Thistle Bond-it
Product Data Sheet

Product description

Overview
Thistle Bond-it is a bonding agent that is used to pre-treat smooth and/or low suction backgrounds. It has many advantages over PVA and is the only bonding agent recommended for use with Thistle gypsum plasters (excluding Thistle HardWall). It provides a chemical key as well as creating a mechanical key with the included aggregate particles.

Standards
Thistle Bond-it is manufactured under a Quality Management System in accordance with ISO 9001:2015 which is independently audited.

Application and installation

Background preparation
All surfaces should be thoroughly cleaned, free from dust, grease, protected from the elements and allowed to dry before pre-treatment. Backgrounds such as ceramic tiles, glazed bricks, exceptionally smooth concrete or concrete made from limestone, brick, granite and certain lightweight aggregates, will require preparation and pre-treatment with Thistle Bond-it bonding agent prior to plastering.

Thistle Bond-it is applied in one coat by roller or brush onto the background. No dilution is required, ensuring consistent product application. Green in colour to aid identification of treated areas. Typical coverage needed for 100m² is approx. 22 litres undiluted.

Plastering application
Plaster is applied when Thistle Bond-it is dry, allowing flexible timing of application. Plaster can be applied at normal thickness, i.e. up to 13mm, maximum 8mm on soffits. Care should be taken not exceed the recommended plaster thickness otherwise bond failure may occur. Please refer to the Thistle plaster selector in The White Book for the full range of specific and multi-purpose solutions for a wide-range of internal plastering needs and backgrounds.

Range

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<th>Lead time days</th>
<th>Coverage undiluted m²</th>
<th>Weight per tub kg</th>
<th>Pallet</th>
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Tubs per pallet | Weight tonnes
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48 | 0.7
Application and installation (continued)

Storage
Buckets should be stacked in a safe and stable manner. Store in dry conditions between 5 and 30°C. Protect from frost and direct sunlight.

Conditions to Avoid
Avoid temperatures over 30°C and below 5°C. Avoid contact with acids.