





# Vetofill EG455

Water Cleanable, chemical resistant waterproof epoxy tile grout

## Uses

- Filling tile joints of virtually all types of tiles up to 10 mm.
- Chemical processing plants and pharmaceutical plants.
- Industrial Kitchens, food plants, and hospitals.
- Swimming pools and aquariums.
- Hospitals and clinics.

## **Product Description**

Vetofill EG455 is a three-component epoxy-based, water cleanable, chemical resistant, and waterproofing tile grout used with most types of tiles, including ceramic, porcelain, glass mosaic, marble, granite,...etc. The product is composed of 3 components consisting of a resin base, hardener, and selected fillers.

## Advantages

- Easy to apply.
- Fast return to service and reinstatement.
- Excellent mechanical and physical properties.
- High bond strength.
- High chemical resistance.
- Water cleanable.

## **Standards Compliance**

- > ANSI A118.3
- > ANSI A108.6
- ► BS EN 12004 as RG2AW
- > SASO ISO13007-3 as RG2AW

## **Design Considerations**

> Do not apply/cure at a temperature below 5°C.

## **Technical Data**

| Vetofill EG455                                 | Typical Values @<br>25°C |
|--|--------------------------|
| Application Thickness                          | 2 to 10 mm               |
| Pot Life                                       | 45 minutes               |
| VOC  | ≤ 30 gm/Liter            |
| SASO ISO 13007-3 Classification                | RG2AW                    |
| Compressive strength ASTM<br>C579-18           | ≥ 50 MPa                 |
| Tensile strength<br>ASTM C307-18               | ≥ 14 MPa                 |
| Initial setting time<br>ASTM C308              | 7 hrs.                   |
| Service Setting Time ASTM<br>C308              | 7 days                   |
| Mixed Density                                  | 1.8 Kg / Liter           |
| Minimum application temperature                | 12°C                     |
| Sag in vertical joints<br>ANSI A118.3          | Nil mm                   |
| Shrinkage ASTM C531                            | ≤ 0.013%                 |
| Shear Strength<br>ANSI A118.3                  | ≥ 6.9 MPa                |
| Shear strength after thermal shock ANSI A118.3 | ≥ 3.6 MPa                |





## **Usage Instructions**

#### Surface Preparation

The substrate should be sound, clean, free from loose material, grease, laitance, dirt, or any other substance that might impair the bond's quality with the substrate.

#### <u>Mixing</u>

To ensure proper mixing, use a mechanically powered mixer or heavy-duty slow speed drill fitted with a suitable paddle.

Stir the base (component A) and the hardener (Component B) individually to disperse any settlement. Pour the entire contents of the base and hardener into a suitable size container and mix mechanically for 2 minutes. Add the Filler (component C) and mix for another 3 minutes until achieving a uniform, lump-free consistency.

#### **Application**

Fill the mixed grout into the joints using a rubber trowel or a hand-operated gun and cartridges; clean excess grout with a wet sponge.

After grouting with Vetofill EG455, within 80 minutes from grouting, clean the joints and excess grout by using a wet sponge.

#### <u>Cleaning</u>

Clean tools and equipment with water immediately after use. Remove the hardened material using mechanical means.

## Packaging & Coverage

| Product        | Pack Size | Theoretical<br>Yield |
|----------------|-----------|----------------------|
| Vetofill EG455 | 8 Kg kit  | 4.5 Liters           |

Stated consumption data are for general guidance. Actual consumption depends on the nature of the substrate, method of application, and wastages.

## Shelf Life & Storage

The original sealed containers of Vetofill EG455 have a shelf life of 12 months, provided it is stored clear of ground in a dry, shaded place below 35°C.

## Health & Safety

Vetofill EG455 should not come into contact with skin and eyes or be swallowed. Ensure adequate ventilation and avoid inhalation of vapors. Some people are sensitive to resins, gardeners, and solvents. Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves, and eye protection. If working in confined areas, suitable respiratory protective equipment must be used. The use of barrier creams provides additional skin protection. In case of skin contact, rinse with plenty of clean water, then cleanse with soap and water. Do not use solvent. In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of clean water and seek medical advice. If swallowed, seek medical attention immediately - Do not induce vomiting.

Vetofill EG455 is non-flammable.

For further information, please refer to the material safety data sheet.

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