

 Heavy duty 3 gallon/15 liitre builders bucket black N2540152



Nicobond Knee Pads

Heavy duty knee pads

N2540146



Nicobond Rubber Mallet

• White 500gm rubber mallet 55mm dia N2540140



Nicobond Flexible Bucket

- 40 Litre Bucket
- 26 Litre Bucket
- 12 Litre Bucket

N2540160 N2540158 N2540156



• For silicone sealant and gap filling adhesive cartridges 400ML N2540162



Nicobond Tile Magnets

 Magnetic lock set for tile cover or access panels N2540142



Nicobond Tape Measure

5M

N2540150



Nicobond Sealant Finisher

22mm - 35mm 2 Pack N2540196



Nicobond Trianglaur Ceramic Drill Bit

Orill bit for ceramic tilles to cut holes up to 73mm in diameter N2540266



Nicobond Cartridge Nozzle Stop

 Plastic nozzle stop to prevent cartridge nozzles drying out N2540270



Nicobond Tile Markers

Set of red and black tile markers

N2540276



Nicobond Trim Mitre Block

 Unique design mitre block for straight and mitre cutting of metal and PVC trim, with channels to hold the tim and an anti-slip base N2540278



Nicobond 120mm Dia. Aluminium Suction Cup SWL 40kg

• Single aluminium bodied suction cup for tile lifting. Safe working load of 40kg. N2540284



Nicobond Twin Aluminium Suction Cup SWL 80kg

Ouble aluminium bodied suction cup for tile lifting. Safe working load of 80kg N2540286

Nicobond Tile Spacers

Peg Type Tile Spacers

2mm 500 per pack N2540110

Plastic Wedges

0-5mm 100 per pack N2540108

T type Tile Spacers

2mm (250 per pack) N2540117

X Type Tile Spacers

1mm (500 per pack)	N2540113
2mm (100 per pack)	N2540114
2mm (250 per pack)	N2540116
2mm (500 per pack)	N2540118
2mm (2500 per pack)	N2540119
2mm (5000 per bucket)	N2540120
2.5mm (250 per pack)	N2540121
3mm (250 per pack)	N2540122
3mm (500 per pack)	N2540124
3mm (2000 per pack)	N2540125
3mm (5000 per bucket)	N2540126
4mm (250 per pack)	N2540128
4mm (3000 per bucket)	N2540130
5mm (100 per pack)	N2540132
5mm (3000 per bucket)	N2540134



Nicobond Stick-it 350ml

 High performance gap filling panel adhesive N1741000



Nicobond Fill-it 380ml

 Decorators caulk, Flexible acrylic filler N1742000



Nicobond MS Pro 290ml

Max strength adhesive & sealant
 N1741002



Nicobond Heavy Duty Work Wipes x100

 Tough, absorbent, antibacterial work wipes N2540264



Nicobond Carpet Protector

• 700mm X 25m N2540260



Nicobond Hard Floor Protector

● 700mm X 25m

N2540262



Nicobond Dust Sheet

 Contractors cotton twill dusk sheet 12'x 9' N2540154

Professional Levelling System

Overcome problems with achieving a flat and level floor tile surface with the Nicobond Professional Levelling System



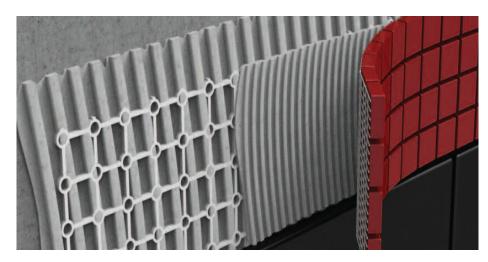
- Virtually eliminates lipping
- Dramatically reduces installation time
- Consistant grout lines (1.2mm)
- Maximum working depth 70mm
- Secure caps minimise movement
- Ideal for walls and floors



- Large Universal Base Tub 200 pcs N2540246
- Standard Caps Bag of 100 pcs N2540250
- Application Tool N2540248

Mosaic Wall Spacers

An innovative bedding out spacer system to ensure a flush surface finish for mosaics and tiles of different thicknesses. Simply insert within the tile adhesive to achieve the required depth and to avoid lipping



- Can achieve 2.5, 3.5, 4.5 and 5mm thickness
- Covers up to 4.5m length (50mm wide border)
- Optimum design allowing maximum adhesive coverage and performance.
- Snaps easily for different border widths.
- 5 sheets 300 x 150mm N2540188

Nicobond Mosaic Backing Mesh

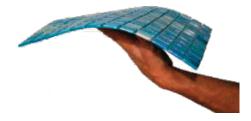
A self-adhesive backing that supports mosaic mesh sheets to enable fast and simple fixing with flat, square results every time.



- Size: 300 x 300 x 3mm
- Rigid plastic sheet that can be cut with scissors or a knife
- Allows solid bond of adhesive from tile to substrate
- Professional finish
- 1 sheet 300 x 300

N2540268





Nicobond Tile Cleaner 1ltr

Nicobond Tile Cleaner provides a gentle but powerful cleaning formula that will help maintain your wall and floor tiles in their original state, without leaving any residues.

N2540700



Nicobond Grout and Cement Remover

Nicobond Grout & Cement Remover is an acid

based cleaner ideal for removing grout residues, building site dirt. efflorescence, rust stains and lime deposits. This highly effective powerful cleaner specially formulated to deal with building work residues and general grime.

N2540702



Nicobond Limescale Remover

Nicobond Limescale Remover is designed to remove lime scale and calcium deposits found on toilets, taps, tiles and sinks and kills germs. This fast acting formula grips the surface for longer effectively remove limescale.

N2540706



Nicobond Stain and Wax Remover

Nicobond Stain Remover is an advanced formula designed to remove wax deposits and unwanted stains from tiles. This easy to use stain remover is a highly effective product that will not leave any residues.

N2540724



Nicobond Tile and Stone Polish

Nicobond Tile & Stone Polish will leave your tiles with a deep lustre. This product is ideal to revive dull floors.

It will re-polish traffic patterns, scratches, abrasions & some surface stains. Suitable for use on all ceramic, porcelain and natural tiles. For indoor use only.

N2540726



Nicobond Grout Protector

Nicobond Grout Protector protects grout from all types of stains and spills. Once treated, this product helps minimise water penetration and keeps grout in its original condition.

N2540720 500ml N2540722 Aerosol 500ml



Nicobond Water Based Sealer 1ltr

Nicobond Water Based Sealer provides maximum protection against stains and spills for your natural stone tiles. The sealer puts an invisible protection on your tiles preserving their natural appearance and will help enhance their lifespan and durability. A vapour-permeable barrier is formed that resists water and oil-based stains. One coat application.

N2540708



Nicobond Colour Intensifier and Sealer

Nicobond Colour Intensifier and Sealer is a water-

based, high performance sealer and enhancer which brings out the natural colour of stone and leaves a high sheen to the surface. It seals and protects against water penetration and liquid spills. For all polished & unpolished natural stone. One coat application.

N2540716



Nicobond Solvent Based Sealer 1ltr

Nicobond Solvent Based Sealer provides maximum stain protection for polished surfaces while preserving the natural appearance of the tile and will help enhance their lifespan and durability. Forms a vapour-permeable barrier that resists water and oil-based stains. Ideal for porcelain.

N2540712



Nicobond Sealers & Cleaners - Cleaning, Protection & Maintenance

	PROTECTION					
	INITIAL CLEANING	NATURAL LOOK PROTECTION	COLOUR ENHANCEMENT	REGULAR CLEANING	SPECIAL CLEANING	
SLATE	Grout & Cement Remover	Water Based Sealer	Colour Intensifier & Sealer	Tile Cleaner	Stain & Wax Remover	
UNPOLISHED NATURAL PRODUCTS	Grout & Cement Remover	Water Based Sealer	Colour Intensifier & Sealer	Tile Cleaner	Stain & Wax Remover	
HONED NATURAL PRODUCTS	Grout & Cement Remover	Water Based Sealer	Colour Intensifier & Sealer	Tile Cleaner	Stain & Wax Remover	
POLISHED NATURAL PRODUCTS	Tile Cleaner	Solvent Based Sealer	Colour Intensifier & Sealer	Tile Cleaner	Tile Cleaner	
HONED APPLESTONE	Tile Cleaner	Water Based Sealer	Colour Intensifier & Sealer	Tile Cleaner	Stain & Wax Remover	
LIMESTONE	Tile Cleaner	Water Based Sealer	Colour Intensifier & Sealer	Tile Cleaner	Stain & Wax Remover	
GRANITE	Tile Cleaner	Solvent Based Sealer	Colour Intensifier & Sealer	Tile Cleaner	Tile Cleaner	
POLISHED/UNGLAZED PORCELAIN	Grout & Cement Remover	Solvent Based Sealer	unrequired	Tile Cleaner	Stain & Wax Remover	
RUSTIC PORCELAIN	Grout & Cement Remover	unrequired	unrequired	Tile Cleaner	Stain & Wax Remover	
GROUT		Grout Protector	unrequired	Tile Cleaner	Grout Cleaner or Mould Remover	



Nicobond DIY Grout Float

• 240 x 90mm PVC handle with aluminum plate N2540102



Nicobond DIY Squeegee

180mm rubber squeegee

N2540072



Nicobond DIY Combination Spreader

Large combination spreader 180mm

N2540074



Nicobond DIY Notched Trowel

• 6 x 6mm economy square notched trowel 220 x 105mm N2540068



Nicobond DIY Notched Trowel

● 12 x 12mm economy square notched trowel 220 x 105mm N2540070



Nicobond DIY Sponge

380 x 240 x 360mm

N2540080



Nicobond Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner

Nicobond Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner provides a gentle but powerful cleaning formula that will help maintain your tiles to original their state, without leaving any residues

N2540728 500ml



Nicobond Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner EXTRA

Our advanced acid based cleaner that is ideal for removing grout residues, , stains lime, building site dirt rust & efflorescence's deposits.

N2540730 500 ml



Nicobond All-In-One Bathroom Cleaner

The perfect for frequent use to keep your bath, sink, toilet,

N2540106

shower and bathroom surfaces sparkling. This powerful formulation expertly cleans surfaces in a bathroom without leaving residues.

N2540732 500ml



Nicobond All-In-One **Bathroom Cleaner EXTRA**

A powerful formula that removes limescale and calcium deposits found on toilets, taps, tiles and sinks, effectively cleaning and removing whilst killing stains germs.

N2540734 500ml



Nicobond Stain & Wax Remover EXTRA

An advanced formula designed to remove wax deposits and unwanted stains from your tiles. This stain remover is a highly effective product that will not leave any residues.





Nicobond Tile & Stone Polish

Nicobond Tile & Stone Polish is ideal for reviving your dull wall and floors and repolish traffic patterns, scratches, abrasions and surface stains to leave your tiles with a deep lustre finish.

N2540762 1 litre



Nicobond Grout Cleaner

Our fast acting, easy to use formula that will penetrate through dirt and residue to remove them quickly and effectively. Helps to keep grout looking in its original condition and reduce the need for regrouting or colouring.

N2540754 500ml



Nicobond Mould Remover

New powerful formula to efficiently and effectively remove mould stains from grout, plastic fittings, silicone sealant and enamel, and is Ideal for use on plastic and enamel baths and showers.

N2540752 500ml



Nicobond Grout Protector

N2540759

500ml

Protects your grout from all types of stains and spills. Once treated, this product helps minimise water penetration and keeps grout in its original condition to help reduce the need for re-grouting.



Nicobond Grout Protector

Protects your grout from all types of stains & spills. Once treated, this product minimises water penetration and keeps grout in its original condition to help reduce the need for re-grouting.

N2540756 500ml



Nicobond Colour Enhancer and Sealer

Ideal for natural product is a water-based, high performance sealer and enhancer which brings out the natural colour of stone. It seals protects all polished and unpolished natural stone against water penetration.

N2540748 500ml N2540750 1 litre



Nicobond Invisible Sealer for Unpolished Natural Product

Seal and protect your unpolished natural stone tiles from stains & spills with our water based sealer which helps to enhance appearance and durability through minimising water penetration





Nicobond Invisible Sealer for Polished Natural Product

Nicobond Invisible Sealer provides maximum protection against stains and spills for your polished porcelain tiles. The sealer puts an invisible protection on your tiles preserving their natural appearance and will help enhance their lifespan and durability. A vapour-permeable barrier is formed that resists water and oil-based stains.

N2540740 500ml N2540742 1 litre



Nicobond Invisible Sealer for Polished Porcelain

Nicobond Invisible Sealer for Porcelain puts an invisible protection on your porcelain tiles, preserving their natural appearance. Sealer provides maximum protection against stains and spills and will enhance the lifespan and durability of your tiles. A vapour-permeable barrier is formed that resists water and oil-based stains.

N2540744 500ml N2540746 1 litre



Nicobond Sealers & Cleaners Product Selector - Cleaning, Protection & Maintenance

		PROTECTION				
	INITIAL CLEANING	NATURAL LOOK PROTECTION	COLOUR ENHANCEMENT	REGULAR CLEANING	SPECIAL CLEANING	
SLATE	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner Extra	Invisible Sealer for Unpolished Natural Product	Colour Enhancer & Sealer for Natural Product	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner / All in One Bathroom Cleaner	Stain Remover EXTRA	
UNPOLISHED NATURAL PRODUCTS	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner Extra	Invisible Sealer for Unpolished Natural Product	Colour Enhancer & Sealer for Natural Product	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner / All in One Bathroom Cleaner	Stain Remover EXTRA	
HONED NATURAL PRODUCTS	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner Extra	Invisible Sealer for Unpolished Natural Product	Colour Enhancer & Sealer for Natural Product	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner / All in One Bathroom Cleaner	Stain Remover EXTRA	
POLISHED NATURAL PRODUCTS	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner	Invisible Sealer for Polished Natural Product	Colour Enhancer & Sealer for Natural Product	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner / All in One Bathroom Cleaner	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner	
HONED APPLESTONE	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner	Invisible Sealer for Unpolished Natural Product	Colour Enhancer & Sealer for Natural Product	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner / All in One Bathroom Cleaner	Stain Remover EXTRA	
LIMESTONE	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner	Invisible Sealer for Unpolished Natural Product	Colour Enhancer & Sealer for Natural Product	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner / All in One Bathroom Cleaner	Stain Remover EXTRA	
GRANITE	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner	Invisible Sealer for Polished Natural Product	Colour Enhancer & Sealer for Natural Product	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner / All in One Bathroom Cleaner	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner	
POLISHED PORCELAIN	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner Extra	Invisible Sealer for Polished Porcelain	unrequired	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner / All in One Bathroom Cleaner	Stain Remover EXTRA	
RUSTIC PORCELAIN	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner Extra	unrequired	unrequired	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner / All in One Bathroom Cleaner	Stain Remover EXTRA	
GROUT		Grout Protector	unrequired	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner / All in One Bathroom Cleaner	Grout Cleaner or Mould Remover	
CERAMIC	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner Extra	unrequired	unrequired	Floor & Wall Tile Cleaner / All in One Bathroom Cleaner	All in One Bathroom Cleaner EXTRA / Stain Remover EXTRA	



Sub-floor Moisture Control

A key aspect of sub-floor preparation, our non-destructive moisture testing equipment allows you to determine accurately the moisture levels of your screed or concrete floor. British Standards BS8201, BS8203, BS5325 (see page 8 for full list) states that the floor must be sufficiently dry to allow for installation of a resilient floor covering

Moisture Testing

Establish the presence of or absence of moisture levels in the screeded floor using one of our Nicobond Moisture meters.

If moisture is indicated, further investigation is required.

Humidity Testing

Our Nicobond Digital Hygrometer is an insulating box that incorporates a hygrometer that accurately measures the relative humidity and air temperature.

To obtain relative humidity readings it is recommended to use at least two Digital Hygrometers, irrespective of the room size in order to accurately access the condition of the floor. Switch unit on once entrapped air reaches moisture equilibrium.

Refer to the Nicobond Technical Data Sheet prior to use. If RH is under 75%, installation of the floor covering can commence.

Floor Treatment (if required)

If the floor achieves a reading lower than 75% RH or 0.5% by weight, proceed with fitting.

However, if the reading is above these limits, there is still moisture in the sub-floor. Apply Nicobond Damp Proof Membrane, which is a single coat, water surface damp proof membrane and vapour suppressant.

Nicobond DPM controls residual moisture prior to the application of smoothing underlayments or floor coverings.

Seek advice from the manufacturer concerning Anhydrite/Calcium Sulphate screeds

Moisture Meters

Our Nicobond Moisture Meters are easy to use and can readily determine the areas with greatest percentage of moisture within a subfloor or screeding compound.





Measures moisture in concrete / hard floors

Digital Hygrometer

An effective, portable and re-usable digital hygrometer which is designed for measuring the relative humidity within screeds and in particular Anhydrite / Calcium Sulphate screeds.





Digital Hygrometer



Hygro-Box/Digital Probe

DPM One Coat Membrane

A two part epoxy resin surface DPM and vapour suppressant which is supplied in a functional dual chamber container and is used to form a barrier to restrict the passage of moisture.





Moisture Meter Kit

Ideal for assessing the moisture content of a variety of construction materials.



scale 1 - wood 1 scale 2 - wood 2 8.0 to 40.0% scale 3 - plaster 0.1 to 15.0% scale 4 - concrete 0.5 to 12.0%

scale 5 - linear 0 to 1000

0.1% or 1 (Linear Scale)

±1% moisture content

3 x 1.5 volt AAA – 350 hours

12mm LCD

25 x 56 x 128mm

130 grams

6.0 to 40.0% Our professional Nicobond Moisture Meter Kit offers a complete solution for measuring moisture and dampness values as a percentage within various substrates and materials, such as concrete, screed, smoothing compounds, soft wood, hard wood and plaster.

> Includes a general purpose probe, heavy duty hammer probe and a pack of pins for each instrument.





General Purpose Probe

This standard, general purpose, two pin (12.7mm spacing) moisture meter probe is ideal for measuring moisture in a variety of



Heavy Duty Hammer Probe

Designed for measuring moisture in wood and similar materials. The two insulated shank ensures measurements are taken at the pin tip, allowing varying of depth easurements.



Deep Wall Probe

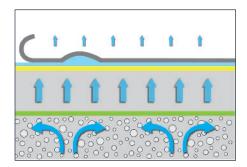
With it's insulated deep wall/floor probe, the probe can measure moisture deep within walls and floors, regardless of surface dampness.

The insulated shanks should be inserted into pre-drilled holes.

Note: The deep wall probe is not supplied in the kit and is only available as an optional extra



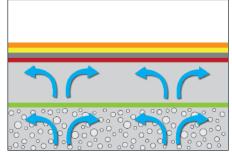
Avoiding Installation Failures



Premature installation

Demanding schedules increase the risk of the floor covering being installed prior to the screed drying to the required level.

Premature installation of the floor covering will prevent the release of moisture from the concrete resulting in trapped moisture, causing blisters or even the failure of the adhesive, resulting in separation and time consuming and potentially expensive remedial works.



Use of flooring membranes

Damp proof membranes restrict damp from passing through the concrete subfloor. If the DPM does not exist or is damaged, moisture rises to the surface, which without a waterproof surface membrane, can affect the adhesion of the floor covering.

A watesurface membrane creates a film which forms a barrier that restricts the passage of moisture and allows a controlled passage of water vapour. Use of a Surface Proof Membrane helps to protect the sub-floor.



Measurement is key

It is impossible to detect moisture without the use of equipment as it is not always visible to the eye and may conceal moisture that is being released over time.

Digital Hygrometer

A calibrated digital hygrometer box for carrying out moisture tests on concrete floors and screeds prior to the installation of floor coverings.



British Standards BS8201 - BS8203 - BS5325 The N&C Digital Hygrometer is an insulated humidity box that incorporates a thermo hygrometer that indicates both relative humidity and air temperature. The box is used for non-destructive moisture testing on concrete, anhydrite screeds and other floors.

For accurate results, tests should be carried out after the internal conditions of the building in which the slab is located have been at normal service temperature and humidity for at least 48 hours prior to commencement of testing. Ensure that all artificial aids used to accelerate the drying of the slab and the underfloor heating are turned off at least 4 days (96 hours) prior to taking the final readings. For best results use in pairs.











Hygro - Box

An insulated humidity box for measuring relative humidity or temperature.



- Dimensions 200 x 200 x 50mm
- Solely used with Nicobond Therma Probe

The Nicobond Hygro-Box is an insulated humidity box, with a top opening round grommet, Simply insert the Nicobond Therma Probe to measure the relative humidity or temperature. The Hygro-Box is used for non-destructive moisture testing on concrete, anhydrite screeds and other floors. Includes 8m Butyl tape for sealing.







Water Resistant

Therma Probe

An easy to use relative humidity and air temperature measuring instrument.



- Case Material: ABS plastic
- Display Type: LCD digital
- Power Source: Battery
- Max/min Function: Yes

The Nicobond Therma Probe is an easy to use, relative humidity and air temperature measuring instrument for use with the Nicobond Hygro Box.

The unit measures %rh over the range of 0 to 100%rh with a resolution of 0.1%rh and temperature over the -20 to 70°C (120 to 50°C with fixed probe) with a resolution of 0.1°C.

The Therma Probe incorporates a custom LCD, displaying %rh,°C/°F, dew point indication, max/min and hold.

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Water Resistant









	Product	Nicobond Tile Adhesive	Nicobond Ultragrip
	Description	The original ready mixed tile adhesive	Ready mixed, high grab acrylic tile adhesive
	Substrate	Wall	Wall
Specifications	Bed Thickness	Up to 3mm	Up to 3mm
	Open Time (approx)	20 min	30 min
cifice	Grouting After Fixing	6 - 12 hrs	6 - 12 hrs
Spe	Set Time (approx)	24 hrs	24 hrs
	Colour	Off white	Off white
	Pack Size	15kg	15kg, 7.5kg
	Classification - EN12004	D1TE	D1TE
m	Interior	✓	✓
itions	Exterior		
Conditions	Swimming Pools		
_	High Humidity		
	Gypsum Plaster/Plasterboard Dry Areas	•	✓
	Gypsum Plaster/Plasterboard High Humidity	✓	✓
Surfaces	Tile Backer Boards	✓	✓
Wall Sur	Concrete/Blocks/Bricks Cement Sand Render	✓	✓
>	Wood Based Boards	✓	✓
	Gloss Paints	✓	✓
	Existing Tiled Surfaces	✓	✓

Conditions

Wall Surfaces





Nicobond Waterproof Tile Adhesive	Nicobond Aquagrip
Ready mixed, waterproof acrylic tile adhesive	Ready mixed, high grab waterproof acrylic tile adhesive
Wall	Wall
Up to 3mm	Up to 3mm
30 min	30 min
4 - 6 hrs	4 - 6 hrs
24 hrs	24 hrs
Brilliant white	Off white
15kg, 3.75kg	15kg
D2TE	D2TE
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✓	✓
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- E Add Nicobond Enhancer 2002 as per data sheet P1 Prime with Nicobond Primer P2 Prime with 2 coats diluted Nicobond Primer applied at
- right angles to each other P3 Slurry prime as detailed in priming section







	Product	Nicobond Rapidflex	Nicobond Single Part Flexible Adhesive	Nicobond Large Format
	Description	Flexible, rapid set tile adhesive	Single part flexible normal set tile adhesive	Single part fast set tile adhesive
Specifications	Substrate	Wall & Floor	Wall & Floor	Floor
	Bed Thickness	Up to 12mm	Up to 12mm	Up to 30mm
icat	Open Time (approx)	10 - 15 min	10 - 20 min	20 min
ecif	Grouting After Fixing	2 - 4 hrs	12 - 18 hrs	3 - 4 hrs
Sp	Set Time (approx)	3 - 4 hrs	12 - 18 hrs	3 - 4 hrs
	Colour	White & Grey	White	Grey
	Pack Size	20kg, 10kg	20kg, 10kg	20kg
	Classification - EN12004	C2 FT S1	C2 TE S1	C2 F S1
SL	Internal	✓	✓	✓
oji ji	External	✓	✓	✓
Conditions	Swimming Pools	✓	✓	
O	High Humidity	✓	✓	
	Gypsum Plaster/ Plasterboard Dry Areas Gypsum Plaster/	+ P2	+ P2	
ces	Plasterboard High Humidity	•		
urfa	Tile Backer Boards Concrete/Blocks/Bricks	V	V	
Wall Surfaces	Cement Sand Render	+ P1	+ P1	
Š	Wood Based Boards	✓		
	Gloss Paints	✓	✓	
	Existing Tiled Surfaces	✓	✓	
Surfaces	Concrete/Cement sand screed/ Cement based levelling or smoothing compounds	+ P1	√ + P1	+ P1
Ō	Power Floated Concrete	+ P1	+ P1	+ P1
es	Anhydrite/Calcium Sulphate-Based Screed	+ P2	+ P2	+ P2
rfac	Hard Floor Grade Asphalt Sanded	+ P4	+ P4	+ P4
Floor Surfaces	Under Floor Heating	1	1	*
Floc	Ceramic Stone Terrazzo	✓	✓	✓
	Metal/Steel	✓	*	
	Wood Based Boards	✓	✓	→
	Plastic Ply	✓	✓	✓
	Hard Vinyl Tiles	+ P4	+ P4	+ P4











Nicobond Xtra	Nicobond Natural Stone Speedflex	Nicobond Fast Flexible Adhesive	Nicobond Fast Floor and Wall	Nicobond Ecoflex
High build normal set tile adhesive	Quick set for marble and stone	Two part fast set tile adhesive	Rapid set tile adhesive	Flexible - rapid set tile adhesive
Wall & Floor	Wall & Floor	Wall & Floor	Wall & Floor	Wall & Floor
Up to 10 mm walls 15mm floors	Up to 12mm	Up to 12mm	Up to 12mm	Up to 12mm
20 min	10 - 15 min	20 - 30 min	10 -15 min	10 - 15 min
12 - 18 hrs	3 hrs	5 hrs	2 hrs	2 - 4 hrs
12 - 18 hrs	3 hrs	1 - 4 hrs	2 hrs	3 - 4 hrs
White & Grey	White & Grey	Dark Grey	Grey	White & Grey
20kg	20kg	7.5kg / 5ltr	20kg, 10kg	20kg
C2 TE	C2 FT	C1 E S2	C2 FT	C2 FT S1
✓	4	✓	✓	✓
✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
*	1	*	1	*
+ P2	+ P2		+ P2	+ P2
+ P2	+ P2		+ P2	+ P2
✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
√ +P1	√ + P1	✓	√ + P1	→ + P1
→ +E	√ +E	✓	+ E	✓
→ +E	- + E	✓	+ E	
+ E	→ +E	·	+ E	1
→ +P1	√ + P1	✓	√ + P1	→ + P1
→ +P1		✓	+ P1	+ P1
+ P2	√ + P2	✓	+ P2	+ P2
+ E + P4	+ E + P4		+ E + P4	+ P4
1	1	✓	1	1
*	√ +E	,	+ E + P4	4
+ E + P4	√ + E	✓	√ + E	✓
→ +E	√ + E	✓	√ + E	✓
				✓
+ E + P4	+ E + P4	✓	+ E + P4	+ P4

This product can be used in this situation

- E Add Nicobond Enhancer 2002 as per data sheet
 U Add UBAS as per data sheet
 P1 Prime with Nicobond Primer
 P2 Prime with 2 coats diluted Nicobond Primer applied at right angles to each other
 P3 Slurry prime as detailed in priming section







	Product	Nicobond Mosaic Adhesive & Grout	Nicobond Floor and Wall	Standard Set Flex
	Description	Dual purpose normal set tile adhesive	Normal set tile adhesive	Normal set tile adhesive
	Substrate	Wall & Floor	Wall & Floor	Wall & Floor
Specifications	Bed Thickness	Up to 10mm	Up to 10mm	Up to 10mm
	Open Time (approx)	10 - 15 min	20 min	20 min
eci	Grouting After Fixing	12 - 24 hrs	18 - 24 hrs	18 - 24 hrs
S	Set Time (approx)	12 - 24 hrs	18 - 24 hrs	18 - 24 hrs
	Colour	Super White & Grey	White & Grey	White & Grey
	Pack Size	20kg	20kg, 10kg	20kg
	Classification - EN12004	C1 TE	C1T	C2TE
S	Internal	✓	✓	✓
Conditions	External	✓	✓	✓
Sonc	Swimming Pools	✓	✓	✓
O	High Humidity	*	*	*
	Gypsum Plaster/ Plasterboard Dry Areas	+ P2	+ P2	+ P2
es es	Gypsum Plaster/ Plasterboard High Humidity	+ P2	+ P2	+ P2
rfac	Tile Backer Boards	→ +E	+ E	✓
Wall Surfaces	Concrete/Blocks/Bricks Cement Sand Render	→ + P1	√ + P1	→ +P1
Š	Wood Based Boards	→ + E	→ +E	+ E
	Gloss Paints	+ E	→ +E	→ +E
	Existing Tiled Surfaces	→ +E	√ +E	+ E
rfaces	Concrete/Cement sand screed/ Cement based levelling or smoothing compounds	→ + P1	√ + P1	√ + P1
Sn	Power Floated Concrete	+ P1	+ E + P1	√ + P1
ş	Anhydrite/Calcium Sulphate-Based Screed	+ E + P1	+ P2	→ + P2
face	Hard Floor Grade Asphalt Sanded	+ P2	+ E + P4	+ E + P4
Floor Surfaces	Under Floor Heating	+ E + P4	√ +E	→ +E
loor	Ceramic Stone Terrazzo	+ E	+ E + P4	+ E + P4
ш	Metal/Steel	+ E	→ +E	→ +E
	Wood Based Boards	+ E	✓ +E	√ +E
	Plastic Ply			
	Hard Vinyl Tiles	+ E + P4	+ E + P4	+ E + P4

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Nicobond Quickfix	Nicobond Quickflex	CT300 Ceramic Tile Adhesive	Gypfix
Quick set tile adhesive	Single part quick set flexible tile adhesive	Thin or thick-bed, waterproof adhesive, export formulation	Gypsum-based, fast setting
Wall & Floor	Wall & Floor	Wall & Floor	Floor
Up to 10mm	Up to 12mm	Up to 10mm	Up to 12mm
10 - 15 min	15 - 20 min	20 min	20 min
2 - 3 hrs	3 hrs	18 - 24 hrs	4 hrs
3 - 4 hrs	3 hrs	18 - 24 hrs	4 hrs
Grey	White & Grey	White & Grey	White
20kg	20kg	20kg	20kg
C1FT	C2 FT	C1T	N/A
✓	✓	✓	✓
✓	✓	✓	
✓	✓	✓	
✓	✓	✓	
→ + P2	+ P2	+ P2	
+ P2	→ + P2	+ P2	
→ +E	✓	+ E	
+ P1	✓ + P1	→ + P1	
+ E	√ +E	+ E	
+ E	+ E	+E	
+E	+ E	+ E	
→ +P1	√ + P1	+ P1	
+ E + P1	+E+P1	+ E + P1	
+ P2	√ + P2	+ P2	✓
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E - Add Nicobond Enhancer 2002





Product	Flexible Grout Plus	Tilers Grout
Description	A single part, flexible and water resistant polymer modified, cement based grout	Grouting compound for ceramic tiles & mosaics
Tiling Substrates	Wall & Floor	Wall & Floor
Available Colours	Black, Silver Grey, Cream, Slate Grey, White, Limestone, Mid Grey, Jasmine & Lt Coffee	White, Limestone, Ivory, Grey, Charcoal, Beige
Pot Time (approx)	45 - 60 min	60 min
Setting Time (approx)	8 -12 hrs	4 - 8 hrs
Classification - EN12004	CG2	CG1
Pack Size	10kg - 2.5kg	20kg - 10kg 5kg - 2.5kg - 1kg
Suitable Joint Widths		
White & Light Colours	2 - 20mm	Up to 4mm
Grey & Dark Colours	2 - 20mm	Up to 20mm
	4	4
Interior Wall Tiling	✓	•
Interior Floor Tiling	✓	✓
Exterior Wall Tiling	✓	✓
Exterior Floor Tiling	✓	✓
Swimming Pools	✓	✓
Increased Water Resistance	→	
Heated Floors	✓	→ +E
Heavy Pedestrian Traffic	✓	→ +E
Food Preparation Areas		
Tiles on Worktops	✓	
Tiles on Wooden Floors	✓	+ E
Tiles on to Plastic Ply	*	+ E
Commercial Kitchens	✓	→ +E
Commercial Showers	✓	+ E
Domestic Kitchens Walls	✓	4
Domestic Kitchens Floors	✓	+ E
Domestic Pumped Showers	*	
Domestic Showers	*	→
Chemical Resistance	·	•







Mosaic Adhesive & Grout	Starlike	Silicone Sealant	
For bonding & grouting, paper faced or mesh back ceramics - mosaics	Extreme performance grout add Sparkle to create a sensational glitter effect	A ready to use, high modulus, acetoxy silicone sealant	
Wall & Floor	Wall & Floor	Wall & Floor	
Super White & Grey	Black, Slate Grey, Mid Grey, Silver Grey, White, Jasmine, Cream, Limestone & Lt Coffee	Clear, White, Jasmine, Limestone, Light Coffee, Silver Grey & Black	
60 min	60 min	Skinning Time Approx 25 mins	
8 - 12 hrs	6 - 8 hrs	Full cure up to 24 hrs	
CG2	RG + R2T	ISO 11607-F-25HM	
20kg	2.5kg Starlike, 75gm Sparkle	310ml	
Up to 10mm	up to 15mm	Typical bead up to 6mm	
Up to 10mm	up to 15mm	Typical bead up to 6mm	
4	4	4	
✓	✓	✓	
✓	✓	✓	
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This product can be used in this situation

P1: Prime with Nicobond Primer diluted 1:4 with water.

P2: Prime with 2 coats Nicobond Primer applied at right angles to each other diluted 1: 3 with water

P3: Prime with undiluted (Neat) Nicobond Primer







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Product	All Purpose	Level Floor	Latex
Description	Rapid drying, rapid setting, 2 part, low odour, medium strength, self smoothing underlayment.	An economical fast setting,self smoothing underlayment, ideal for renovation work.	An conventional, 2 part, low odour self smoothing underlayment.
CT category	C16 F5	C25 F7	C25 F7
Working Life at 20°C	10 mins	20 - 30 mins	30 mins
Walk on hardness at 20°C	30 - 45 mins	2 hrs	2 hrs
Ready to fix ceramics at 3mm	45 mins	4 hrs	4 hrs
Ready to fix resilient/LVT flooring at 3mm	45 mins loose lay 3 - 4 hrs bonded	4 hrs loose lay 12 hrs bonded	12 hrs bonded
Application Thickness (Min)	1mm	2mm	1-8mm unfilled
Application Thickness (Max)	10mm	50mm	30mm
Can Granite Chips be added	No	Yes	Yes
Coverage at 3mm per bag	4 - 4.5m ²	3.5 - 4m ²	4.5m ²
Pack size (powder)	20kg	20kg	20kg
Pack size (liquid)	4.8 litres	N/A	4 litres
Protein Free	1	✓	1
Suitable for Pump Application	·	•	·
Power Floated Concrete	+ P1	+ P1	+ P1
Concrete/Cement Sand Screed Substrates	+ P1	+ P1	+ P1
Cement Sand Screed	+ P1	√ + P1	+ P1
Cement Based Levelling Compound	+ P1	+ P1	+ P1
Calcium Sulphate Based Screed (Anhydrite)	+ P2	+ P2	+ P2
Hard Internal Floor Grade Asphalt (sanded)	+ P3	+ P3	+ P3
Underfloor Heating	*	*	*
Minimal Adhesive Residues on Solid Base	1	+ P3	+ P3
Plywood Overlays			*
Non-Absorbent Surfaces e.g. Terrazzo, Ceramic Tiles	+ P3		+ P3
Metal/Steel (non flexing, corrosion free & clean)			+ P3
Floor Boards			+ P1
Hard Vinyl Tiles	+ P3		+ P3
Nicobond Surface DPM'S	+ P3		+ P3
Typical areas of use		1	
Commercial	*	*	*
Industrial	✓	*	✓
Hospitals	*	*	*
		4	4

Specifications

Floor Surfaces

This product can be used in this situation

 +P4 Apply a slurry bonding coat comprising 2 parts ScreedPro Cement Mix 1 part Nicobond Primer 1 part clean cold water







Product Cement Mix Cement Mix Cement Mix Nicobond ScreedPro Cement Mix is a specially formulated cement replacement binder for use with graded aggregate to produce rapid setting and ultra rapid drying floors screeds. Description Screeds produced using ScreedPro Cement Mix can be tiled after 3 hours and ready to accept a levelling compound prior to installing resilient flooring from 18 hours. Mix Ratio by Weight 1:4 1:5.5 1:7 CT category C50 F11 C38 F8.5 C25 F6 Working Time 20 - 30 mins 25 - 35 mins 30 - 45 mins Walk on Time 2 - 3hrs 2 - 3hrs 3 - 4hrs Ready for Floor Covering From 3hrs From 3hrs From 3hrs Graded Aggregate 0 - 8mm 1.7kg/m²/mm 1.9kg/m²/mm 1.8kg/m²/mm Mixing Time 4 - 6 minutes 5 – 7 minutes 6 – 8 minutes Coverage 0.42kg/m²/mm 0.33kg/m²/mm 0.27kg/m²/mm Pack size (powder) 20kg 20kg 20kg

	Suitable for Pump Application	✓	*	4
TION SUITACES MILITIANI LINCKINESS	Bonded Screeds	15mm +P4	15mm +P4	15mm +P4
	Unbonded Screeds	40mm	40mm	40mm
	Floating screeds over insulation or slip membrane - Domestic	65mm	65mm	65mm
	Floating screeds over insulation or slip membrane - Commercial	75mm	75mm	75mm

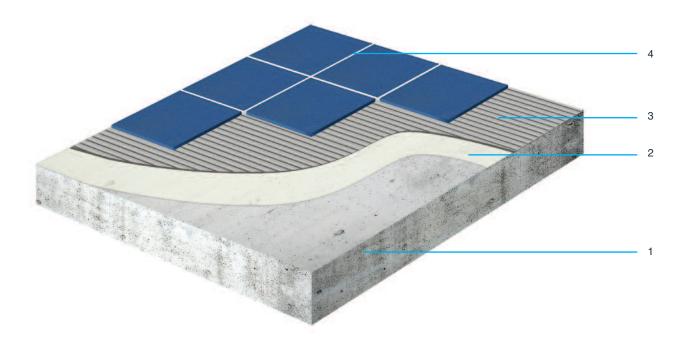
Underfloor Heating	✓	≠	✓
Typical areas of use			
Commercial	✓	✓	4
Industrial	*		4
Hospitals	4	*	1
Schools		*	4

Specification

Floor Surfaces Minimum Thickness



Tiling onto Sand:Cement Screed/Concrete



- 1. Ensure sand:cement screed or concrete base is fully cured, flat and clean.
- 2. If the base is porous, prime with diluted Nicobond Primer in ratio 4 volumes of water to 1 volume of Nicobond Primer and allow to dry.
- 3. Solidly bed tiles into recommended adhesive 3-6mm deep using slight sliding action. Allow to dry to recommended time.
- 4. Fill joints between tiles using recommended grout.
- * Allow at least 6 weeks for structural concrete floors to cure and further 3 weeks for subsequently applied screed. In the event that a rapid setting cement replacement is used the drying time of screed will be greatly reduced. Contact the Technical Team for further information

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Fast Floor and Wall Adhesive



Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Tilers Grout

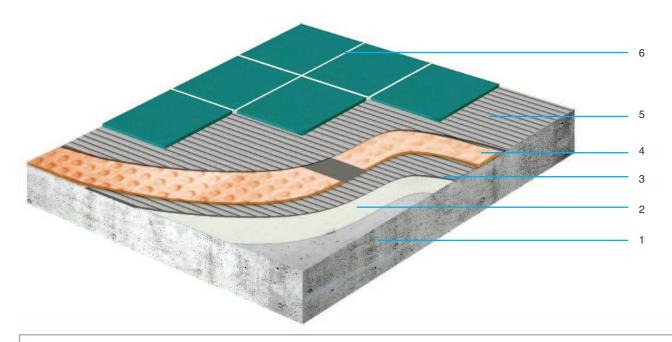
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Nicobond Primer

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Xtra Nicobond Fast Flexible Nicobond Single Part Flexible Nicobond Ecoflex Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002 Nicobond Starlike Grout

Tiling onto a Cracked Floor or Green Screed



- 1. Ensure sand:cement screed or concrete base is fully cured, flat and clean.
- 2. If the base is porous, prime with diluted Nicobond Primer in ratio 4 volumes of water to 1 volume of Nicobond Primer and allow to dry.
- 3. Using a 4mm notched trowel, apply a thin layer of a C2 S1 tile adhesive to the surface and lightly comb through.
- 4. Whilst the adhesive is still wet, press the Nicobond D-Mat 3L firmly into position. Use a float or similar flat trowel to smooth out and ensure the fleece is embedded into the adhesive. Butt joint the adjacent lengths of the mat and secure together with Nicobond Jointing Tape.
- 5. Apply a layer of the recommended C2 S1 category adhesive onto the Nicobond D-Mat 3L using the straight edge of the notched trowel, press the adhesive firmly into the round cavities to create a solid bed. The adhesive can then be floated over the surface, notched with a trowel and tiles placed firmly into position.
- 6. Fill joints between tiles using the recommended grout.
- * Allow at least 6 weeks for structural concrete floors to cure and further 3 weeks for subsequently applied screed.
- * For fast track applications the Nicobond D-Mat 3L can be laid on to the screed as soon as it is sufficiently hard to walk on and then tiled.
- * D-Mat 3L is suitable for application over surface cracks, any structural cracks should be suitably surveyed and repaired accordingly.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive



Nicobond Single Part Flexible Adhesive

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout

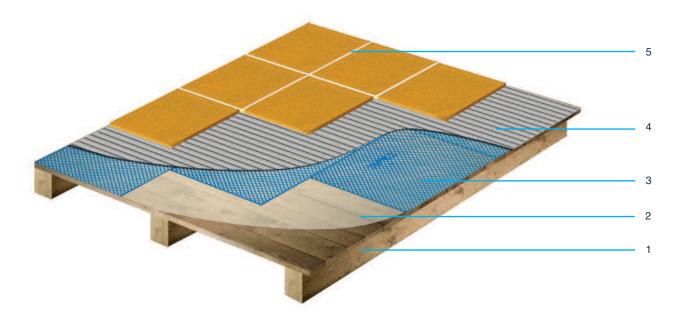
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Nicobond D-Mat 3L

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Xtra/Enhancer 2002 Nicobond Fast Floor and Wall Adhesive/Enhancer 2002 Nicobond Ecoflex Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002 Other Featured Products Nicobond Primer Nicobond Jointing Tape

Tiling onto Timber Floors using a Timber Reinforcing Sheet



- 1. Ensure that the timber floorboards or chipboard/plywood is screwed down at a maximum of 300mm centres.
- 2. Prime the timber surfaces with diluted Nicobond Universal Bonding Agent & Sealer and allow to dry.
- 3. To reduce deflection and increase stability, overlay the timber floor with Nicobond Plastic Ply in a brick like formation. Remove the backing sheet for self adhesive fixing.
- 4. Solidly bed tiles into recommended adhesive 3-6mm deep using slight sliding action. Allow to dry to recommended time.
- 5. Fill joints between tiles using the recommended grout.
- * Timber is not considered to be a suitable base for floor tiling in wet, frequently damp, or high humidity areas, unless appropriate precautions are taken (BS 5385-4). Noggins might be required between joists in order to achieve the required rigidity. The limit of deflection normally permitted for domestic timber floors (see BS 5268-2) might be too great to avoid damage to tiling systems.
- * Nicobond Plastic Ply is not a suitable remedy for direct tiling to floating floors, these require additional strengthening through overboading, seek technical advice.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive



Nicobond Single Part Flexible Adhesive

Recommended Tile Grout

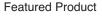


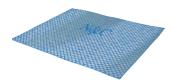
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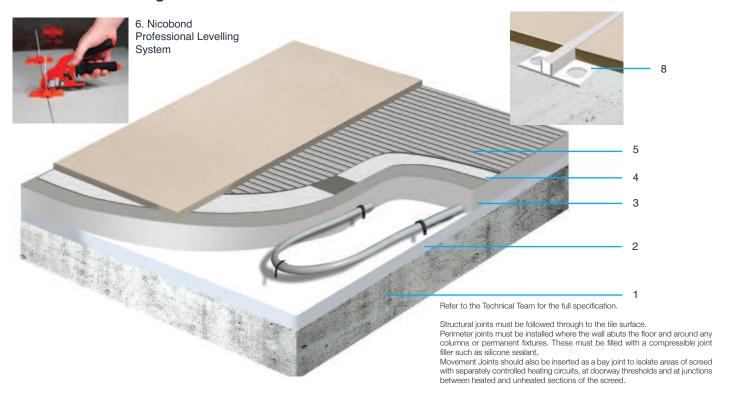


Nicobond Plastic Ply

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Xtra/Enhancer 2002 Nicobond Fast Wall and Floor Adhesive/Enhancer 2002 Nicobond Ecoflex Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002 Other Featured Products Universal Bonding Agent and Sealer

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Installation of Large Format Tiles over in-situ Underfloor Heated Floors



Fix large format tiles of a minimum thickness of 10mm and typically in sizes

800mm x 800mm, 900mm x 450mm, 1000mm x 1000mm, 1200mm x 600mm and 1200mm x 1200mm.

- 1. Ensure the concrete base is fully cured, flat and clean.
- 2. Insulation layer and heating system
- 3. Ensure the screed is fully cured, flat and clean.
- 4. Loose lay the Nicobond Disconnecting Sheet onto the screed surface and tape over joints with Nicobond Jointing Tape.
- 5. Tiles should be back buttered and solidly bedded into the adhesive layer to ensure there are no voids beneath the tiles.
- 6. The Nicobond Professional Levelling System should be used to ensure tiles are flat and level.
- 7. Fill joints between tiles using the recommended Grout.
- 8. Intermediate movement joints should be installed to ensure the bay sizes are not greater than 80m², are square or rectangular and with the width to length ratio not exceeding 10 to 8.
- * Allow at least 6 weeks for structural concrete floors to cure and further 3 weeks for subsequently applied screed.
- * Large Format Agglomerate Tiles may be unsuitable for service conditions. Check with manufacturer before use.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Xtra/Enhancer 2002 Nicobond Fast Floor and Wall Adhesive/Enhancer 2002

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Tilers Grout

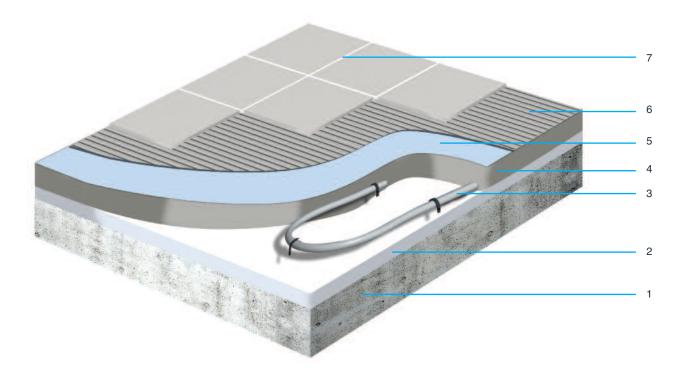
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Nicobond Proffessional Levelling System

Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002 Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout Other Featured Products
Nicobond Disconnecting Sheet
Nicobond Jointing Tape
Nicobond Movement Joints
Nicobond Professional Levelling
System

Tiling to Sand: Cement Screed with in-situ Underfloor Heating



- 1. Ensure the concrete base is fully cured, flat and clean.
- 2. Apply a 30mm Insulation layer and cover with polythene slip membrane/damp proof membrane (DPM)
- 3. Heating pipes tied to mesh or stapled to insulation at 250mm centres.
- 4. Apply a 65mm layer of screed.
- 5. If necessary, prime with diluted Nicobond Primer and allow to dry.
- 6. Solidly bed tiles into recommended adhesive 3-6mm thick, using slight sliding action.
- 7. Fill joints between tiles using recommended grout
- * Screed to be allowed to dry out for minimum of 3 weeks. (In the event that a rapid setting cement replacement is used the drying time of screed will be greatly reduced. Refer to the Technical Team for further information) Heat the floor to intended surface temperature and maintain for a minimum of 3 days, allow to cool to room temperature before tiling. Allow 28 days after completion before restoring the floor to its operating temperature at a rate of 5°C per day.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive



Nicobond Xtra

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout

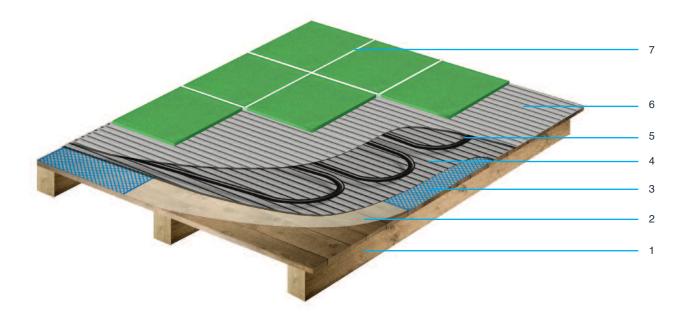
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Nicobond Primer

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Single Part Flexible Nicobond Fast Floor and Wall/Enhancer Nicobond Ecoflex Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002

Tiling onto Timber Floors with Undertile Heating



- 1. Ensure that the timber floorboards or chipboard/plywood is screwed down at a maximum of 300mm centres.
- 2. Prime the timber surfaces with diluted Nicobond Universal Bonding Agent & Sealer and allow to dry.
- 3. To reduce deflection and increase stability, overlay the timber floor with Nicobond Plastic Ply in a brick like formation. Remove the backing sheet for self adhesive fixing.
- 4. Using the straight edge of a notched trowel, float a layer of recommended adhesive over the Nicobond Plastic Ply to ensure the voids are filled in to produce a smooth surface.
- 5. Lay out the undertile heating wire or mat and tape into position.
- 6. Apply a layer of the recommended adhesive to fully encapsalate the wires and cover with a layer of either Nicobond ScreedPro Latex with Latex Flex Liquid or the appropriate tile adhesive.
- 7. Bed the tiles in to the appropriote adhesive and fill joints between tiles using the recommended grout.
- * Timber is not considered to be a suitable base for floor tiling in wet, frequently damp, or high humidity areas, unless appropriate precautions are taken (BS 5385-4).

Noggins might be required between joists in order to achieve the required rigidity. The limit of deflection normally permitted for domestic timber floors (see BS 5268-2) might be too great to avoid damage to tiling systems.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive



Nicobond Single Part Flexible Adhesive

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout

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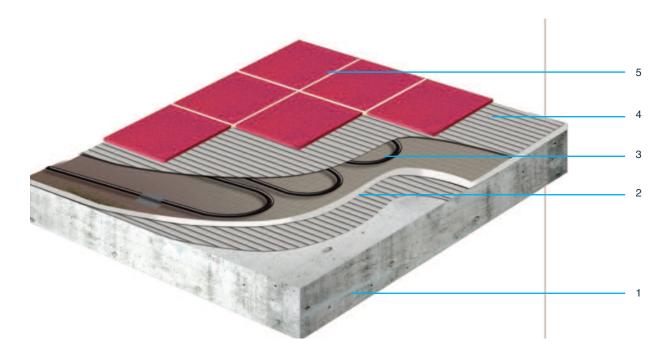


Nicobond Undertile Heating

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Xtra/Nicobond Enhancer 2002 Nicobond Ecoflex Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002

Other Featured Products Nicobond Plastic Ply

Tiling onto Sand:Cement Screed with Undertile Heating



- Ensure the sand:cement screed or concrete is fully cured, flat and clean.
- To improve heating performance, we recommend using minimum of 10mm Nicobond Tile Backer Board as an insulation layer. Adhere the tile backer board directly onto the concrete/sand:cement screed using the recommended adhesive and allow to dry.
- Lay out the wire and tape in position.
- Apply a layer of the recommended adhesive to fully encapsalate the wires and cover with a layer of either Nicobond ScreedPro Latex with Latex Flex Liquid or the appropriote tile adhesive.
- 5. Bed the tiles in to the appropriote adhesive and fill joints between tiles using the recommended grout.
- * Allow at least 6 weeks for structural concrete floors to cure and further 3 weeks for subsequently applied screed. In the event that a rapid setting cement replacement is used the drying time of screed will be greatly reduced. Refer to the Technical Team for further information.
- * The tile adhesive must be fully dry (minimum 7 days) before the heating is switched on.
- * The recommended 10mm Tile Backer Board is the minimum to be used. Improved insulation will result from the use of thicker boards. Consult technical team for insulation properties of different board thicknesses.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive



Nicobond Single Part Flexible Adhesive

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



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Undertile Heating

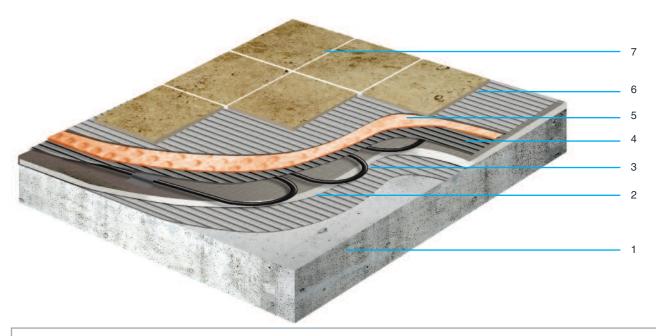
Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Single Part Flexible Nicobond Fast Floor and Wall/Enhancer Nicobond Ecoflex

Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002

Other Featured Products Nicobond Tile Backer Board

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Fixing Natural Stone to Sand:Cement Screed/Concrete with Undertile Heating



- 1. Ensure the sand:cement screed or concrete is fully cured, flat and clean.
- 2. To provide insulation, use the recommended adhesive and affix a minimum 10mm thick layer of Nicond Tile Backer Board. Tape over the joints with Nicobond Jointing Tape.
- 3. Lay out the Undertile Heating Wire or Mat and tape into position.
- 4. Cover the wires with a layer of the recommended adhesive.
- 5. Whilst the adhesive is still wet, press the Nicobond D-Mat 3L firmly into position. Use a float or similar flat trowel to smooth out and ensure the fleece is embedded into the adhesive. Butt joint the adjacent lengths of the mat and secure together with Nicobond Jointing Tape.
- 6. Apply a layer of the recommended adhesive onto the Nicobond D-Mat 3L using the straight edge of the notched trowel, press the adhesive into the round cavities to create a solid bed. The adhesive can then be floated over the surface, notched with a trowel and tiles placed firmly into position. Tiles can be installed immediately once the initial adhesive set has taken place.
- 7. Fill joints between tiles using the recommended grout.
- * Allow at least 6 weeks for structural concrete floors to cure and further 3 weeks for subsequently applied screed.
- * The recommended 10mm Tile Backer Board is the minimum to be used. Improved insulation will result from the use of thicker boards. Consult technical team for insulation properties of different board thicknesses.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Natural Stone Speedflex



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Tilers Grout

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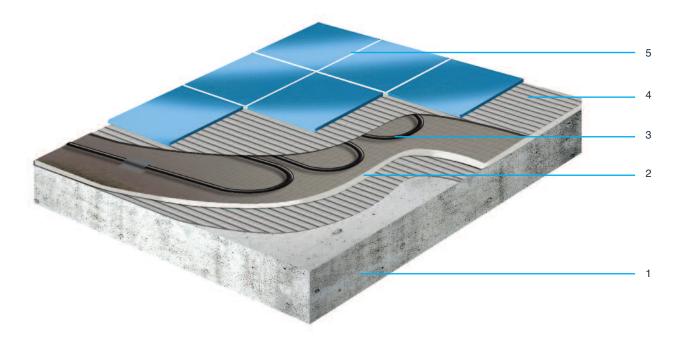


Nicobond D-Mat 3I

Alternative Adhesives:

Nicobond Fast Floor and Wall Adhesive/Enhancer 2002 Nicobond Ecoflex Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002 Other Featured Products Nicobond Tile Backer Board Nicobond Undertile Heating

Fixing Glass Tiles to Sand:Cement Screed/Concrete Floors with Undertile Heating



- 1. Ensure the sand:cement screed or concrete is fully cured, flat and clean.
- To improve heating performance, we recommend using minimum of 10mm Nicobond Tile Backer Board as an insulation layer.Adhere the tile backer board directly onto the concrete/sand:cement screed using the recommended adhesive and allowed to dry.
- 3. Lay out the wire and tape in position.
- 4. Spread the adhesive over the wires and boards and solidly bed porcelain tiles into recommended adhesive 3-6mm thick.
- 5. Fill joints between tiles using recommended grout.
- * Allow at least 6 weeks for structural concrete floors to cure and further 3 weeks for subsequently applied screed. In the event that a rapid setting cement replacement is used the drying time of screed will be greatly reduced. Contact the Technical Team for further information.
- * The tile adhesive must be fully dry (minimum 7 days) before the heating is switched on.
- * Note that an Undertile Heating Mat system is also available for professional use. Refer to Nicobond Tiling Products The Directory for information.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Single Part Flexible Adhesive



Nicobond Xtra and Enhancer

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Floor and Wall/Enhancer Nicobond Ecoflex

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout

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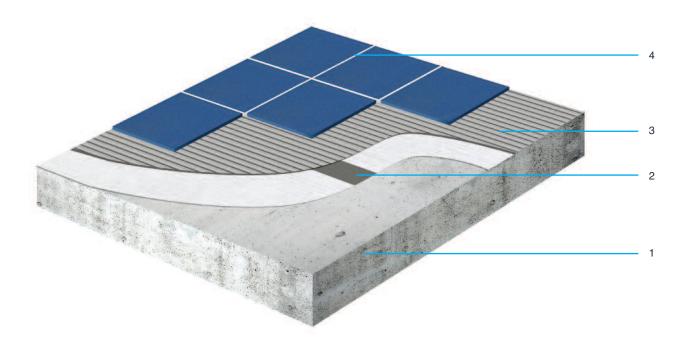


Nicobond Undertile Heating

Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002 Other Featured Products Nicobond Tile Backer Board

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Tiling onto Surface Contaminated Sand: Cement Screed/Concrete or Temporary Installations



- 1. Ensure the sand:cement screed or concrete is fully cured, flat and clean.
- 2. Loose lay the Nicobond Disconnecting Sheet onto the screed surface and tape over joints with Nicobond Jointing Tape.
- Tiling can commence immediately. Press the tiles into the recommended adhesive with a slight sliding or twisting action. Large format tiles should be back buttered.
- 4. Fill joints between tiles using the recommended Grout.
- * Allow at least 6 weeks for structural concrete floors to cure and further 3 weeks for subsequently applied screed.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive



Nicobond Single Part Flexible Adhesive

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Tilers Grout

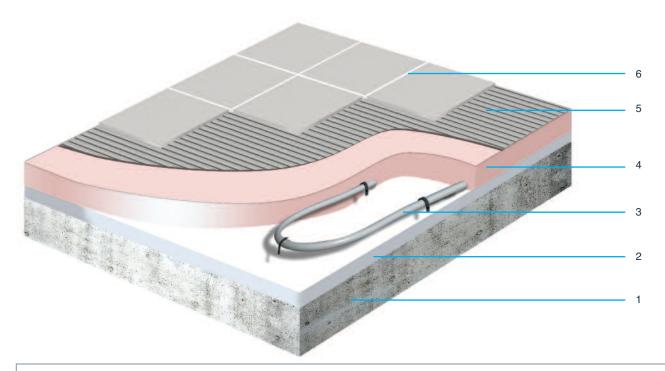
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Nicobond Disconnecting Sheet

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Xtra/Enhancer 2002 Nicobond Fast Floor and Wall Adhesive/Enhancer 2002 Nicobond Ecoflex Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002 Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout Other Featured Products Nicobond Jointing Tape

Tiling onto Calcium Sulphate/Anhydrite Screeds in Light Commercial Traffic Areas



- 1. Ensure the concrete base is fully cured, flat and clean.
- 2. Apply an Insulation layer and cover with polythene slip membrane/damp proof membrane (DPM)
- 3. In-situ underfloor heating system.
- 4. Calcium Sulphate/Anhydrite Screed minimum cover over pipes is 30mm.
- 5. Using a digital/hair hygrometer ensure the screed is sufficiently dry and that the surface has been suitably prepared. Refer to the Nicobond Gypfix data sheet for full instructions. Apply a layer of Nicobond Gypfix onto the surface and trowel out as usual ensuring solid bedding of the tiles. Large format tiles should be back buttered.
- 6. Fill joints between tiles using the recommended grout.
- * Calcium Sulfate/Anhydrite Screeds are not suitable for permanently wet areas such as swimming pool surrounds, shower areas or commercial kitchens.
- * The screed should be suitably prepared to receive floor tiling. 40mm thick Anhydrite Screed requires typically 40 days drying time. Moisture content of Anhydrite Screed should be 0.5% by weight or 75% R.H. It is generally the responsibility of the flooring contractor to mechanically abrade the screed to remove laitance, if in doubt this process should be carried out by the tiling contractor, this will ensure removal of laitance and any dirt left by other trades. Vacuum dust or other loose material.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Gypfix

Recommended Tile Grout

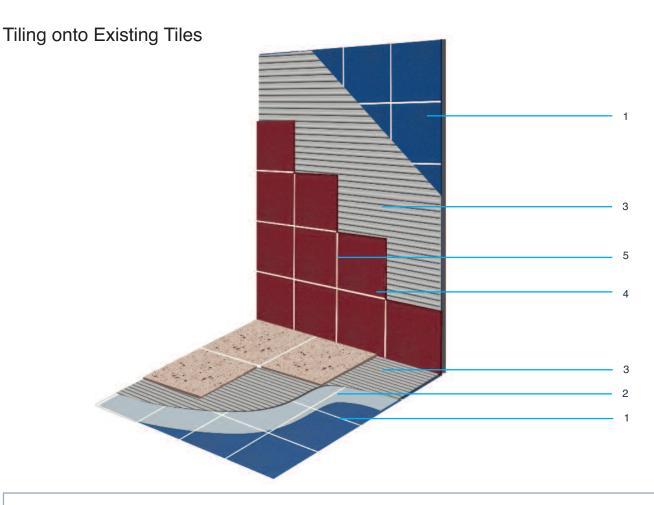


Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout

Alternative System: Nicobond Primer Nicobond Rapidflex Nicobond D-Mat 3L



- 1. Thoroughly clean tiles to remove dirt, grease, fats or any other contamination. Nicobond Super Cleaning Crystals are a detergent and should be diluted in hot water for this purpose. Ensure existing tiles are firmly bonded to substrate.
- 2. Existing unglazed or terrazzo floor tiles may be slurry primed incorporating Nicobond Primer and the recommended adhesive.
- 3. Spread the recommended adhesive over the existing tiles and fix new tiles using the notched trowel or solid bed method as appropriate.
- 4. Fix new wall tiles with recommended paste or powder based adhesives. Fix floor tiles with the recommended powder based products.
- 5. Fill joints between tiles using recommended grout.
- * When fixing tiles to impervious backgrounds such as existing tiles the setting time of adhesives will be extended.
- * When re-tiling walls, ensure the overall weight of tiling does not exceed the permitted levels of 32kg/m² for plasterboard and 20kg/m² for gypsum plaster.
- * Paste adhesive may only be used with ceramic bodied tiles.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Ultragrip



Nicobond Aquagrip

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout

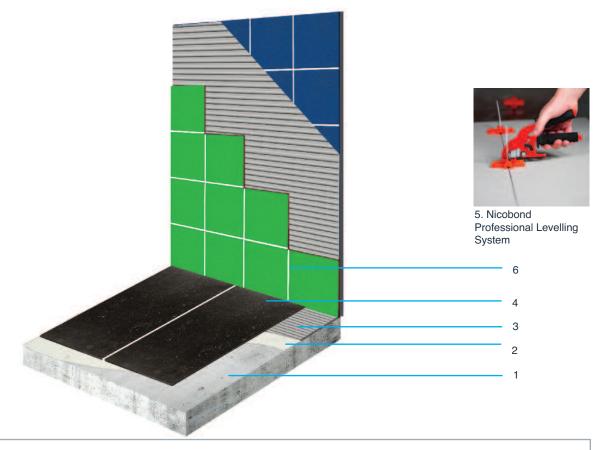
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Nicobond Primer

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Xtra/Enhancer 2002 Nicobond Fast Floor and Wall Adhesive/Enhancer 2002 Nicobond Ecoflex Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002

Fixing Thin Tiles to Walls and Floors



- 1. Ensure the sand:cement screed or concrete is fully cured, flat and clean. For tile on tile installation see page opposite.
- 2. If the base is porous, prime with diluted Nicobond Primer in ratio 4 volumes of water to 1 volume of Nicobond Primer and allow to dry.
- 3. Spread the recommended adhesive over the surfaces and fix new tiles using the notched trowel or solid bed method as appropriate.
- 4. Place the tiles into the wet adhesive using a slight sliding action to ensure solid bedding of the tiles.
- 5. The Nicobond Professional Levelling System should be used to ensure floor tiles are flat and level.
- 6. Fill joints between tiles using recommended grout.
- * Allow at least 6 weeks for structural concrete floors to cure and a further 3 weeks for subsequently applied screed. In the event that a rapid setting cement replacement is used the drying time of screed will be greatly reduced. Refer to the Technical Team for further information.
- * When fixing tiles to impervious backgrounds such as existing tiles the setting time of adhesives will be extended.
- * When re-tiling walls, ensure the overall weight of tiling does not exceed the permitted levels of 32kg/m² for plasterboard and 20kg/m² for gypsum plaster.
- * Some thin tile products are reinforced on the back with a mesh/resin layer. Ensure compatibility and suitability of these tiles before work proceeds.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive



Nicobond Single Part Flexible Adhesive

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Tilers Grout

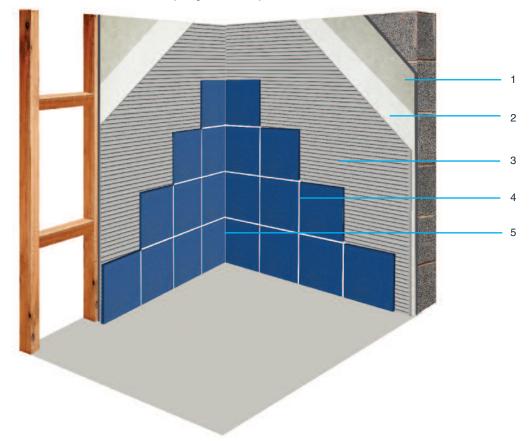


Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Xtra Nicobond Xtra/Enhancer 2002 Nicobond Fast Flexible Adhesive Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002 Featured Products Nicobond Primer Nicobond Professional Levelling System

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Tiling onto Plaster and Plasterboard (Dry Areas)



- 1. Either screw plasterboard to stud frame wall construction at maximum 600mm centres, or apply gypsum plaster to block work.
- 2. Prime the surfaces with diluted Nicobond Universal Bonding Agent and Sealer and allow to dry.
- 3. Spread the recommended adhesive over the surfaces and fix new tiles using the notched trowel or solid bed method as appropriate.
- 4. Fill joints between tiles using recommended grout.
- 5. Ensure movement joint is inserted into internal corners, PVC type or silicone sealant.
- * New plaster needs to dry for at least 4 weeks. Tiles to be fixed to finish coat only, never the backing coat. When fixing to Plaster board ensure the boards are rigidly braced and adequately supported, fix directly to the paper face, do not skim with plaster. Weight of tiling not to exceed 32kg/m² on plasterboard and 20kg/m² onto gypsum plaster.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Tile Adhesive



Nicobond Ultragrip

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Tilers Grout

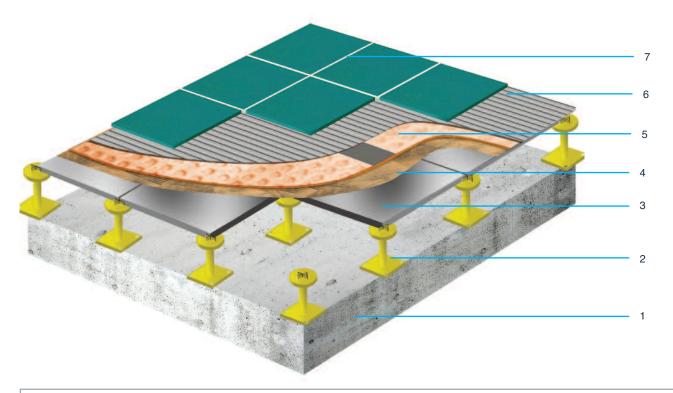
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Nicobond Universal Bonding Agent and Sealer

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Primer Nicobond Single Part Flexible Adhesive Nicobond Rapidflex Adhesive Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002 Nicobond Starlike

Tiling to Raised Access Flooring



- 1. Ensure the sand:cement screed or concrete is fully cured, flat and clean.
- 2. Adjustable pedestals bonded to the subfloor with a suitable polyurethane or similarly appropriate adhesive.
- 3. Heavy grade galvanised steel encapsulated panels usually 600 x 600mm are affixed to the pedestals. Each panel should be drilled and screwed down at each corner into the polypropylene head gasket to ensure the floor is sufficiently rigid and stable.
- 4. Ensure the raised access panel floor is completely clean and free from any contaminants such as dust or grease before installing the Nicobond D-Mat 3L. Apply a layer of Multipurpose flooring adhesive onto the surface in accordance with the manufacturers instructions.
- 5. Whilst the adhesive is still wet, press the Nicobond D-Mat 3L firmly into position. Use a float or similar flat trowel to smooth out and ensure the fleece is embedded into the adhesive. Butt joint the adjacent lengths of the mat and secure together with Nicobond Jointing Tape.
- 6. Apply a layer of the recommended C2 S1 category adhesive onto the Nicobond D-Mat 3L using the straight edge of the notched trowel, press the adhesive firmly into the round cavities to create a solid bed. The adhesive can then be floated over the surface, notched with a trowel and tiles placed firmly into position.
- 7. Fill joints between tiles using the recommended grout.
- * If the floor requires additional reinforcement the raised access floor can be overlaid with Nicobond Tile Backer Board screwed down at 300mm centres.
- * If only a small area of flooring is involved eg: up to 25m sq then Nicobond Plastic Ply may be used instead of D-Mat 3L.
- * Perimeter movement joints should be installed so bay sizes are no greater than 100m sq in accordance with BS 5385 3. Any movement joints in the raised access flooring system should be carried through the tiling.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive



Nicobond Single Part Flexible Adhesive

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout

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Nicobond D-Mat 3LTile Backer Board

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Xtra/Enhancer 2002 Nicobond Fast Floor and Wall Adhesive/Enhancer 2002 Nicobond Ecoflex Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002 Featured Products Nicobond Multipurpose Flooring Adhesive Nicobond Jointing Tape

Fixing Nicobond Tile Backer Board to Stud Partition Walls



Smooth, paintable pipe covers are a quick and effective solution for hiding away unsightly pipework, simply choose the correct cover size and cut to length. Run a bead of Nicobond PU Adhesive along the 2 leading edges and press firmly into position.







- 1. Screw board to stud work using Nicobond Galvanised Screws and Washers, taking care to screw down until the washer bites into the board. For boards less than 20mm thick, vertical studs should be set at 300mm centres. For greater thicknesses 400mm centres are suitable.
- 2. All board edges must be supported by timber noggins and fixed using approx 12 fixings on a 1200 x 600mm board or 21 fixings on a 2400mm x 600mm board. Fixings should be set at approx 300 400mm centres.
- 3. The joints between boards should be taped over using either Nicobond Jointing Tape for dry areas or Nicobond Wet Room Waterproof Tape and components for wet areas.
- 4. Spread the recommended adhesive over the surfaces and fix new tiles using the notched trowel or solid bed method as appropriate.
- 5. Fill joints between tiles using recommended grout.
- * Minimum thickness of board for screw fixing is 10mm.
- * Stud centres to be set subject to loading requirements.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Waterproof Tile Adhesive



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Floor & Wall Adhesive and Enhancer

Recommended Tile Grout

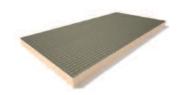


Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout





Nicobond Tile Backer Board

Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002 Other Featured Products Nicobond Jointing Tape Nicobond Waterpoof Tape Nicobond Galvanised Screws and Washers

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Alternative Adhesives:

Nicobond Aquagrip

Nicobond Ultragrip

Nicobond Xtra/Enhancer 2002

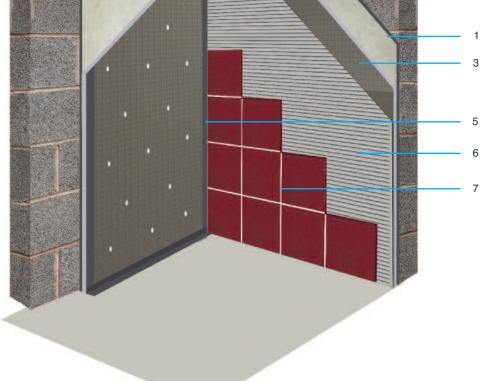
Fixing Nicobond Tile Backer Board to Solid Walls



2. Apply dots of adhesive to the reverse side of the board (max 300mm centres), for additional stability also apply adhesive around the edge of the board.



4. Hammer–In fixings to provide a secure installation of the Tile Backer Board.





Nicobond Hammer-In fixings

- 1. Ensure the wall surface is sound and free from dust and grease.
- 2. Using Nicobond Quickfix apply dots of adhesive to the reverse side of the board. A 600 x 2400 x 12.5mm thick board will typically have 12 dots of mortar up to 30mm thick, ensure outer dots are located at board edges.
- 3. Offer up the board vertically to the wall surface and bed firmly into place. Always use a straight edge and level to ensure good alignment.
- 4. Once the adhesive has set use the Hammer–In fixings to provide a secure installation of the Tile Backer Board. The fixings to be positioned so as to be hammered in through the middle of the dot of adhesive.
- 5. The joints between boards should be taped over using either Nicobond Jointing Tape for dry areas or Nicobond Wet Room Waterproof Tape and components for wet areas.
- 6. Spread the recommended adhesive over the surfaces and fix new tiles using the notched trowel or solid bed method as appropriate.
- 7. Fill joints between tiles using recommended grout.
- * The dot and dab fixing system is not recommended for use with boards less than 12.5mm thick. For the thinner boards, using a notched trowel apply a solid bed of adhesive over the board surface and press firmly into position.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Waterproof Tile Adhesive



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Floor & Wall Adhesive and Enhancer

Recommended Tile Grout

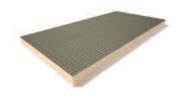


Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



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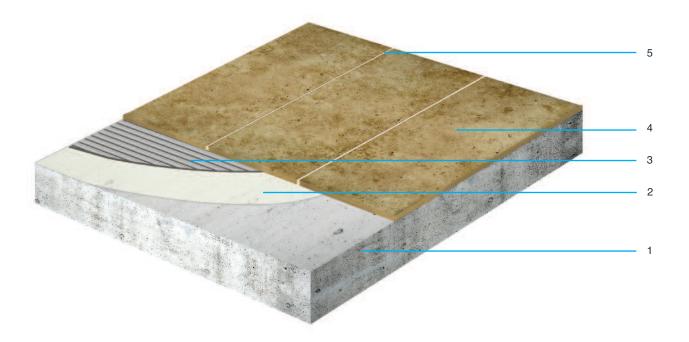




Nicobond Tile Backer Board

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Xtra/Enhancer 2002 Nicobond Aquagrip Nicobond Ultragrip Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002 Other Featured Products Nicobond Quickfix Nicobond Jointing Tape Nicobond Waterpoof Tape Nicobond Hammer-In fixings

Fixing Natural Stone/Slate onto Sand:Cement Screed/Concrete



- 1. Ensure the sand:cement screed or concrete is fully cured, flat and clean.
- 2. If the base is porous, prime with diluted Nicobond Primer in ratio 4 volumes of water to 1 volume of Nicobond Primer and allow to dry.
- 3. It is recommended to use a white cement based adhesive for bonding limestone and other light coloured or translucent natural stones. Apply a suitable layer of adhesive, lightly combing the surface using a 10mm Nicobond Notched Trowel and solidly bed the tiles into the wet adhesive. Do not use spot or blob fixing method for these tiles as unsightly water marks or "shadowing" may appear on the surface. Slate products are varied and can be supplied in cut or cleaved format. Slate may be impervious or relatively porous. If a cut slate of European origin is selected, these may be bedded into a polymer modified adhesive using the above technique. Cleaved slate may produce material of different thicknesses and it is recommended to bed these in using a pourable, flow bed or high build grade of adhesive.
- 4. Natural Stones and Slate may require sealing prior to grouting, follow the manufacturer's instructions ensuring the adhesive has fully cured prior to sealing the stone surface. In the case of impervious natural stones this period can extend over several weeks.
- 5. Fill joints between tiles using recommended grout.
- * Allow at least 6 weeks for structural concrete floors to cure and further 3 weeks for subsequently applied screed. In the event that a rapid setting cement replacement is used the drying time of screed will be greatly reduced. Refer to the Technical Team for further information.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Natural Stone Speedflex



Nicobond Rapidflex

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



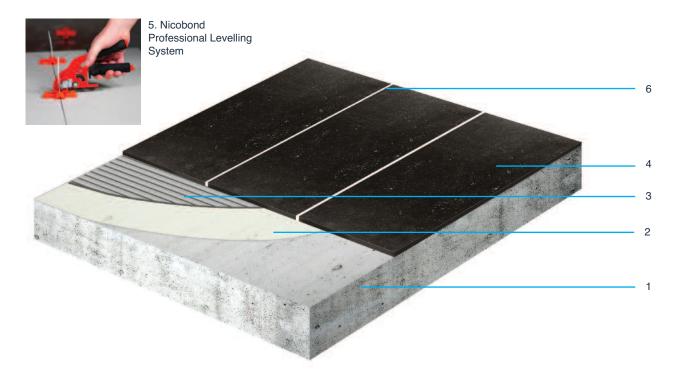
Nicobond Tilers Grout



Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Large Format Nicobond Fast Floor and Wall Nicobond Ecoflex Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002 Other Featured Products Nicobond Primer

Fixing Large Format Tiles onto Sand:Cement Screed/Concrete



- 1. Ensure the sand:cement screed or concrete is fully cured, flat and clean.
- 2. If the base is porous, prime with diluted Nicobond Primer in ratio 4 volumes of water to 1 volume of Nicobond Primer and allow to dry.
- 3. Apply a layer of adhesive from 4mm up to 30mm thick onto the base using the 20mm half round Nicobond Large Format Notched Trowel.
- 4. Place the tiles into the wet adhesive using a slight sliding action to ensure solid bedding of the tiles.
- 5. The Nicobond Professional Levelling System should be used to ensure tiles are flat and level.
- 6. Fill joints between tiles using recommended grout.
- * Allow at least 6 weeks for structural concrete floors to cure and further 3 weeks for subsequently applied screed. In the event that a rapid setting cement replacement is used the drying time of screed will be greatly reduced. Refer to the Technical Team for further information.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Natural Stone Speedflex Nicobond Rapidflex

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



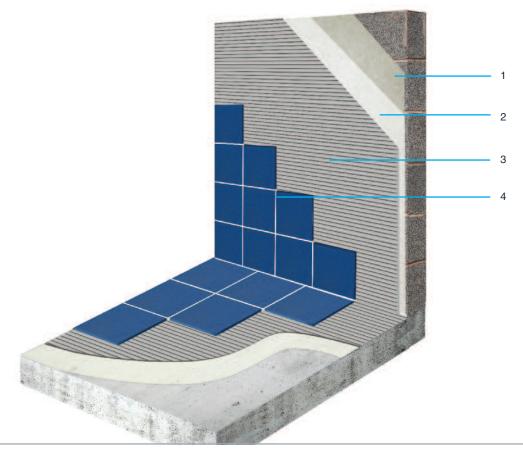
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Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout

Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002 Other Featured Products Nicobond Primer Nicobond Professional Levelling System

Tiling in Food Preparation Areas and Where Chemical Resistance is Required



- 1. Ensure sand:cement render or gypsum plastered walls, screed or concrete surfaces are all fully cured, flat and clean and suitable for tiling.
- 2. If surfaces are porous prime with Nicobond Primer.
- 3. Press the tiles into the recommended adhesive with a slight sliding or twisting action. Large format tiles should be back buttered.
- 4. Fill joints between tiles using the recommended grout.
- * Allow at least 6 weeks for structural concrete floors to cure and a further 3 weeks for subsequently applied screed.
- * Cement:Sand render should be left for 2 weeks before tiling is applied.
- * In accordance with the United Kingdom regulations and European directives relating to food hygiene only Epoxy based grouts may be used in food preparation areas. These are required to be smooth, impervious, chemically resistant, easy to maintain in a sterile condition and do not taint food.
- * In projects of a more industrial nature where the tile installation requires a high degree of chemical resistance then the use of epoxy as the adhesive is also recommended.
- * Contact between food and tiling should be avoided for at least 7 days.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout

Nicobond Rapidflex

Recommended Tile Grout



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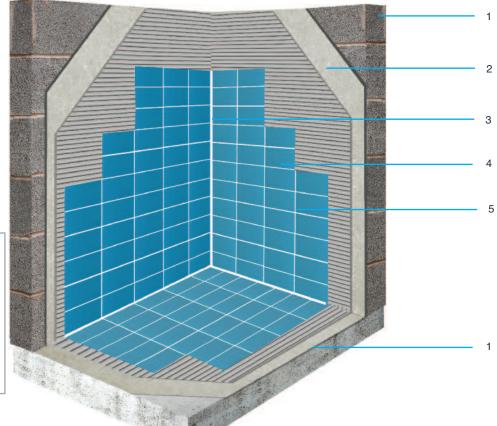
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Nicobond Primer

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Single Part Flexible Nicobond Ecoflex

Tiling in Swimming Pools and Fountains



tignmess test should be carried out before the application of the render, screed and tile finishes. For pools constructed using reinforced concrete blocks, the render becomes part of the watertight construction and needs to be tested for water tightness conscribed. accordingly. For leisure pools with wave action features

Note for Concrete pools the pool water tightness test should be carried out before the

- For resurve pools with wave action reatures or for pools filled with water of high sulphate content the use of epoxy resin grouts is recommended.

 * On completion Swimming Pools should stand for a period of 3 weeks before pool filling commences at the rate of no more than \$100 period of \$10
- 750mm every 24 hours. Initial heating of the pool water should also be restricted to a rise in temperature of 0.25° C per hour.
 - 1. Pool construction can take various forms but in all cases ensure for example that any release oils or curing agents have been removed from concrete substrates and that waterproofed sand:cement render and screed is fully cured, flat, clean and suitable for tiling.
- If rendering onto concrete or blockwork the surface should be slurry primed with a bond coat of 1 part water:1 part Nicobond Primer:1 part Opc. The render will typically be 1:3 or 1:4 cement:sand and up to a maximum total thickness of 20mm. Integral waterproofing additives to be added in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
- 3. The layout of tiling must take into account stress relieving joints which must be carried through the tiling, render/screed and be provided in accordance with the specification and in line with all day work joints in the concrete.
- Press the tiles into the recommended adhesive with a slight sliding or twisting action. Tiles with deep grooves on the reverse should be back buttered to ensure solid bedding is achieved.
- Fill joints between tiles using the recommended grout allowing 3 days after fixing before commencing grouting. Note a further 3 days should elapse before applying sealants to joints.
- *Allow at least 6 weeks for structural concrete floors to cure and further 3 weeks for subsequently applied screed or render.
- * Refer to the TTA publication "Design and Construction Process for Swimming Pools" for further advice and information.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Single Part Flexible Adhesive



Nicobond Xtra

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout

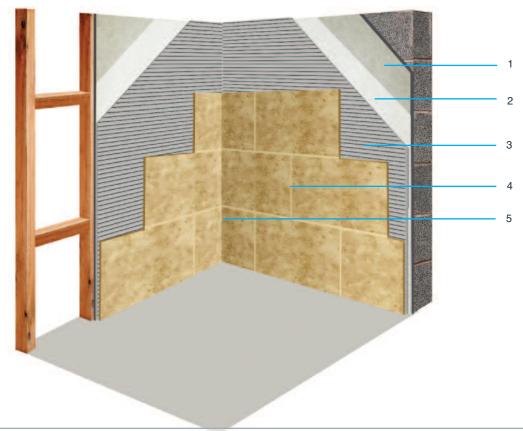


Nicobond Tilers Grout and Enhancer

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Ecoflex

Other Featured Products Nicobond Primer

Fixing Large Format Tiles to Plaster and Plasterboard (Dry Areas)



- Either screw plasterboard to stud frame wall construction at maximum 600mm centres, or apply gypsum plaster to block work.
 Ensure surfaces are dust free and clean.
- 2. Prime the surfaces with diluted Nicobond Nicobond Universal Bonding Agent and Sealer and allow to dry.
- 3. Apply the recommended adhesive onto the wall. Install tiles ensuring good contact between the tiles and adhesive. For large format tiles of 60 x 30cm or larger it is advisable to apply the adhesive using the 10mm square Nicobond Notched Trowel. This will enable bedding out of the adhesive to accommodate any curvature in the tiles.
- 4. Fill joints between tiles using recommended grout.
- 5. Ensure movement joints are inserted into internal corners, PVC type or silicone sealant.
- * New plaster needs to dry for at least 4 weeks. Tiles to be fixed to finish coat only, never the backing coat. When fixing to Plaster board ensure the boards are rigidly braced and adequately supported, fix directly to the paper face, do not skim with plaster. Weight of tiling not to exceed 32kg/m² on plasterboard and 20kg/m² onto gypsum plaster. For details of fixing large format tiles to alternative substrates or in wet areas please contact Nicobond Technical Team.
- * It should be noted that a large format tile is a tile of at least one edge greater than 600mm (nominal) or a facial area greater than 3500cm².

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Ultragrip

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Tilers Grout

Featured Product



Nicobond Universal Bonding Agent and sealer

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Primer Nicobond Tile Adhesive Nicobond Rapidflex Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002

Other Featured Products Nicobond Silicone Sealant

Fixing Mesh Backed Mosaics onto Various Substrates



- 1. Ensure the sand:cement screed or concrete is fully cured, flat and clean. If the base is porous, prime with diluted Nicobond Primer in ratio 4 volumes of water to 1 volume of Nicobond Primer and allow to dry.
- 2. Either screw plasterboard to stud frame wall construction at maximum 600mm centres, or gypsum plaster if fixing onto block work.
- Overlay plasterboard/gypsum plaster substrate with 12mm Nicobond Tile Backer Board. Use Nicobond Screws and Discs at 400mm centres to the substrate. Boards should be cross bonded and screws recessed.
- 4. Cover joints between boards with Nicobond Jointing Tape. Seal corners with Nicobond Wet Room Waterproof Tape and Internal Corners.
- 5. Apply a layer of adhesive onto the substrate and lightly comb the surface using a Nicobond Notched Trowel. Offer the sheet of mosaic up and bed the mesh side into the adhesive layer and smooth the sheet with a flat trowel to ensure good contact between the mesh and the adhesive.
- 6. Once the adhesive has set firm i.e. the following day, the joints may be grouted using the same Nicobond Mosaic Adhesive and Grout.
- * The backing mesh should not occupy more that 25% of the area of each tessera as this will affect the performance of the Mosaic Adhesive and Grout. In wet areas the backing material should be water resistant. * Cement:Sand render should be left for 2 weeks before tiling is applied. (BS 5385 : Part 1)

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Mosaic Adhesive and Grout



Nicobond Rapidflex

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Single Part Flexible Nicobond Fast Floor and Wall Nicobond Ecoflex

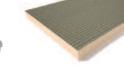
Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Mosaic Adhesive and Grout



Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout Nicobond Starlike Sparkle

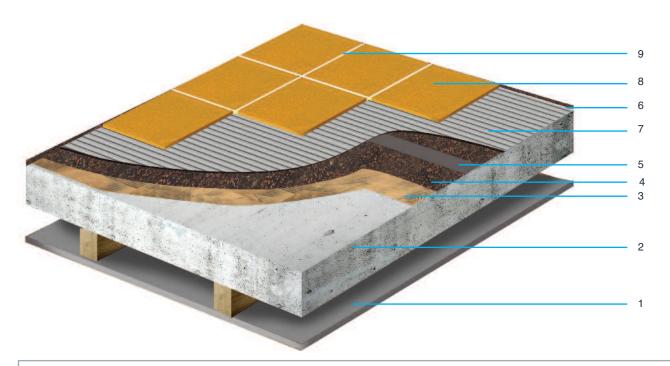


Featured Product

Nicobond Tile Back Board

Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout Other Featured Products Nicobond Jointing Tape Nicobond Waterpoof Tape Nicobond Primer

Fixing tiles using the Nicobond Sound Reduction System onto floor type 1 (concrete base) as per Building Regulations 2010 Document E



- 1. Ceiling of floor level below.
- 2. Ensure the concrete base is fully cured, flat and clean.
- 3. Apply a layer of Nicobond Multi-Purpose Floor Adhesive to concrete base, following the manufacturer's instructions.
- 4. Lay the Nicobond Acoustic Mat and smooth out with a light roller to remove any air bubbles or voids.
- 5. Cover joints between mats with Nicobond Jointing Tape to prevent tile adhesive penetrating to the base which could cause a sound bridge.
- 6. Insert acoustic mat strips around the perimeter at wall/floor junctions to isolate the floor covering.
- 7. Apply a layer of the recommended adhesive onto the mat and trowel out as usual, ensuring solid bedding of the tiles.
- 8. Press tiles into the recommended adhesive with a slight sliding or twisting action.
- 9. Fill joints between tiles using recommended grout.

*Sound transmission is a complex subject and the Nicobond method needs to be part of a complete building 'package' of sound reduction to provide 'adequate' insulation. *Tiles having sides less than 100mm in length should not be used (see B5385-4)

Nicobond Acoustic Mat is also suitable for laying under wood, carpet, laminates and vinyl sheet, do not use with vinyl tiles or planks

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive



Nicobond Fast Flexible Adhesive

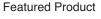
Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout

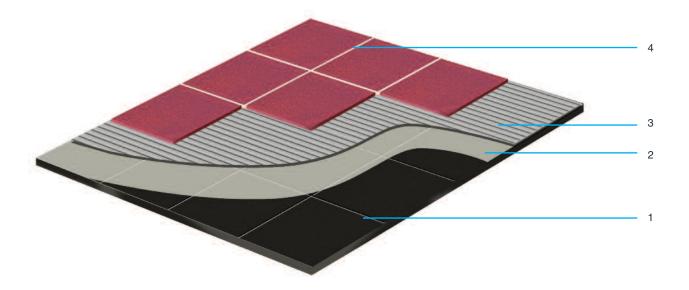




Nicobond Acoustic Mat

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Xtra/Enhance Nicobond Fast Floor and Wall/Enhancer Nicobond Ecoflex Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002 Other Featured Products Nicobond Multi-Purpose Floor Adhesive

Tiling onto Hard Vinyl Floor Tiles



- 1. Thoroughly clean the hard vinyl tiles using Nicobond Super Cleaning Crystals mixed with hot water. This is to remove any traces of polish, grease or other contaminants. Any loose tiles and residues of old adhesive should be removed. Ensure the tiles are firmly bonded
- Brush apply a coat of slurry primer onto the surface consisting of 1 volume water, 1 volume Nicobond Primer and 1 volume of the recommended Nicobond powder adhesive and allow to set.
- 3. Apply a layer of the recommended adhesive and press tiles with slight sliding or twisting action.
- 4. Fill joints between tiles using recommended grout.
- * Do not tile to flexible Vinyl Tiles or Sheet. These should be removed together with any residual adhesive.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive



Nicobond Fast Flexible Adhesive

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



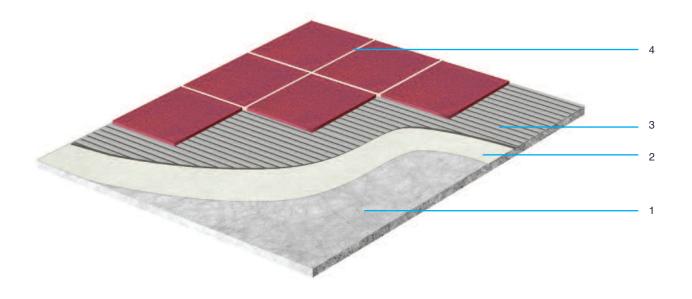
Nicobond Tilers Grout



Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Single Part FlexibleAdhesive Nicobond Fast Floor and Wall Nicobond Ecoflex Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002 Other Featured Products: Nicobond Primer

Tlling onto Fibreglass/G.R.P. (Glass Reinforced Polyester) Balconies



- 1. Ensure the GRP is structurally sound and does not exhibit any sign of cracking. Thoroughly clean and abrade the surface to provide a mechanical key and to remove any loose fibres or other contaminants which may prevent adhesion.
- 2. Brush apply a coat of slurry primer to the surface consisting of 1 volume water, 1 volume Nicobond Primer and 1 volume of Nicobond Powder Adhesive and allow to set.
- 3. Apply a layer of the recommended adhesive and press tiles with slight sliding or twisting action.
- 4. Fill joints between tiles using recommended grout.
- * Ensure newly installed GRP is permitted to cure thoroughly for a period of at least 7 10 days at 20°C before tiling. Not suitable for tiling to Acylic shower trays.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Fast Flexible Adhesive



Nicobond Xtra and Enhancer

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout

Featured Product



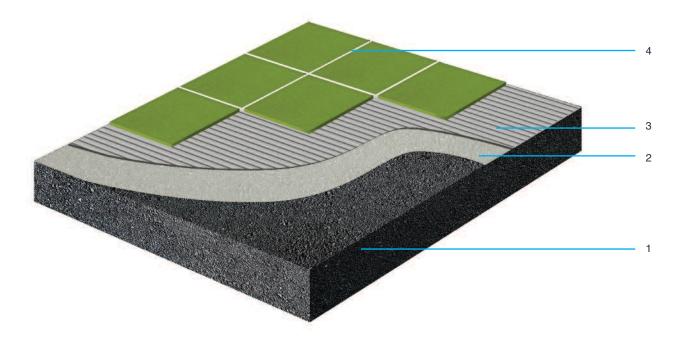
Nicobond Primer

Alternative Adhesives:

Nicobond Fast Floor and Wall Adhesive/Enhancer 2002

Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002

Tiling onto Flooring Grade Asphalt



- 1. Ensure surface is cleaned thoroughly using a solution of Nicobond Super Cleaning Crystals mixed with hot water.
- 2. Brush apply a coat of slurry primer to the surface consisting of 1 volume water 1 volume Nicobond Primer and 1 volume Nicobond adhesive powder and allow to set.
- 3. Apply a layer of the recommended adhesive and press tiles with slight sliding or twisting action.
- 4. Fill joints between tiles using recommended grout.
- * For internal areas the grade of asphalt should be type F 1076 and suitable for the anticipated loads and conditions. For external areas such as balconies, the asphalt should be paving or flooring grade.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Fast Flexible Adhesive



Nicobond Xtra and Enhancer

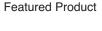
Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout

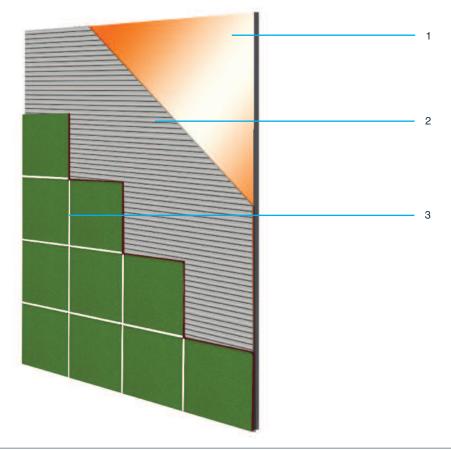




Nicobond Primer

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Single Part Flexible Nicobond Fast Floor and Wall/Enhancer Nicobond Ecoflex Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002

Tiling onto Oil Based Gloss Painted Surfaces



- 1. Thoroughly clean existing paintwork ensuring it is firmly bonded to the substrate. It is advisable to tile to gloss paint only. If the surface is suspect, cover with Nicobond Tile Backer Board.
- 2. Spread the recommended adhesive over the existing paint and fix new tiles using the notched trowel or solid bed method as appropriate.
- 3. Fill joints between tiles using recommended grout.
- * Ensure the paint is sufficiently sound to bear the weight of new tiling.
- * Tiling to water based paints /distemper is not recommended, these should be removed before tiling commences.
- * Only absorbent ceramic tiles may be used with ready mixed products for tile on tile, if porcelain tiles then use cement based adhesives.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Waterproof Tile Adhesive



Nicobond Aquagrip



Nicobond Xtra and Enhancer

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



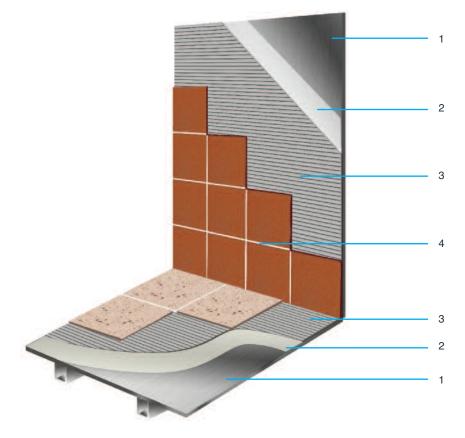
Nicobond Tilers Grout



Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Rapidflex Nicobond Fast Flexible Adhesive Nicobond Floor and Wall/Enhancer Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002 Other Feature Product: Nicobond Tile Backer Board

Tiling onto Steel Substrates



- 1. The substrate must be braced and rigid to receive tiling. Ensure it is clean, dry and free from dust or any other contamination which will reduce adhesion. The steel should be degreased using a solution of Nicobond Super Cleaning Crystals mixed with hot water.
- Brush apply a coat of slurry primer to the surface consisting of 1 volume water, 1 volume Nicobond Primer and 1 volume Nicobond Powder Adhesive and allow to set.
- 3. Apply a layer of the recommended adhesive and press tiles with slight sliding or twisting action.
- 4. Fill joints between tiles using recommended grout.
- * It is not recommended to tile onto Stainless Steel, highly flexibilised epoxy adhesives are required for this function. Galvanised Steel should be checked to ensure the galvanised coating is firmly bonded to the base metal.

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Fast Flexible Adhesive



Nicobond Xtra and Enhancer

Recommended Tile Grout



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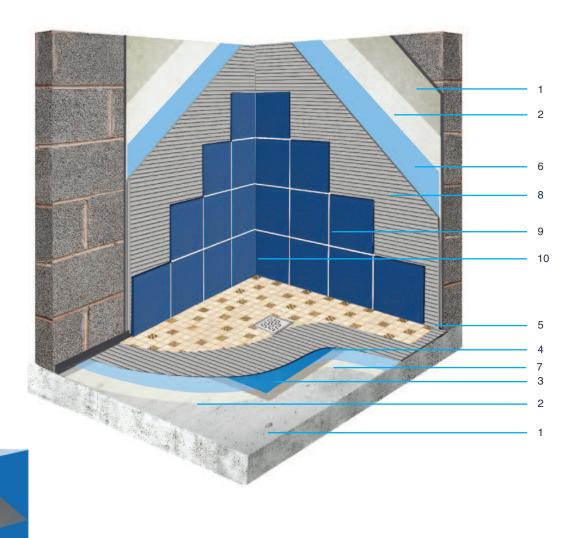




Nicobond Primer

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Wet Room Waterproof Tanking for Solid Construction Walls and Floors



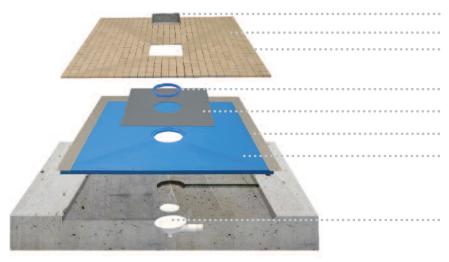
4. Large Collar to seal joint between the drain and the Premier Shower Deck.

- 1. Cement render or gypsum plastered walls and concrete or sand:cement screeded floors.
- 2. If surface is porous prime with Nicobond Primer
- 3. Insert the Premier Shower Deck into position or lay screed to appropriate fall. Make connections for drainage.
- 4. Fit the self adhesive Nicobond Wet Room Waterproof Large Collar to seal the joint between the drain and the Premier Shower Deck.
- 5. Start with internal corners, wall and floor junctions, joint between Premier Shower Deck and screed, install the self adhesive components, these can be overcoated with Nicobond Wet Room Waterproof Membrane and allow to dry.
- 6. Using a medium roller, apply the first coat of membrane to wall and floor. It is not necessary to coat the Premier Shower Deck (only around the drain collar) as it is waterproof. Allow to dry.
- 7. Apply the second coat of membrane over walls, floors and wet room components to ensure a good seal is achieved. The optimum thickness of the membrane to be minimum 0.6mm for the two coats. Allow to dry for at least 2 hours before commencing tiling.
- 8. Apply a layer of the recommended adhesive and press tiles with slight sliding or twisting action.
- 9. Fill joints between tiles using the recommended grout.
- 10. Insert movement and perimeter joints to internal corners and at wall and floor junctions.

*Allow at least 6 weeks for structural concrete floors to cure and further 3 weeks for subsequently applied screed. In the event that a rapid setting cement

replacement is used the drying time of screed will be greatly reduced. Refer to the Technical Team for further information. New plaster needs to dry for at least 4 weeks. Tiles to be fixed to finish coat only, never the backing coat. Weight of tiling on gypsum plaster should not exceed 20kg/m2.

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Drainage Cover Tiled Floor

Nicobond Tile Adhesive

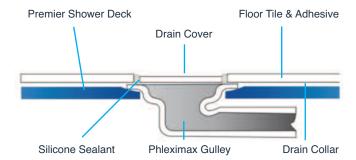
Drain Clamping Ring

Large Pipe Collar

Wet Room Waterproof Tape

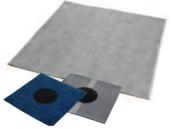
Premier Shower Deck

Phleximax 50 or Phleximax 50 two part





Nicobond Wet Room Waterproofing Membrane



Nicobond Wet Room Waterproofing Pipe Collars (self adhesive)



Nicobond Wet Room Waterproofing Corners and Tape (self adhesive)

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive



Nicobond Xtra



Recommended Tile Grout

Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Premier Shower Deck

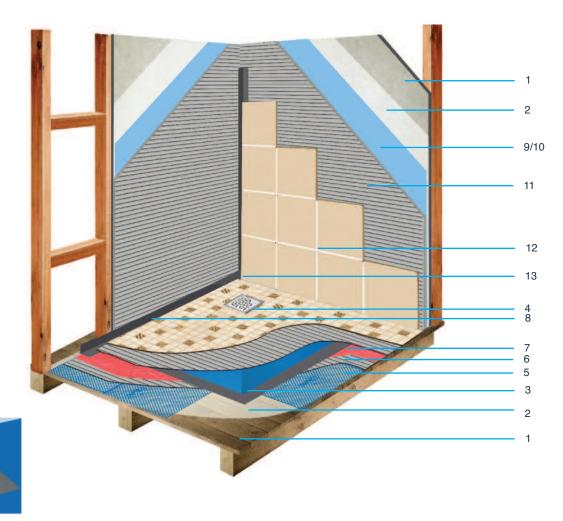
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Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002

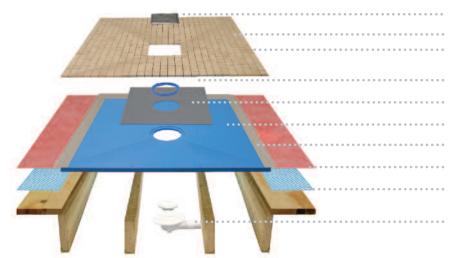
Other Featured Products Nicobond Waterproof Tanking System

Wet Room Waterproof Tanking System for Stud Walls and Timber Floors



4. Large Collar to seal joint between the drain and the Premier Shower Deck.

- 1. Screw plasterboard to stud frame wall construction at maximum 600mm centres. Ensure surfaces are dust free and clean.
- 2. If wall surfaces are porous and for timber floors prime with Nicobond Universal Bonding Agent & Sealer.
- 3. Cut out the timber floor for the Premier Shower Deck and make connections for drainage.
- 4. Use self adhesive Nicobond Wet Room Waterproof Large Collar to seal joint between the drain and the Premier Shower Deck.
- 5. Place the Plastic Ply into position on the floor, removing the backing sheet for self adhesive fixing.
- 6. Spread a thin, even layer of tile adhesive over the Plastic Ply to provide a flat surface
- Lay the Nicobond Wet Room Waterproof Tanking Sheet. This will waterproof all sections of the timber floor. Use the Nicobond Wet Room Waterproof Tape to seal the joints.
- 8. Start with internal corners, wall and floor junctions, joint between Premier Shower Deck and Tanking Sheet, install the self adhesive components, these can be overcoated with Nicobond Wet Room Waterproof Membrane as described below.
- 9. Using a medium roller apply the first coat of Nicobond Wet Room Waterproofing Membrane to wall and floor. It is not necessary to coat the Premier Shower Deck (only around the drain collar) as it is waterproof. Allow to dry.
- 10. Apply the second coat of membrane over walls, floors and wet room components to ensure a good seal is achieved. The optimum thickness of the membrane to be minimum 0.6mm for the two coats. Allow to dry for at least 2 hours before commencing tiling.
- 11. Apply a layer of the recommended adhesive and press tiles with slight sliding or twisting action.
- 12. Fill joints between tiles using the recommended grout.
- 13. Insert movement and perimeter joints to internal corners and at wall and floor junctions.
- * Timber is not considered to be a suitable base for floor tiling in wet, frequently damp, or high humidity areas, unless appropriate precautions are taken (BS 5385-4).
- Noggins might be required between joists in order to achieve the required rigidity. The limit of deflection normally permitted for domestic timber floors (see BS 5268-2) might be too great to avoid damage to tiling systems.
- * The use of sheets and boards that are subject to movement from changes in moisture content e.g. wood-based materials such as plywood, chipboard, wood particle boards etc. should be avoided if at all possible. Failure to observe recommendations as to treatment of boards can lead to subsequent warping and distortion of the boards with consequent cracking and delamination of the tiling. In situations where tiles maybe subject to high pressure water jet ie: from power showers it is recommended to fill joints using Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout.



Drainage Cover

Tiled Floor

Nicobond Tile Adhesive

Drain Clamping Ring

Large Pipe Collar

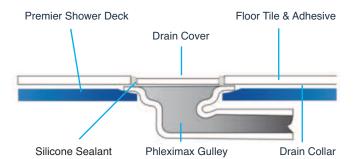
Premier Shower Deck

Wet Room Waterproof Tape

Wet Room Tanking Sheet

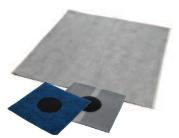
Plastic Ply

Phleximax 50 or Phleximax 50 two part





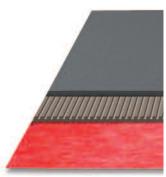
Nicobond Wet Room Waterproofing Membrane



Nicobond Wet Room Waterproofing Pipe Collars (self adhesive)



Nicobond Wet Room Waterproofing Corners and Tape (self adhesive)



Nicobond Wet Room Tanking Sheet

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Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive



Nicobond Xtra



Recommended Tile Grout

Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



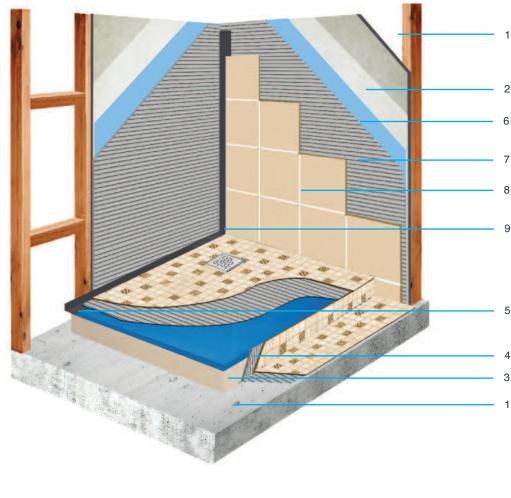
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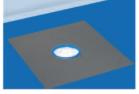


Nicobond Premier Shower Deck

Alternative Adhesives: Nicobond Single Part Flexible Adhesive Nicobond Natural Stone Speedflex Adhesive Nicobond Aquagrip Nicobond Ecoflex Alternative Grouts: Nicobond Tilers Grout/Enhancer 2002 Other Featured Products Nicobond Waterproof Tanking System Nicobond UBAS

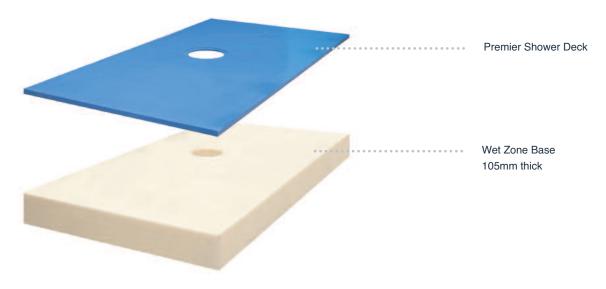
Creating a Wet Zone Shower Area without Breaching the Floor

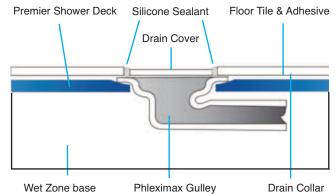




4. Large Collar to seal joint between the drain and the Premier Shower Deck.

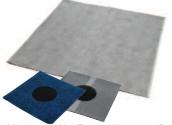
- Screw plasterboard to stud frame wall construction at maximum 600mm centres. Ensure the sand:cement screed or concrete is fully cured, flat and clean.
- 2. If wall or floor surfaces are porous prime with Nicobond UBAS or Nicobond Primer and allow to dry.
- 3. Prepare the Wet Zone by placing the Wet Zone Base into position. Locate the positioning for the waste pipe and cut out accordingly. Attend to connections from the waste pipe to the Phleximax drain.
- 4. Spread a thin even layer of recommended adhesive over the surface and bed the Premier Shower Deck onto this. Use a spirit level to make sure all the levels are correct.
- 5. To ensure the Wet Zone is water tight, treat with Nicobond Wet Room Waterproofing Membrane and tanking system components, start with internal corners, wall and floor junctions, pipe collars around water inlet connection and the Phleximax, install the self adhesive components, these can be overcoated with Nicobond Wet Room Waterproof Membrane and press the above components into position and allow to dry.
- 6. Using a medium roller apply the first coat of Nicobond Wet Room Waterproof Membrane to wall. It is not necessary to coat the Premier Shower Deck (only around the drain collar) as it is waterproof. Allow to dry. (If desired the remaining floor area can also be tanked following procedures in the previous pages.) Apply the second coat of membrane over walls and Wet room components to ensure a good seal is achieved. The optimum thickness of the membrane to be minimum 0.6mm for the two coats. Allow to dry for at least 2 hours before commencing tiling.
- 7. Press the tiles into the recommended adhesive with slight sliding or twisting action. Tiles may be fixed directly to the edge detail of the Wet Zone Base and the Premier Shower Deck.
- 8. Fill joints between tiles using the recommended grout.
- 9. Insert movement and perimeter joints to internal corners and at wall and floor junctions.
- 10 To complete the Wet Zone select a shower screen from the N&C Range.



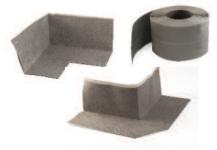




Nicobond Wet Room Waterproofing Membrane



Nicobond Wet Room Waterproofing Pipe Collars (self adhesive)



Nicobond Wet Room Waterproofing Corners and Tape (self adhesive)

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Natural Stone Speedflex



Nicobond Mosaic Adhesive and Grout and Enhancer



Recommended Tile Grout

Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout Nicobond Starlike Sparkle



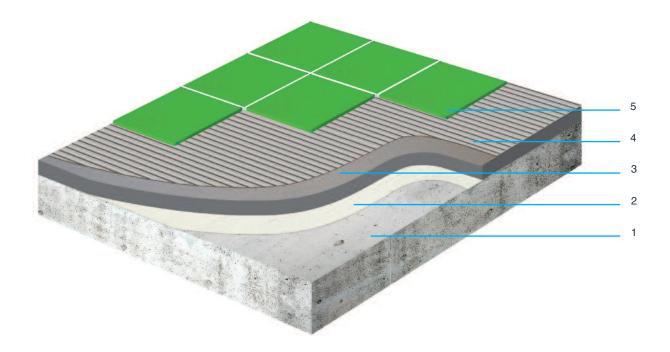
Nicobond Premier Shower Deck

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Levelling prior to ceramic tiling



- 1. Ensure the concrete base or Cement screed has fully cured and is clean, sound and dry.
- 2. If the sub-floor is porous, prime with diluted Nicobond Primer in the ratio of 4 volumes of water to 1 volume of Nicobond Primer and allow to dry.
- 3. Apply ScreedPro Level Floor up to 50mm thick in one application according to the instructions.
- 4. Solidly bed tiles into suitable adhesive 3-6mm deep using slight sliding action. Allow to dry to recommended time.
- 5. Fill joints between tiles using recommended grout.

Suspended floor or direct to ground base must have an effective damp proof membrane installed.

Recommended Screeds



ScreedPro Level Floor

Alternative Screeds



ScreedPro Cement Mix



ScreedPro Latex

Featured Products



Nicobond Primer

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Single Part Flexible Adhesive



Ecoflex Carbon Neutral Adhesive



Xtra Adhesive



Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive

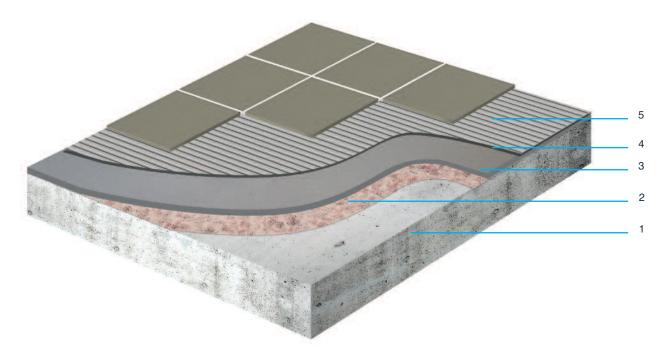


Fast Flexible Adhesive



Rapidflex Adhesive

Fast Track Floor Refurbishment for floor coverings



- 1. Remove existing hard vinyl floor tiles from the sub-floor. Ensure the base is sound and dry.
- 2. Remove as much of the residual flooring adhesive as possible and ensure remaining residues are hard and not water softenable.
- 3. Apply the Screedpro All Purpose up to 10mm thick according to the instructions and allow to dry
- 4. Apply a layer of the recommended adhesive and press tiles with slight sliding or twisting action...
- 5. Fill joints between tiles using recommended grout.

Suspended floor or direct to ground base must have an effective damp proof membrane installed.

Recommended Screeds



ScreedPro All Purpose

Recommended Tile Adhesives



Nicobond Rapidflex



Nicobond Large Format Floor Tile Adhesive



Nicobond Fast Flexible Adhesive

Recommended Tile Grout



Nicobond Flexible Grout Plus



Nicobond Tilers Grout



Nicobond Starlike Extreme Performance Grout

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Any colour representations in this publication are as near to actual as the printing process will allow. Colours should always be selected from an actual sample prior to use. The same colour name may appear in several product groups, particularly with grouting compounds. Due to the varying nature of the groups this should not be construed as meaning the colour will provide an exact match. All colours should be checked for suitability prior to the commencement of work.

Always use clean mixing equipment and tools, which should be washed in water immediately after use. Residual adhesive or grout must be washed from the face of tiles before it sets, particularly in situations where Nicobond Enhancer 2002 or epoxy products have been used.

When mixing cement based adhesives, grouting compounds and screeds the powder must always be added to the liquid. In the majority of instances on site a quicker, smoother mix will be achieved by using a Nicobond mixing whisk in a slow speed electric drill to blend the powder/liquid elements. It is also particularly appropriate when adding Nicobond Granite Chippings into a previously blended Nicobond screeding compound.

When blending screeding compounds in small quantities, any buckets used must always be thoroughly cleaned between each application. Residual quantities of material may speed up the setting time of subsequent blends.

Coverage figures quoted do not include wastage and are dependent upon the condition of surface and type of tile.

All quoted setting times are given in good faith and established in a controlled laboratory environment at 20°C and 50% relative humidity. This is to ensure consistent results; however adverse weather or site conditions may extend or shorten these times. When fixing porcelain or fully vitrified tiles quoted setting times will be extended except for our epoxy based materials.

Nicobond ready mixed paste and cementitious based adhesives and grouts used for tiling are not designed to form, in themselves, a water impermeable membrane.

Nicobond ready mixed paste adhesives are not suitable for tiling to plastics, fibre-glass, or metal surfaces and are not suitable for continuous immersion in water. For dispersion adhesives of this type to provide a satisfactory bond either the tile or the substrate must be absorbent.

Consideration must also be given to placement of movement and expansion joints. Since selecting the type and location of joints involves consideration of construction materials, bedding systems, anticipated temperature and humidity conditions, areas concerned and setting out of the tiling, it is the responsibility of the designer to incorporate joint details at the design stage. BS 5385 refers.

Nicobond Silicone Sealant should always be used to seal between surfaces subject to any differential movement such as where tiles abut or between tiled wall & shower tray, also for filling expansion joints in vertical surfaces.

A diverse range of substrates is now presented to the specifier or fixer when considering ceramic wall and floor tiling and similar cladding materials, or the application of screed and rendering.

Tile backer boards are becoming increasingly popular and all such proprietary products or similar substrates must be suitable for the intended purpose and have been fixed strictly in accordance with the manufacturers instructions.

To avoid failure which may follow from the debonding of any original adhesive, it is recommended that any residual quantities be removed to expose approximately 80%, evenly distributed, of the original surface.

Whatever the surface involved it must be fully cured, dimensionally stable, clean, dry, and free from dust, laitance or any other contamination which will reduce adhesion.

Good adhesion to the sub-floor is very important to guarantee the successful application of any thin screed or underlayment. Direct to earth sub-floors must have an effective DPM (seek technical advice). All Nicobond products should be mixed and applied in accordance with the relevant and most current product data sheet.

Nicobond products should not be used to make good screeds or any other substrates that are either structurally weak or have a friable surface.

Do not add additional water to the single part water based products or additional liquid to the latex based products as this will reduce the final performance of the cementitious underlayments.

Do not apply any Nicobond screed product below $5^{\circ}c$ or above $25^{\circ}c$; the temperature of the substrate must be carefully considered and included in your temperature calculations before using any cementitious screed product.

Concrete curing agents, admixtures and surface hardeners and the residues of these products can impair adhesion. Where doubt exists or the compatibility is unknown a trial adhesion test should be carried out before the work commences. All surfaces must be clean, sound and free from dust, plaster droppings, bitumen, grease, paint, polish and any water softenable or loosely adhered materials.

Gypsum /Calcium Sulphate / Anhydrite based Screeds

Gypsum and anhydrite based screeds also require careful consideration in respect of moisture content, surface finish and chemical compatibility. The screed should be tested for moisture according to BS8203:2001+A1:2009. The recommended methods are Hair/Electronic Hygrometer–The test is non destructive and provides reliable results for a relative humidity of 75%. Carbide Bomb–Destructive but gives a direct measurement of moisture content. Oven Drying-Time consuming but also gives a direct measurement.Note –Electronic metres are not suitable for accurate determination of the moisture content of calcium sulphate screeds.

It is the installers responsibility to take all necessary precautions in terms of taking moisture readings to satisfy themselves that the floor is adequately dry prior to applying Nicobond flooring products. These screeds are commonly applied by pump which leaves a laitance on the surface and it is the flooring contractors responsibility to return after 2 or 3 days to sand this off.

These screeds contain Calcium Sulphate which can be problematical if they come into contact with cement (screed or adhesive) in the presence of moisture. Under these circumstances a chemical reaction can take place. It is necessary to create a barrier utilising a priming system or disconnecting mat (unless Nicobond Gypfix is used for tile fixing) to prevent the formation of Ettringite, an expansive crystalline product which can lead to delamination of the screed or tile bed.

As a general guide the following should be noted and acted upon accordingly.

• "New plasterwork should have been completed at least 4 weeks previously and should be dry throughout. Tiles should only be fixed to the finish coat, never direct to the backing coat. Plasterwork is unsuitable as a background for tiling in wet areas."

(BS 5385: Part 1: 2009 Section 6 Table 3d).

 "New concrete, concrete blocks and bricks and calcium silicate bricks should be left for at least 6 weeks before rendering or direct fixing is commenced. Cement: sand mortar rendering should be left for 2 weeks before tiling is applied."

(BS 5385: Part 1: 2009 Section 6 Table 3a).

- "At least 6 weeks should be allowed for structural floors to undergo initial drying shrinkage. If a screed is subsequently to be applied the screed should be left for at least a further 3 weeks." (BS 5385: Part 3: 2007 Section one 3.3).
- "Timber is not considered to be a suitable base for floor tiling in wet, frequently damp, or high humidity areas, unless appropriate precautions are taken (BS 5385-4). Noggins might be required between joists in order to achieve the required rigidity. The limit of deflection normally permitted for domestic timber floors (see BS 5268-2) might be too great to avoid damage to tiling systems."
- "As the floor coverings, adhesives and smoothing compounds may be adversely affected by moisture, sub-floors should be so constructed as to protect the floor covering installation from moisture or water vapour from the" (see BS 8203: 2001: 3.1.4)
- For additional information and guidance on tiling to Calcium Sulfate based screeds refer to The Tile Association publication "Tiling to Calcium Sulfate Screeds."

For adhesives or screeds to perform according to specification it is important that the porosity of such surfaces is reduced to acceptable levels. Highly porous cementitious based surfaces such as aerated concrete or aerated blocks must be sealed using system 2 below, as a minimum. Should any doubt remain concerning porosity then a slurry priming coat according to system 1 should be applied and allowed to set before further work proceeds.

Nicobond recommends three basic procedures for priming or sealing and reference to the following systems will appear throughout this section.

System 1 - Slurry Priming	System 2 - Priming/Sealing Exterior	System 3 - Priming/Sealing Interior	
A most effective primer for all cement based adhesives & screeds, internally and externally, is to brush tightly onto the surface a thin even layer of a well stirred mixture of: 1 volume water	For the simple priming/sealing of all cementitious & other surfaces particularly for exterior work, brush into the surface a thin even layer of: 4 volumes water 1 volume Nicobond Primer mixed by thorough stirring.	For the simple priming/sealing of most interior surfaces brush apply a thin even layer of a blend of: 4 volumes water 1 volume Nicobond Universal Bonding Agent and Sealer mixed by thorough stirring.	
volume Nicobond Primer volume of Nicobond cement based product that will then be used.	The layer should be allowed to dry slightly before applying Nicobond smoothing compounds or adhesives.	Allow the layer to thoroughly dry before continuing. Coverage: Approximately 30m² per litre of Nicobond	
The layer should normally be allowed to set for a few hours before work progresses.	Coverage: Approximately 30m² per litre of Nicobond Primer.	Universal Bonding Agent and Sealer.	
Coverage: Approximately 5 - 6m² per litre of Nicobond Primer.			

Application Methods for Fixing Ceramic Tiles, Mosaic and Natural Stones

Nicobond Enhancer 2002

Our unique liquid additive is suitable for use with a number of our cementitious adhesives and grouts within the Nicobond range. Detailed mixing ratios are contained within the data pages for appropriate products. However the following table for the number of litres required per 20 kilo bag may be found useful as a quick reference.

Floor and Wall Adhesive	1.6 ltrs	Fast Floor and Wall Adhesive	2.5 ltrs
Natural Stone Speedflex Grey	2.5 ltrs	Natural Stone Speedflex White	3.0 ltrs
Xtra	3.3 ltrs	Mosaic Adhesive and Grout	3.4 ltrs
Quickflex	2.5 ltrs	Quickfix	1.4 ltrs
CT300 Ceramic Tile Adhesive	1.4 ltrs	Wide Joint Grout	1.2 ltrs
Tilers Grout Grey	1.0 ltrs	Tilers Grout White	1.4 ltrs

Adhesive Application Techniques

Thin Bed Ceramic Wall Tile Adhesives

Spread the prepared adhesive with the straight edge of a Nicobond Notched Trowel to a maximum depth of 3mm. Reverse the trowel and comb the adhesive with the notched edge, ensuring that continuous horizontal ribs of adhesive are formed.

Solid Bed Ceramic Wall Tile Adhesives

Working up to the maximum bed thickness specified for the product spread the prepared adhesive with the straight edge of the Nicobond Notched Trowel. Reverse the trowel and lightly comb the surface of the adhesive with the notched edge ensuring that continuous, horizontal ribs of adhesive are formed. In areas of high moisture or for exterior work, the solid bed fixing method, i.e. no voids behind the tiles, must be used.

Solid Bed Ceramic Floor Tile Adhesives

The mixed adhesive should be applied with the straight edge of the Nicobond Notched Trowel up to the maximum depth specified for the product. Lightly comb over the surface of the adhesive using the notched edge of the trowel. Do not press trowel through the full depth of adhesive. Where tiles have deep keys or studs, spread the adhesive onto the back of the tile to fill the keys or spaces between the studs.

Bonding Of The Tiles

Fix dry tiles immediately pressing them firmly into position with a slight sliding or twisting action. Where appropriate, the adhesive can be spread both onto the surface as described above, and buttered on the backs of the tiles. Which ever method is used, the tiles should be firmly tamped or pressed home to ensure solid bedding without voids (particularly on flooring installations). Floors should not be opened to any traffic until the adhesive has hardened. From time to time remove a tile to check that full contact has been made with the adhesive bed. Exterior installations must be protected from rain and frost until the adhesive has fully set. Where fixing is carried out in hot conditions, the finished tiling should be protected from direct sunlight to avoid premature drying. Adjustments to tiling can usually be made for between 10 and 20mins after fixing, refer to the Nicobond Tiling Products Directory for individual product information.

Mosaics

Spread a thin, even layer of adhesive and lightly comb the surface. Apply the mosaic sheet ensuring that all the tesserae are in complete contact with the adhesive. When laying paper faced mosaics, the sheets may be back grouted prior to fixing, alternatively grouting may be completed once the adhesive has set sufficiently for the paper to be removed. The use of our unique Nicobond Mosaic Adhesive & Grout will aid fixing and ensure complete uniformity of colour throughout.

Large Size Floor Ceramics

Nicobond Large Format adhesive provides a fast, convenient solution for achieving solid bed fixing of large size floor cladding and can be used at thicknesses from 4mm - 30mm. Immediately after mixing pour the adhesive on to the floor, working in small areas to avoid premature drying. Comb out with a trowel having rounded notches 10mm deep at 30mm centres and solidly bed the dry tiles into the adhesive ensuring there are no voids.

Marble, Granite or Natural Stones (Slabs and Tiles)

Whilst thinner slabs/tiles of marble or granite can be fixed using Nicobond ready mixed thin bed or cementitious adhesives, our Nicobond Natural Stone Speedflex is our preferred adhesive for larger tiles or slabs. Ensure that any dust is removed from the reverse of the slab. Spread mixed adhesive evenly onto the slab up to a maximum thickness of 12mm and to within 5cm of the edge. Press the slab firmly onto the surface with a twisting or sliding action. Remove any adhesive from slab face before it hardens. Slabs being fixed in a vertical position may require supporting during the initial setting period.

Building Regulations may also require mechanical fixing.

Grouting Notes

Ensure that the adhesive has set, that all joints are dry, clean and free from all loose materials. Check that the grout selected is correct in terms of joint width and depth and relevant to the service conditions. Do not grout more than $1 - 2m^2$ at a time.

Tiles with a soft glaze or Metallic finish such as silver or 18 carat gold are prone to scratching; care must be taken in the selection of the grout to ensure it is not too abrasive for the tile chosen. If in doubt always carry out a small trial prior to grouting

Tiles which have been fixed to impervious surfaces such as concrete, glazed brick, existing glazed tiles or oil based paint should not be grouted for several days after completion of fixing, this will allow the moisture from the adhesive to dry out through the joints.

Grouted swimming pools should remain empty for 3 weeks before being filled with 'balanced' water. Pools may be filled with salt water if desired, except where the sulphate content is very high.

Using the Nicobond Grouter or Nicobond Float Grouter the grout must be worked well into the tile or mosaic joints ensuring that they are completely filled. Immediately remove any surplus grout from the tiled surface. Before the grout sets wipe the complete area with a clean, damp cloth or sponge, avoiding products e.g. highly pigmented sponges, which may cause the grout line to discolour. Tile joints should then be finished off to the desired effect. Final polishing of the tiles may be carried out with a clean dry cloth once the film of grout remaining on the surface has dried. Allow grout to fully dry before bringing into use.

When re-grouting an existing installation ensure that the old grout has been thoroughly raked out of the joints, taking care not to damage the glazed edges of the tiles. Excessive use of water when mixing or during application may cause shade variation, efflorescence, pin holing or dusting of the grout and must be avoided.

If using acid or chemical systems to clean grouted installations grouted with cementitious products it is essential to pre-soak the grout lines with clean water. Clean water must also be used to thoroughly wash off all remaining traces of the cleaning system.

With all cementitious grouting compounds it is important to follow the recommended ratio given for mixing powder to water and to employ the same technique when finishing the grout line. Should water ratios vary excessively this can effect the final colour, as will different methods of finishing off.

For large floor areas, rotary floor scrubbing machines fitted with special squeezy blades can be used to rapidly consolidate grout into the joints and assist in the cleaning process.

Coloured Grouting

Before any coloured grout is applied we recommend that a trial be carried out on a sample tile to ensure that staining of the tile surface or tile edges does not occur since N&C Building Products Limited will not accept responsibility for staining. All the ready blended colours of our cementitious grouts are intermixable within the product group to extend the colour range. High strength pigments are used in the manufacture of all Nicobond Coloured Grouts, however care should be taken in the selection and application of cleaning and maintenance chemicals as otherwise, some discolouration may occur. Waterborne chemicals in swimming pools may cause a bleaching effect and we do not recommend the use of coloured grout, other than epoxy based material. Aggressive or unbalanced water will have a detrimental effect on any cementitious grouts and in extreme cases, any epoxy product.

Discolouration In Tile Grouts

Grout discolours because of poor installation techniques, improper cleaning methods, laitance, and improperly cured setting beds. Colour differences can occur in different parts of an installation because the grout is allowed to cure at different rates. Uneven curing causes uneven colour. Inconsistent mixing and installation techniques also cause uneven colour.

Common causes of grout discolouration

Darker colour	Lighter Colour
Absorptive tile	Non-Absorptive tile (fully vitrified/porcelain)
Low humidity	High humidity
Dry grout mix	Wet grout mix
Late finishing process	Early (wet) finishing process
Deep joints	Shallow joints

Please refer to www.ncnicobond.com download section for further information on discolouration in tile grouts.

Epoxy Grout

When preparing epoxy adhesives or grouts full instructions on the packaging should be followed. It is important that any liquid components which may contain pigment are thoroughly stirred to ensure good distribution. It is also essential that all components are mixed as a complete kit; do not attempt to make up part mixes as these may not subsequently cure. Do not grout more than $\frac{1}{2} - 1m^2$ at a time with epoxies.

The use of correct tools is essential when applying Nicobond Starlike Grout. Use the Nicobond Epoxy Float Grouter to work the grout into the dry joints, ensuring they are completely filled. Remove all excess mortar from the surface of the tiles with the edge of the float grouter. Any remaining material

Calculating Grout Requirements

A useful guide to calculating the requirements of cementitious grouts for any tiling installation is as follows:

(tile length + tile width) x tile thickness x joint width

tile length x tile width

x Factor of 2

For Nicobond Easiclean Epoxide use a factor of 1.8kg/m². For Nicobond Starlike Grout use a factor of 1.8kg/m².

An example of this would be as follows:
(330mm + 250mm) x 8 x 3

x 2

330 x 250mm

Resulting Coverage = 0.34kg/m²

Shelf Life

Unless otherwise stated Nicobond products have a shelf life of 12 months in unopened packaging from the date of packing. Please refer to our website www.ncnicobond.com for individual data sheets for specific advice.

Storage

Nicobond products must be stored clear of the ground and in dry conditions, protect from frost, direct sunlight and extremes of heat and humidity

Material Safety Data Sheets

The relevant Material Safety Data Sheet can be obtained from our website www.ncnicobond.com or directly from N&C Building Products Ltd at the address below.

Manufacturer's Warranty

All Nicobond adhesives, grouts and screeds are covered by our lifetime manufacturer's warranty. If our products are proven to be defective by reason only of manufacturing workmanship we will, at our discretion, provide replacement product free of charge.²

Faulty installation or non compliance with the current BS/EN Standard or The Tile Association recommendations/papers relating to substrates, the application of material and inappropriate use are excluded from this warranty and our liability is limited to the cost of replacement only on production of purchase invoice or receipt.

Coverage Guide

	Joint Width	Coverage
Wall Tiles		
15 x 15 x 0.6cm	2mm joint	0.3kg/m²
20 x 10 x 0.6cm	2mm joint	0.2kg/m ²
20 x 30 x 0.6cm	2mm joint	0.2kg/m ²
60 x 30 x 0.10cm	3mm joint	0.3 kg/m ²
Mosaic Sheet 25 x 25mm Tessara		
30 x 30 x 0.4cm	1.5mm joint	0.96kg/m ²
Floor Tiles		
30 x 30 x 0.8cm	4mm joint	0.43 kg/m ²
60 x 60 x 0.8cm	4mm joint	0.21 kg/m ²

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The advice given in this publication is based on the following British and EN Standards, Codes of Practice and The Tile Assocation's extensive range of technical publications and should be referred to if further guidance is required.

BS 5385 - 1: 2009

Wall and floor tiling. Code of Practice for the design and installation of internal ceramic and natural stone wall tiling and mosaics in normal conditions.

BS 5385 - 2: 2015

Wall and floor tiling. Design and installation of external ceramic and mosaic wall tiling in normal conditions. Code of practice.

BS 5385 - 3: 2014

Wall and floor tiling. Design and installation of internal and external ceramic floor tiles and mosaics in normal conditions. Code of practice.

BS 5385 - 4: 2009

Wall and floor tiling. Design and installation of ceramic and mosaic tiling in special conditions. Code of practice.

BS 5385 - 5: 2009

Wall and floor tiling. Design and installation of terrazzo, natural stone and agglomerated stone tile and slab flooring. Code of practice.

BS EN ISO 10545 Ceramic Tiles

BS EN 14411:2012

Ceramic Tiles: Definitions, classifications, characteristics, evaluation of conformity and marking.

BS EN 13914-1:2016

Design, preparation and application of external rendering and internal plastering. External rendering

BS 5325: 2001

Installation of textile floorcoverings - Code of practice

BS 6925: 1988

Mastic asphalt for building and civil engineering (limestone engineering)

BS 6093:2006 +A1:2013

Design of joints and jointing in building construction.

BS 8000 Series

Workmanship on building sites. Code of practice.

BS 8201: 2011

Code of practice for flooring of wood and wood based panels.

BS 8203: 2001+ A1:2009

Code of practice for installation of resilient floor coverings

BS 8204 -1:2003 + A1:2009

Screeds, bases and in-situ floorings. Concrete bases and cement sand levelling screeds to receive floorings. Code of practice.

BS 8204-3:2004+ A1:2011

Screeds, bases and in-situ floorings. Polymer modified cementitious levelling screeds and wearing screeds. Code of practice.

BS 8204-5: 2004 + A1:2011

Screeds, bases and in-situ floorings Part 5: Code of practice for mastic asphalt underlays and wearing surfaces

BS 8204-7:2003

Screeds, bases and in-situ floorings. Pumpable self-smoothing screeds. Code of practice.

BS EN 12706: 2000

Adhesives – test methods for hydraulic setting floor smoothing and/or levelling compounds. Determination of flow characteristics

BS EN 13813:2002

Screed material and floor screeds. Screed material. Properties and requirements

BS EN 13318: 2000

Screed material and floor screeds - Definitions

BS EN 14891: 2012

Liquid applied water impermeable products for use beneath ceramic tiling bonded with adhesives - Requirements, test methods, evaluation of conformity, classification and designation.

BS EN 13748-1: 2004

Terrazzo tiles - Terrazzo tiles for internal use.

BS EN 13748-2: 2004

Terrazzo tiles - Terrazzo tiles for external use.

BS EN 14618: 2009

Agglomerated Stone. Terminology and classification

BS EN 13892-2: 2002

Methods of test for screed materials. Determination of flexural and compressive strengths.

The Tile Association - Technical Publications.



CE Marking of Tile Adhesives

With effect from July 2013 CE marking became mandatory for tile adhesives in the UK. In order to be CE marked, tile adhesives must comply with the essential requirements of the relevant Harmonised EN Standards set out under the Construction Products Regulation (CPR). The relevant performance targets and test requirements for CE marking are contained in the current European Standard: Annex Z of EN 12004.

The CE mark is a fitness for purpose mark linked to the essential requirements listed within the above standard and in essence is a 'passport' which allows our tile adhesive products to be placed on the market in any EU member state. To determine the quality of tile adhesives requires reference to all parts of the standard, whereas CE marking requires compliance with only the described annex.

- 1. Subject to our standard delivery schedule.
- Subject to terms and conditions, please ask for a copy of the N&C Nicobond warranty if required.

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