

# SANDIMAT® DECOUPLING MAT FOR TILED FLOORS



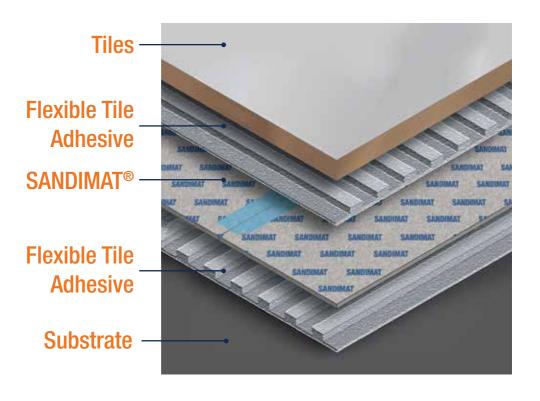
#### **USE SANDIMAT® FOR TROUBLE-FREE TILING**

Nothing is more frustrating, time consuming and expensive than trying to resolve a failed tiling installation. You don't need to experience it. Use SANDIMAT®.

### SANDIMAT® will protect your tiled floor and perform to a higher standard than any other decoupling mat.

SANDIMAT® is a technologically advanced decoupling mat, designed to prevent the failure of tiled floors, caused by movement in solid floors, including heated anhydrite screeds.

With its high tensile strength, SANDIMAT® allows for lateral movement in the substrate, whilst protecting the tiled floor above.



#### 5 REASONS TO USE SANDIMAT®



#### **QUICK TO INSTALL**

Unlike traditional decoupling mats, SANDIMAT® is totally flat, and there are no indentations to fill with adhesive, so you can make a time saving of up to 25%.



#### **REASON 2: VERY COST EFFECTIVE**

SANDIMAT® is inexpensive to buy, and because there are no dimples to fill with adhesive, you make up to a 25% saving on tile adhesive.



#### **REASON 3: THIN**

SANDIMAT® is only 1.3mm thick, so it prevents any unwanted height build up.



#### **REASON 4: EASY TO HANDLE**

SANDIMAT® comes in compact, 15m² rolls, that are easy to transport and carry.



#### **REASON 5: IDEAL FOR USE WITH UNDERFLOOR HEATING**

It is always recommended to use an anti-crack mat when fixing marble or stone onto a heated solid floor. SANDIMAT® is undoubtedly the best anti-crack mat to be laid over underfloor heating. Its open structure allows for fast warm up of tiles and continual even heat, unlike traditional PVC based decoupling mats.

#### **SANDIMAT TECHNICAL DATA**



Footfall sound improvement: approx. 9db

#### Please note:

- Do not apply when temperature is below 5°C or above 30°C
- Use on cement screed as soon as it can be walked on, on heated screeds follow manufacturer's recommendations
- Store SANDIMAT® on end
- SANDIMAT® can be used on anhydrite screeds when the moisture content is at 3%

For our full technical data sheet on SANDIMAT® please call our technical helpline on +44 (0)800 0094 354

#### INSTALLATION

Installing SANDIMAT® is quick and easy, follow these simple instructions to guarantee a long lasting perfect finish to your tiled room.



Ensure that the substrate is clean, dry and stable. Timber floors should be entirely free from 'bounce' movement, and all boards screwed down.



2.
Prime the substrate with MEGA
SBR Primer, diluted 1 part SBR to
3 parts water.



3.

Using a 4mm notched trowel and a good quality single part flexible tile adhesive, spread the adhesive in a 1m width and lay SANDIMAT® onto the adhesive, ensuring there are no voids. Lay SANDIMAT® with the SANDIMAT® text facing upwards. Lay the rest of the SANDIMAT®, keeping all joints as tight as possible, staggering end joints.



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Once the tile adhesive has hardened, tape all joints with SANDIMAT® tape, to prevent disturbance of the product's isolating effect.



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Then tiles can be laid over SANDIMAT® in the normal manner, using a good quality flexible tile adhesive.

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