

Backer board for over laying timber floors

Fitting instructions:-

1. Make sure floor boards / chipboard floor is solid and screwed down securely, any damaged boards will need replacing at this stage.
2. Sweep / vacuum the floor clean.
3. Spread the timber floor with single part flexible floor adhesive and stick the backer board sheets down, the sheets should be staggered in a brick bond fashion. Screw the boards down with self starting corrosion resistant screws of a suitable length in the areas shown on the boards..
4. Use the tape to tape up all joints and with the flat of a trowel force some of the floor adhesive into the joints and smooth over the tape.

The floor is ready to tile straight away, no time needs leaving for adhesive to dry. There is no need to prime unless you are putting UFH down or levelling over the top.

We recommend a good quality S1 grade single part flexible adhesive and a flexible floor grout. It is always good practice to silicone around the perimeter of the room too once completed.

Recommended products:-

Ultra Proflex SP S1 or Mapei Kerraquick S1 single part flexible adhesives

Mapei Ultracolour plus flexible anti-mould grout or Ultra flexjoint anti- mould grout.

Please note it is important that the instructions are followed correctly and that the floor needs to **not have excessive amounts of bounce in it to start with** to ensure the tiles stay adhered and the grout does not crack.