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VidaSpace Technical Data Sheet

MXA200 Marldon Wood Floor Adhesive

Product Description

Advantages:

Marldon MXA200 Wood Floor Adhesive is a high strength, flexible, single component advanced silane polymer adhesive for surface bonding most wood flooring. Useable over most common substrates and compatible with under floor heating systems. Safe and clean to work with.

Product Uses:

For bonding most types of wood flooring including wood blocks, mesh backed mosaics, engineered, laminated and solid wood plank/strip flooring.

Compatible over most substrates, sand/cement screeds, concrete, calcium sulphate screeds (see below), stone, timber, epoxy membranes and MXS150 Marldon MVS Primer.

For other surfaces please consult VidaSpace for suitability.

Compatible with most under floor heating systems. Consult Technical Services for confirmation.

When using with calcium sulphate screeds please refer to the separate data sheet available on request.

Packaging:

Packaged in a sealed bag within a 17kg plastic bucket, or 600cc sausages.

Technical Information

Composition

Marldon MXA200 Wood Floor Adhesive is formulated from advanced silane polymer technology.

Characteristics

Open Time: Approximately 20 minutes





Usage Guidelines

Preparation

 All phases of installation should comply with BS 8201, BS 8203, CP 102 and /or other local installation standards and codes of practice.

Subfloor

- Ensure the subfloor is flat, clean, sound and dry and free from contaminants that may hinder adhesion, this includes, paint, varnish, polish, old adhesive residues and plaster spots.
- · Existing wooden subfloors must have an intact base DPM.
- The subfloor should be tested using a properly calibrated and insulated hygrometer.
- A reading of 75% RH or less confirms that the subfloor is satisfactorily dry. Where this has not been attained, it is necessary to
 apply a Marldon surface membrane to suppress residual moisture. For further information contact VidaSpace.
- · Ensure the timber is acclimatised in accordance to the manufacturer's instructions in the environment in which it is to be laid.
- Always allow an expansion gap around any perimeters or columns to allow for natural movement of the wood when bonded.

Smoothing Compounds

- Mechanically remove all surface treatments on concrete bases.
- · Repair any deep indentations in the subfloor with a compatible levelling compound or repair mortar.
- Apply a suitable Marldon smoothing compound at a minimum thickness of 3 mm.
- · See relevant technical data sheet for full information.

Existing Floor Coverings

Not recommended for use over existing floor coverings.

Priming

- · Clean surfaces thoroughly.
- Prime boards and other porous surfaces with Marldon Universal Primer MXS120 and allow to dry.
- · Ensure the manufacturer recommends the floor covering for use with the particular substrate.

Application

- On a smooth floor spread evenly over the floor surface with a Marldon triangular notched trowel 3mm or 4mm (Depending on subfloor and wood type)
- For rough textured floors a deeper notched trowel may be required. This will adversely affect the coverage rate of the adhesive.
- Spread the adhesive with a sweeping motion at a 60° angle and place the wood into the adhesive while it is still wet. If using the liquid batten system apply in straight lines at right angles to the timber, laid at 250mm centres.
- Press firmly or gently tap the wood into the adhesive to ensure good overall contact. Where necessary use heavy objects to hold
 the wood firmly in place during curing time.
- The bonded wood will be suitable to take foot traffic 6 to 8 hours after application. It should be left 24 –48 hours before sanding or finishing takes place.

Coverage Rate

Using a Marldon 3mm notched trowel the coverage is approx. 0.8 - 1.2 kg/m2. Using the Marldon bulk gun the coverage will be at 250 mm centres $1.3 - 1.7 \text{m}^2$ per 600 cc sausage.

Cleaning

Use water immediately after use.

Storage

Store in dry conditions between +5°C and +25°C.

Shelf Life

12 months when stored as recommended in original unopened packaging.

Health & Safety

Product Health and Safety Data Sheets must be read and understood before use.