ProBacker®
Quality Backer Board

Installation Guide

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Fibre Cement Tile Backer Board

The simple choice for a professional finish

Why should you choose ProBacker?

ProBacker boards are designed to improve insulation and create a stable, waterproof surface for tiling. For indoor use only, they can be used on both walls and floors, even with underfloor heating. They are simple to cut and install.

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- Creates an even, stable surface for tiling
- Moisture resistant
- Mould resistant
- Improves insulation
- Simple to cut and install
- Suitable for floors and walls
- Can be used with underfloor heating
- Ideal for wet rooms
- Can be painted
- Suitable for internal use only

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Don't forget to wear personal protective equipment throughout the installation process

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How To: Wood Floors

1.
Remove all old floor coverings and screw down any loose boards to give a clean and level surface.

2.
Sweep the floor to clear it of debris, dust and dirt. You are now ready to use ProBacker.

3.
Use ProBacker adhesive and run a bead around the back of the board. Add two additional beads down the centre of the board.

4.
Position ProBacker screws 25mm from the edge and screw the boards down firmly. We recommend using 15 screws per board.

5.
As you lay the boards, stagger the joints where possible. Apply a bead of ProBacker adhesive to the edge of each board to help seal and reinforce the joints.

6.
Wipe off excess adhesive using a cloth. Use a solvent if spillages occur.

Always wear gloves!

7.
Dilute tiler's primer as per the manufacturer's instructions and apply to the surface of the boards with a roller. If you are installing underfloor heating, apply two coats to help reflect heat into the room.

Now you're ready to tile!

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How To: Solid Floors

1.
Remove any old floor coverings and sweep the floor to clear it of debris, dust and dirt. Dilute tiler's primer as per the manufacturer's instructions and apply to the floor with a roller.

2.
Using the same primer mix, prime both sides of the ProBacker boards.

3.
We recommend applying ProBacker to the floor using an S2 single part flexible rapid set adhesive. As you lay the boards, stagger the joints where possible.

4.
ProBacker can straddle both solid and wood flooring surfaces as long as they are level. Follow the advice on pages 4 & 5 for fixing ProBacker boards to wood floors.

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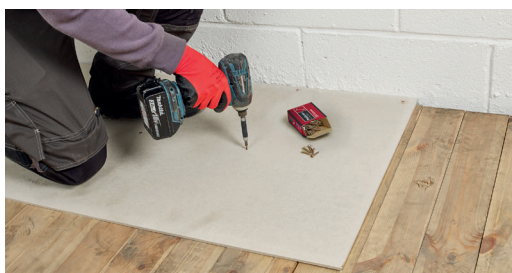Apply a bead of ProBacker adhesive to the edge of each board to help seal and reinforce the joints.

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7.
If the boards straddle wooden floors, position ProBacker screws 25mm from the edge and screw the boards down firmly.

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How To: Solid Walls

1.
Remove any old wall coverings. Dilute tiler's primer as per the manufacturer's instructions and apply to the wall with a roller.

2.
Using the same primer mix, prime both sides of the ProBacker boards.

3.
We recommend applying ProBacker to the wall using an S2 single part flexible rapid set adhesive. Apply the adhesive to the back of the board using a dot and dab technique.

4.
Apply ProBacker to the wall by pressing the board firmly into the adhesive.

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5.
Apply a bead of ProBacker adhesive to the edge of each board to help seal and reinforce the joints. As you apply more boards, stagger the joints where possible. Keep the boards level and flat throughout.

6.
Wipe off excess adhesive using a cloth. Use a solvent if spillages occur.

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Now you're ready to tile!

How To: Wet Rooms

1.
Position the wet room shower tray then place ProBacker boards around the tray to plan the best fit.

2.
If you are installing ProBacker boards on to a wood floor, follow the advice on pages 4 & 5.
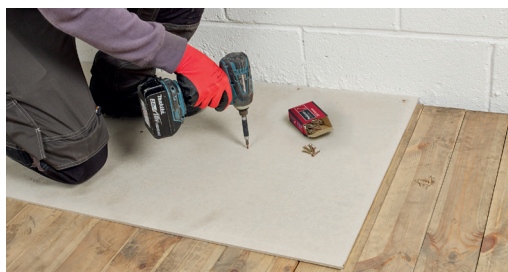
3.
If you are installing ProBacker boards on to a solid floor, follow the advice on pages 6 & 7.

4.
Apply a bead of ProBacker adhesive to the edge of the shower tray and each board to help seal and reinforce the joints. Stagger the joints as you lay the boards.

5.
Use a tanking kit to bond all the joints and ensure these are fully waterproof. Apply the polymer adhesive with a roller between the joints and allow to dry tacky - usually after a couple of minutes.

6.
Apply the tanking tape and press down firmly to secure. Use a roller with extra polymer adhesive on top of the tape to finalise the seal. Be sure that all joints are sealed before tiling.

Now you're ready to tile!

Important information
When using a tanking kit, always refer to the manufacturer's instructions as these may differ to the advice in this guide.

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How To: Cutting Boards

1.
Measure and mark where you wish to cut your board. Score along the line with a scoring knife.

2.
Lay the board over a snapping block and apply pressure on both sides to break the board along the scored line.

3.
For curves and shapes, use tile nippers to nibble along the marked line.

Useful Information

• Each board is 6mm thick

• One board measures 600 x 1200 mm and covers 0.72 m^2

• When fitted correctly, ProBacker will hold tiles up to 65 kg per m^2

• 25 boards will require 375 ProBacker screws

• 5 boards will require 1 tube of ProBacker adhesive

• A pallet contains 75 ProBacker boards and covers 54 m^2

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• Class 3, Category C. Type NT

• Reaction to fire: A1

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Products & Accessories

ProBacker Board

Code	A10117
Size	600 x 1200 x 6 mm
Single Unit Weight	7 kg
Pallet Quantity	75 Boards
Pallet Weight	525 kg
Boards per m²	1.38

ProBacker Screws

Code	A10066
Quantity	200 Screws
Single Box Weight	0.34 kg

ProBacker Adhesive

Code	A10076
Size	290 ml
Single Unit Weight	0.56 kg
Box Quantity	12 Tubes
Box Weight	6.59 kg

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