



TECHNICAL DATASHEET

ASCOPOXY"III

3 Part, Hygienic & High Performance Epoxy Grout















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PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

ASCOPOXY III is an advanced solvent-free two-component epoxy resin grout & adhesive. Renowned for its superior compressive, flexural, and shear adhesion strength, exceptional durability, and UV resistance, **ASCOPOXY III** is the optimal choice for applications demanding chemical resistance. Our meticulously formulated **ASCOPOXY III** is designed for diverse surfaces, including glazed tiles, mosaics, vitrified and fully vitrified tiles, ceramic tiles, industrial tiles, granites, marbles, and other natural stones, excels in residential, commercial, industrial and hospitality settings, providing swift grouting solutions. **ASCOPOXY III** demonstrates outstanding performance in wet environments, making it ideal for applications in bathrooms, water tanks and water bodies, representing the epitome of innovation and excellence.

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KEY FEATURES

- High compressive & bond strength
- High flexural strength
- Excellent chemical resistant
- Hygienic & dust resistant
- Excellent water resistant
- UV & weather resistant
- Algae resistant
- Ideal for submerged conditions
- Easy to apply & clean
- Solvent free
- Highly thixotropic
- Available in various colour shades

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

APPLICATION PROPERTIES (IS 17190: 2020)

PROPERTY: TEST METHOD	TYPICAL VALUES
Appearance	Part A: Liquid resin Part B: Liquid hardener Part C: Filler powder
Specific gravity	1.70 kg/ℓ
Pot life @ 27 ± 2 ℃	65 ± 10 minutes
Workability @ 27 ± 2 °C	45 ± 10 minutes
Initial setting time @ $27 \pm 2 °C$	\geq 150 minutes
Light foot traffic @ 27 ± 2 °C	24 hours
Compressive strength @ 7 days	\geq 55 N/mm ²
Flexural strength @ 7 days	\geq 30 N/mm ²
Shear bond strength	\geq 7 N/mm ²
Pull out adhesion	\geq 1.50 N/mm ²
Linear shrinkage @ 7 days	≤ 0.25%
Taber abrasion resistance (@1000 cycles)	< 200 mm ³

Water absorption	
Grouting gap range	

< 0.01 gm

1.5 - 15 mm

APPLICATION COMPATIBILITY

AREAS OF APPLICATION

Floors & walls, internal & external areas, domestic & commercial applications, wet areas, bathrooms, water tanks and water bodies.

SUITABLE SURFACE

Ceramic tiles, glazed tiles, porcelain tiles, vitrified tiles, natural stones, glass mosaic, china mosaic, wooden planks/tiles and SS/metal tiles.

APPLICATION METHOD

SURFACE PREPARATION

- Before initiating the grouting process, ensure that the tiles or stones are securely positioned, and the adhesive bed is thoroughly dry.
- Remove any excess adhesive or mortar from the joint area.
- Before grouting, remove any spacers that may have been used.
- Refrain from using acid cleaners for tile or stone cleaning, instead, wash the joints with water or detergent.
- Ensure that grout joints are free from standing water, dirt, dust and any foreign substances.
- For rough textured tiles or stones, it is recommended to use masking tape for defining the grouting area to prevents grout from getting stuck in the texture of the tile or stone. After applying and smoothing the grout, remove the masking tape for clean lines and easier clean up.

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MIXING

- Part A (liquid resin) and Part B (liquid hardener) are supplied in two separate containers, pre-determined in mixing proportion by weight.
- The entire quantity of Part B is gradually mixed with Part A for 3 – 5 minutes using a low-revolution mixer set at 300 rpm, followed by the gradual addition of Part C (filler) in mixing condition. Mix all three components thoroughly for at least 3 – 5 minutes to achieve a smooth & homogenous consistency.
- Avoid excessive mixing, as overdoing it may result in the epoxy undergoing a flash set.

APPLICATION

 Utilize a grout float or rubber squeegee to firmly compact the mixed grout into the joints, ensuring complete filling.



- Maintain the float perpendicular to the surface and pull it diagonally at a 45° angle across the joints and tiles to prevent material displacement.
- Work in small sections to remove excess grout from the tile surface, ensuring not to exceed the grout's working time.
- The ideal temperature for application is between +10°C to +40°C.

POST-APPLICATION PROCEDURES

 Remove excess grout from tiles carefully, within 20 – 40 minutes after application without disturbing the joints.

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 Allow the grout to firm up before cleaning with a wet sponge or cloth.

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- Utilize a scrubber for rustic & matt finish tiles or a sponge/clean cloth for smooth tiles, dampened with clean water, to scrub the tile surface in a circular motion diagonally to the grout lines in both clock-wise and anticlockwise directions.
- Gently finish the filled grout with a grout finishing tool/ gloved finger along the line of grout.
- After 12 24 hours, clean the tile surface with water and soap solution to eliminate any remaining stains.
- Clean tools and containers with clean water while the grout is still in its fresh state.

PACKAGING



• 1, 5 & 20 kg

COVERAGE

$$\frac{(\mathbf{L} + \mathbf{B})\mathbf{x} \mathbf{W} \mathbf{x} \mathbf{D} \mathbf{x} \mathbf{S}. \mathbf{G}.}{\mathbf{L} \mathbf{x} \mathbf{B}} = \mathbf{k}\mathbf{g}/\mathbf{m}^2$$

L = Length of tile (mm)

 $\mathbf{W} =$ Width of joint (mm)

- $\mathbf{B} = \mathbf{B}$ readth of tile (mm)
- $\mathbf{D} = \text{Depth of joint (mm)}$
- S.G. = Specific gravity of the grout

SHELF LIFE

 ASCOPOXY III, when unopened, can be stored above floor level in a cool dry place for a duration of up to 12 months.



HEALTH & SAFETY GUIDELINES

 Take preventive measures to keep children away from this product.



Wear appropriate safety gear, such as gloves and face or eye protection during the installation.

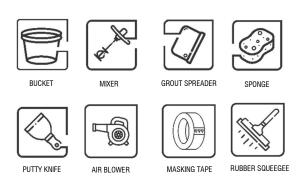




- If the adhesive comes in contact with your eyes or skin, immediately rinse them well with lots of clean water and seek medical advice.
- Only qualified professional applicators or contractors may use this product.
- For additional information, please consult the relevant material safety data sheet, which is available upon request.

TOOLS & ACCESSORIES

GROUTING TOOLS



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