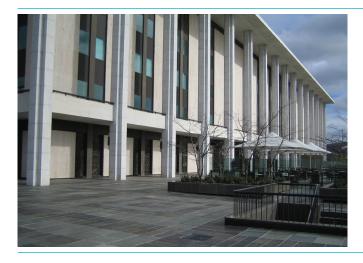


# **LATAPOXY® 300 Adhesive**

LATAPOXY 300 Adhesive is a chemical resistant, epoxy adhesive that will bond to most sound, clean surfaces. Adhesive spreads easily and cleans with water while fresh. LATAPOXY 300 Adhesive is a factory-proportioned kit consisting of epoxy resin, hardener and chemical resistant filler. LATAPOXY 300 Adhesive can be used in interior and exterior (see Limitations) walls and floors, wet and dry areas.

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# FEATURES/BENEFITS

- Water cleanable
- No flammable solvents are required to clean tools or finished work
- Ideal for installing moisture sensitive marble and agglomerate tiles
- Ideal for the installation of resin backed marble and agglomerates
- Non staining on white and light coloured marble
- High bond strength
- Maximum chemical resistance

## **PACKAGING**

LATAPOXY 300 Adhesive is a factory proportioned kit with Resin, Hardener and Filler Powder, packed in a plastic mixing pail together with rubber gloves, cleaning pad and instructions.

#2 Unit Pail:

- 2 x part A pouches
- 2 x part B pouches
- 2 x part C powder bags

Total Weight: 11 kg

## **SUITABLE SUBSTRATES**

- Concrete
- Cement mortar beds
- Ceramic tile and stones
- Cement backer board\*\*
- Exterior glue plywood\*
- Gypsum wallboard\*
- Concrete masonry
- Polyester Pool Shells

- Cement plaster
- Brick masonry
- Cement terrazzo
- Asphaltic adhesives\*
- Plastic laminate\*
- Vinyl or other resilient tile\*
- Non-water soluble cut back adhesive\*
- Steel

\*Interior application only

## USES

For heavy duty commercial chemical resistant installations in food processing areas, commercial kitchens, restaurants, etc. Also use LATAPOXY 300 Adhesive to install all types of ceramic tile, marble and natural stone over post-tensioned and precast floor systems. Also recommended for; rubber flooring and wood block floors; the installation of green marble or serpentine, white marble, resin backed stone and agglomerate marbles that have a tendency to stain, darken, or warp when installed with water-based installation materials.

Note: LATICRETE recommends the use of epoxy adhesives and grouts for thin-set installations on suspended concrete slabs and for floors and walls when chemical resistance is required.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Consult cement backer board manufacturer for specific installation recommendations and to verify acceptability for exterior use

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#### **Approximate Coverage**

Trowel	#2 Unit Pail (11 kg)
1.5 mm V-notched trowel	16.7 — 18.6 m²
4 mm V-notched trowel	6.5 — 7.4 m²
3 mm x 3 mm square notched trowel	8.4 — 10.2 m²
6 mm x 6 mm square notched trowel	2.8 — 3.3 m²

#### **Shelf Life**

Factory sealed containers of this product are guaranteed to be of first quality for two (2) years if stored at  $>0^{\circ}$ C to  $<43^{\circ}$ C

#### Limitations

- Not for use as a grout. Use SPECTRALOCK® PRO Premium Grout, SPECTRALOCK 2000 IG or LATAPOXY® SP-100.
- Do not install when surface temperature is below 16°C or above 32°C.
- Not for use as a wearing surface.
- Adhesives for ceramic tile and stone are not replacements for waterproof membranes. When
  a waterproof membrane is required, use LATICRETE® Waterproof Membrane.
- Consult LATICRETE Technical Services on limitations for exterior installations.
- Note: Surfaces must be structurally sound, stable and rigid enough to support
  ceramic/stone tile, thin brick and similar finishes. Substrate deflection under all live,
  dead and impact loads, including concentrated loads, must not exceed L/360 for thin bed
  ceramic tile/brick installations, L/720 for ceramic tile/brick to external framed and sheeted
  substrates or L/720 for thin bed stone installations where L=span length.

#### Cautions

- Consult SDS for more safety information.
- During cold weather, protect finished work from traffic until fully cured.
- LATAPOXY® 300 Adhesive Part A is corrosive until fully cured. Damage to eyes or skin is possible.
- Contains Silica sand. Silica sand may cause cancer or serious lung problems. Avoid breathing dust. Wear a respirator in dusty areas.
- Wait 14 days after the final grouting period before filling water features with water at 21°C
- Keep out of reach of children.

#### **TECHNICAL DATA**

This product has been GREENGUARD® Indoor Air Quality Certified by the GREENGUARD Environmental Institute under the GREENGUARD Standard for Low Emitting Products in finished form.

Total VOC Content grams/litre of product in unused form is 0.80 grams/litre.

#### **Applicable Standards**

Meets and exceeds the requirements of an R2 adhesive when tested against AS ISO 13007.1 & 2.

## **Physical Properties**

To ANSI A118.3, EN12004 and IS013007

Test	Method	Specification	Results
Quarry Tile Shear Bond Strength	ANSI A118.3-5.5	6.9 MPa	8.6 MPa
Tensile Strength	ANSI A118.3-5.7	6.9 MPa	9.6 — 11.7 MPa
Compressive Strength	ANSI A118.3-5.6	24.1 MPa	34.4 — 37.2 MPa
Thermal Shock Resistance	ANSI A118.3-5.8	3.4 MPa	4.1 — 4.8 MPa
Shrinkage	ANSI A118.3-5.3	<0.25%	0 - 0.1%
Sag Resistance	ANSI A118.3-5.4	No shape change	Pass
Water Cleanability	ANSI A118.3-5.1	>80 minutes	>80 minutes
Shear Adhesion Strength	ISO13007-2.4.3.4	≥2 N/mm²	≥2 N/mm²
Shear Adhesion Strength after water immersion	IS013007-2.4.3.5	≥2 N/mm²	≥2 N/mm²
Shear Adhesion after thermal shock	IS013007-2.4.3.8	≥2 N/mm²	≥2 N/mm²
Open Time Tensile Adhesion Strength	IS013007-2.4.1	0.5 N/mm² in not less than 20 minutes	0.5 N/mm² in not less than 20 minutes

Specifications subject to change without notification. Results shown are typical but reflect test procedures used.

Actual field performance will depend on installation methods and site conditions

## Working Properties at 21°C

Pot Life	45 minutes
Time to Grout	12 hours
Time to Light Traffic	12 hours
Time to Heavy Traffic	24 hours
Minimum Application Layer	3 mm
Maximum Application Layer	10 mm
Wet Density	1590 kg/m³

#### **Chemical Resistance Chart**

LATAPOXY 300 Adhesive

Reagent Type at 21 °C	Intermittent Exposure	Constant Exposure
Citric Acid 10%	R	R
Sulfuric Acid 10%	R	R
Hydrochloric Acid 10%	R	R
Lactic Acid 5%	R	R
Vinegar	R	NR
Acetic Acid 10%	R	NR
Nitric Acid 10%	R	R
Sodium Hydroxide 10%	R	R
Sodium Chloride 10%	R	R
Concentrated Detergents	R	R
Ammonium Hydroxide	R	R
Sugars	R	R
Petrol	R	R
Cooking Oils	R	R
Turpentine	R	R
Mineral Spirits	R	R
Toluene	NR	NR
Xylol	NR	NR

R=Recommended NR=Not Recommended

Chemical Resistance determined in accordance with ASTM C267-1982

**NOTES TO SPECIFIER:** Use the constant exposure recommendations for intermittent exposure to reagents at temperatures above 32 °C

#### **INSTALLATIONS**

All work should be in general accordance with AS3958-2023 unless otherwise noted in this document.

#### **Surface Preparation**

All surfaces should be between 16°C and 32°C and structurally sound, clean and free of all dirt, oil, grease, loose peeling paint, concrete sealers or curing compounds. Lightly sand polyester or fibreglass surfaces to clean and remove waxes and mold releases prior to applying the adhesive. Rough or uneven concrete surfaces should be made smooth with LATICRETE Latex Portland Cement underlayment to provide a wood float (or better) finish. Installation may be made on a damp surface. New concrete slabs must be damp cured and 28 days old prior to application. All slabs must be plumb and true to within 5 mm in 3 m. Expansion joints shall be provided through the tile work from all construction or expansion joints in the substrate. Follow Australian Standards requirements for Movement Joints in AS 3958 or TCNA detail EJ-171 "Movement Joints — Vertical & Horizontal". Do not cover movement joints with adhesive.

Glass Mesh Mortar Unit: follow TCA installation detail W244.

**Note:** Temperature will effect working properties of LATAPOXY 300 Adhesive. Warm temperatures will speed curing and shorten working time. Cool temperatures will slow curing and require longer time to traffic. Store LATAPOXY 300 Adhesive at 21°C for 24 hours prior to use.

#### Mixing

Pour LATAPOXY® 300 Adhesive Part A and Part B into a clean mixing pail and mix thoroughly. Add LATAPOXY 300 Adhesive Part C Filler Powder and mix to a smooth, trowelable consistency. Adhesive is ready for use immediately after mixing.

#### **Application**

Apply adhesive to the substrate with the flat side of the trowel, pressing firmly to work into surface. Comb on additional adhesive with the notched side.

**Note:** Use the proper sized notched trowel to insure full bedding of the tile. Back butter large tiles >200 mm x 200 mm to provide full bedding and firm support. Place tiles into wet, sticky adhesive and beat in using a beating block and rubber mallet to imbed tile and adjust level. Check adhesive for complete coverage by periodically removing a tile and inspecting bedding adhesive transfer onto back of tile.

#### **Sand Seeding Application Instructions:**

#### **Epoxy Coating**

Apply a 250µm thick coat of LATAPOXY 300 liquids only mix, and whilst still wet and tacky, broadcast into the coat, clean, dry river sand\*, to refusal. Allow to dry and set, before vacuuming and removing any loose sand. After vacuuming, the LATAPOXY 300 should be barely visible and with the sand partly embedded but exposed and free of epoxy.

#### **Epoxy Adhesive**

Apply a 500 - 1000µm thick coat of LATAPOXY 300 Adhesive and whilst still wet and tacky, broadcast into the coat, clean, dry river sand\*, to refusal. Allow to dry and set, before vacuuming and removing any loose sand. After vacuuming, the LATAPOXY 300 should be barely visible and with the sand partly embedded but exposed and free of epoxy.

\* Silica sand that has been washed, classified, screened and kiln dried with a particle size graded at 0.3mm—0.75mm in coarseness depending on coating thickness. (at a nominal rate of 800g per sam)

#### **AVAILABILITY AND COST**

### **Availability**

LATICRETE and LATAPOXY® materials are available worldwide.

For Distributor information: Toll Free: 1800 331 012 Telephone: 07 3865 1599

For online distributor information, visit LATICRETE at www.laticrete.com.au

#### Cost

Contact a LATICRETE Distributor in your area.

## **MAINTENANCE**

LATICRETE and LATAPOXY grouts require routine cleaning with a neutral pH detergent and water. All stone and tiles should be maintained and sealed with STONETECH® products as appropriate for the specific tile / stone and installation situation.

All other LATICRETE and LATAPOXY materials require no maintenance but installation performance and durability may depend on properly maintaining products supplied by other manufacturers.

#### **TECHNICAL SERVICES**

#### **Technical assistance**

Information is available by calling:

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### Technical and safety literature

To acquire technical and safety literature, please visit our website at

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- This information is subject to change without notice and it is the responsibility of the user to obtain up to date and current information.
- The use of this product is beyond our control and LATICRETE is not responsible for any loss
  or damage arising from the incorrect use of this product.
- Efflorescence is a normal condition of Portland cement and is not covered by any
  warranty. The use of LATAPOXY 310 Stone Adhesive, LATAPOXY 300 Adhesive,
  LATAPOXY SP-100, SPECTRALOCK® PRO Premium Grout<sup>1</sup> and SPECTRALOCK® 2000 IG will
  not contribute to any noticeable efflorescence.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup> United States Patent No.: 6,881,768 (and other Patents).