

weber.xerm 852

Flexible tile and stone adhesive

Flexible thin- and medium-bed mortar with trass for all common wall and floor tiles (C2 TE)

Fields of application

For fixing floor and wall ceramic tiles indoors and in specific areas outdoors, as well as non moisture (discoloration)-sensitive natural stone tiles, mosaic, porcelain stoneware and artificial stones (for ex. terrazzo).

The trass content offers an increased protection against lime efflorescence due to damp exposure indoors and outdoors as well when laying natural tiles or slabs.

Can be used as thin-bed and medium-bed adhesive in damp, wet-duty and cold storage rooms and also in underwater areas.

Following substrates are allowed: concrete, cement and anhydrite screeds (heated and non-heated), mastic asphalt (indoors), gypsum paperboards, gypsum fiberboards, cement and lime-cement plasters/renders, gypsum plasters, rigid foam boards and lightweight multi-use tilebackers **weber.sys 834**.

The particular features of **weber.xerm 852** are its very good slip resistance and its creamy consistency at the same time.

Furthermore, its extended open time allows quick and rational tiling works with high demands for bonding performance.

For use indoors and partially outdoors.

Description

weber.xerm 852 is a factory-mixed, flexible thin- and medium-bed mortar of **class C2 TE / S1** ("deformable cement-based adhesive with reduced slip and extended open time") according to EN 12004.

Composition

Trass cement, selected aggregates, additives

Main features

- **EMICODE EC 1:** low emission of volatile substances
- **class C2 TE / S1:** C2: pull-off strength $\geq 1.0 \text{ N/mm}^2$ in all storage conditions
 - T: thixotropic, slip $\leq 0.5 \text{ mm}$ – E: extended open time ≥ 30 minutes
 - S1: deformation $\geq 2.5 \text{ mm}$
- contains trass
- high stability on walls
- can be applied as thin- or medium-bed adhesive
- for walls and floors
- fulfills the KSW recommendations for swimming pools (Germany)
- convenient for tile fixing on heated floor constructions
- for levelling unevenness and defects up to 10 mm thickness
- for use outdoors (specific applications) and indoors

Technical values

Application temperature:	+5°C - +30°C
Pot life:	approx. 3 hours
Bonding open time:	approx. 30 minutes
Open to foot traffic:	approx. 24 hours
Open for grouting works:	approx. 24 hours
Open to full service:	approx. 7 days
Pull-off strength after dry storage/heat aging/ water immersion/freeze thaw cycling:	$\geq 1.0 \text{ N/mm}^2$ (EN 12004)
Temperature resistance:	-20°C - +70°C
Reaction to fire:	class E (EN 12004)
Chromate content:	low content (EC regulation 1907/2006)

Quality control

weber.xerm 852 is subject to a regular quality control by self-monitoring according to EN 12004.

General notes

- **Limits of use:** do not use **weber.xerm 852** for bonding “tile on tile” outdoors, in permanently wet-duty areas and in areas permanently under water (without waterproofing); in these cases, use the epoxy resin adhesive **weber.xerm 847**.
- Neither use for bonding the impact sound insulation and de-coupling boards **weber.sys 830** and **sys 832** on the floor, nor for fixing tiles, slabs and natural stones on top.
- For full information relating to allowed substrates and tile coverings refer to the **Weber** chart “**Overview Tile Adhesives**”.
- All characteristics mentioned in this data sheet are based on a temperature of +23°C without draught and a relative humidity rate of 50%.
- Higher temperatures and lower humidity rates accelerate, lower temperatures and higher humidity rates delay the setting process.
- Comply with the national standards and/or guidelines, for ex. DIN 18157 “Execution of tilings and coverings” and the leaflets of ZDB (Central Association of German Construction Industry); if not issued and if necessary, request technical advice.
- Take preliminary measures before fixing coverings on wooden (timber planks) or metal substrates, for ex. with de-coupling boards combined with a self-levelling mortar or an epoxy resin covered with silica sand etc. Request technical advice.
- For installation of natural or artificial stone slabs comply with the supplier’s recommendations. If in doubt, carry out preliminary tests.
- Check the compatibility of the tile adhesive with natural stones on a trial area.
- Respect the maximum residual moisture content of the substrate at the time of installation of ceramic coverings and natural stones; it should not exceed 2.0 CM-% (by weight) in case of heated or non-heated cement screeds, 0.5 CM-% (by weight) in case of heated or non-heated anhydrite screeds, 1.0 CM-% (by weight) in case of gypsum plasters, and air-dry for cement and cement-lime renders/plasters. The moisture content must be measured with a carbide hygrometer (CM) as a rule.
- Do not install tiles, slabs or natural stones that have been stored damp, wet, or too cold.
- Protect the structure from moisture until the tile adhesive has completely set.
- Do not use material that has already stiffened.

Special notes

- When levelling substrates with low compressive strength and bulk density (e.g gypsum plasters, lightweight plasters, aerated concrete, etc.), calcium sulphate screeds or mastic asphalt screeds, apply the tile adhesive in a thickness of maximum 3 mm.
- Do not use in contact with non-ferrous metals, such as aluminium, copper, lead or zinc. Used stainless steel components, e.g rails and edge protector angles.

Substrate preparation

- The substrate must be sufficiently solid, sound, clean, dry, dimensionally stable, and free of all adhesion-impairing particles and substances.
- Concrete substrates must be free of cement laitance.
- Completely remove oil, grease, wax and care agent residues.
- Remove chalking paints as well as solid lacquer and dispersion paints mechanically.
- Calcium sulphate flow screeds: grind, vacuum off dust and use the 1-comp. quick-drying multi-use primer **weber.prim 804**.
- Absorbent substrates: apply the primer **weber.prim 801**.
- Non-absorbent, smooth substrates (indoors): apply the bonding primer **weber.prim 803**.
- **weber.prim 804** as multi-use primer can also be used for absorbent and non-absorbent substrates.
- Old or soiled mastic asphalt substrates must be mechanically roughened. Clean and sufficiently sanded-off with silica sand asphalt screeds can be covered without primer; otherwise asphalt screeds must be pre-treated with the primer **weber.prim 803**.
- The substrate preparation must be adapted to the specific job site conditions.

Working instructions

Mixing

- Pour clean water in a suitable mixing vessel and add the powder. Mix the bag content (25 kg) with approx. 8 liters of water, using an electric drill and an appropriate stirrer (for ex. **weber.sys Rührpaddel** no. 2 or no. 8) until lump-free.
- If required, stir up the mortar again with a trowel or a slow-speed drill without adding more water.

Application

- Apply a contact coat of **weber.xerm 852** on the substrate with the smoothing trowel and comb down a uniform adhesive bed with the notched trowel at an angle of 45° - 60°.
- Before a skin starts to form (check the tackiness of combed down tile adhesive with the finger) slide the tiles into the fresh mortar bed with a slight twisting motion and press down.
- Scratch out the joints before the tile adhesive hardens.
- Remove fresh mortar residues using a wet sponge.
- Clean mixing equipment and tools with water (fresh product). Hardened material can only be removed mechanically.

Technical Data Sheet



Practical information

Colour:
grey

Bed thickness:
up to 10 mm

Water demand:
approx. 8 liters / 25 kg

Tools:
Electric drill + stirrer **weber.sys Rührpaddel** no. 2 or no. 8, smoothing trowel, thin-bed or medium-bed notched trowel

Storage:
The product can be stored at least 15 months in its original unopened packaging, if kept dry and protected from moisture.

Consumption

4 mm notch:	approx. 1.5 kg/m ²
6 mm notch:	approx. 2.1 kg/m ²
8 mm notch:	approx. 2.6 kg/m ²
10 mm notch:	approx. 3.2 kg/m ²
medium-bed notch:	approx. 4.5 kg/m ²

Packagings

Type	Sales unit	Number / euro-pallet
Plastified bag	25 kg	42 bags

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