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## wedi tile backer boards

The wedi building board consists of a blue core made from extruded polystyrene rigid foam that is reinforced with glass fibre (with alkali-resistant finish) on both sides and coated with a polymer-modified cement

providing a smooth surface for plastering or laying tiles, slabs and natural stone coverings using the thinbed mortar method.

It does not only provide protection against mould and fungus and fantastic insulation, but thanks to being 100% waterproof to the core and inert, it also offers sealing and decoupling at the same time, thus saves time, stress and money.

## WHY CHOOSE WEDI?



100% waterproof



Protects against mould & fungus



Thermally insulating



Lightweight
No need for laborious lifting



Seal and bond in one step



Vertical load capability: 120kg



Ready to tile NO priming necessary



Safe to handle & cut NO PPE needed



Technical support is only a phonecall away



Installation advantages save time & money







## EASILY CUT WITHOUT THE NEED FOR PROTECTIVE GEAR









Customisable without the loss of guarantee



# LIGHTWEIGHT AND ROBUST AT THE SAME TIME









Wheelchair accessible



Build with confidence 4 - 100mm thickness

# A SIMPLE TIME-SAVING ALTERNATIVE TO TRADITIONAL PARTITION WALLS

wedi partition solutions offer fewer work steps (construct & seal in 1 step) and less material to carry (from only 14kg) resulting in



significantly shorter processing time (from only 30mins) and reduced labour thus a safer installation that is ready to tile in just 24 hours!







## SOLID WALL SURFACES

#### **COMPLETELY FLAT, TRUE & LOAD-BEARING**

- The substructure must be clean of any mortar residue/dirt and primed with a suitable primer before laying the wedi boards. Newly created substructures must be adequately dried to ensure that the shrinkage process is completed before the wedi building board is fitted.
- 2. Bond 6mm wedi building board to the surface using a thin bed flexible cement-based tile adhesive at a minimum thickness of 4-6mm, applied with a notched trowel over the entire surface.
- In wet areas, whilst bonding the board to the surface, apply a bead of wedi 610 Adhesive Sealant to the joints prior to the next board being installed. 24 hours curing time applies.
- Apply wedi self-adhesive Joint Reinforcement Tape to all building board joints then once the adhesive bed hardened, tiling or plastering can commence.





### LAYERED, PARTIALLY/NON LOAD-BEARING

- The substructure must be clean of any mortar residue/dirt and primed with a suitable primer before laying the wedi boards. Any unevenness must be eliminated using a levelling filler.
- Bond 6mm wedi building board to the surface using a thin bed flexible cement-based tile adhesive at a minimum thickness of 4-6mm, applied with a notched trowel over the entire surface.
- In wet areas, whilst bonding the board to the surface, apply a bead of wedi 610 Adhesive Sealant to the joints prior to the next board being installed. 24 hours curing time applies.
- Fix with wedi Metal Dowels at a fixing ratio of 8/m² for natural stone/large format tiles and min 5/m² for ceramic tiles.
   *Minimum dowel penetration depth into the substrate is 35mm.*
- Apply wedi self-adhesive Joint Reinforcement Tape to all building board joints then once the adhesive bed hardened, tiling or plastering can commence.



Joint sealing of wedi boards joining non-wedi surfaces:

A: wedi Fundo Sealing Set approx 8-10 linear metres B: wedi 520 Waterproof Membrane + wedi Sealing Tape After 24 hours curing time tiling can commence.



## **SOLID WALL SURFACES**

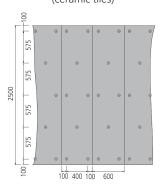
#### **UNEVEN SURFACES**

- For this application, 20mm wedi building board is required. Referring to the diagrams below, use a screwdriver to punch holes then apply dabs of thin-bed mortar (universal tile adhesive) in line with the hole markings.
- Place the building board against the wall, tap it lightly with a rubber mallet and line it up.
- In wet areas, apply a bead of wedi 610 Adhesive Sealant to the joints prior to the next board being lined. 24 hours curing time applies.
- Allow the dabs to dry then drill holes in the wall through 4. the board and dabs of mortar with an 8mm drill bit. Minimum dowel penetration depth into the substrate is 35mm.
- 5. Insert wedi Metal Dowels through the pre-drilled holes and dabs of mortar. Wait until the mortar hardens - then hammer the dowels in totally.
- Apply wedi self-adhesive Joint Reinforcement Tape to all 6. building board joints then tiling can commence.

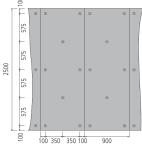


### FIXING GUIDELINES

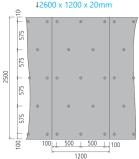
(ceramic tiles)



1 wedi building board sizes: 2500 x 600 x 6mm 2500 x 600 x 20mm



12500 x 900 x 20mm wedi building board sizes





In wet areas, all penetrations must also be sealed with wedi 610 Adhesive Sealant. After 24 hours curing time tiling can commence.



## STUD FRAMES

#### **DIRECT BOND WITH WEDI 610**

- Ensure that the framework system is structurally sound and perfectly perpendicular and flush and does not exceed a maximum stud distance of 600mm.
- Bond wedi building boards to the framework using bead of wedi 610 Adhesive Sealant over the entire framework surface (i.e. all vertical studs and horizontal noggins).
- In wet areas, whilst bonding the board to the surface, apply a bead of wedi 610 Adhesive Sealant to the joints prior to the next board being installed.
- After 24 hours drying time, apply wedi self-adhesive Joint Reinforcement Tape to all building board joints then tiling can commence.













**SCREW-WASHER FIX** 

- Ensure that the framework system is structurally sound and perfectly perpendicular and flush and does not exceed a maximum stud distance of 600mm.
- Fix wedi building boards to the framework using proprietary wedi Washers and no.8 gauge countersunk screws - at a fixing ratio of 8/m<sup>2</sup> for natural stone/large format tiles and min 5/m<sup>2</sup> for ceramic tiles.
- In wet areas, whilst bonding the board to the surface, apply a bead of wedi 610 Adhesive Sealant to the joints prior to the next board being installed. 24 hours curing time applies.
- Apply wedi self-adhesive Joint Reinforcement Tape to all building board joints then tiling can commence.



Joint sealing of wedi boards joining non-wedi surfaces:

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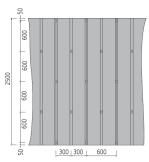


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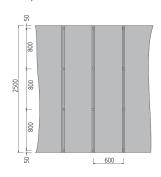
wedi BOARD THICKNESS	MAX. UNSUPPORTED SPAN		
10mm	300mm		
Available size: 2500 x 600mm			
12.5mm	400mm		
Available sizes: 2500 x 625mm, 2500 x 900mm, 2600 x 1200mm			
20mm	600mm		
Available sizes: 2500 x 600mm, 2500 x 900mm, 2500 x 1200mm			

### **GUIDELINES FOR SCREW-WASHER FIX**

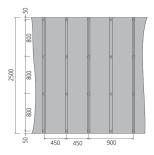
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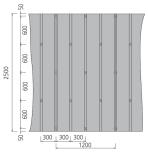
stud distance: 300mm 2500 x 600 x 10mm (12.5mm or 20mm can also be used here)



stud distance: 600mm 2500 x 600 x 20mm



stud distance: 450mm 2500 x 900 x 20mm



stud distance: 300mm 2600 x 1200 x 12.5mm (20mm can also be used here)



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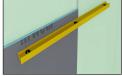


## TRANSITIONS

wedi building boards offer a simple solution to common dilemmas in renovations: they can be used as levelling under mosaic tiles and also be mounted flush with old tiling or existing plasterboards creating a precise transition thus a neat, even surface for tiling.

#### TRANSITIONS TO PLASTERBOARDS

- After cleaning the wall, align the 12.5mm wedi building board flush up to the plasterboard using a spirit level. Fix the aligned building boards using wedi Washers and no.8 gauge countersunk screws - at a fixing ratio of 8/m<sup>2</sup> for natural stone/large format tiles and min 5/m² for ceramic tiles.
- Whilst fixing the board to the surface, apply a bead of wedi 610 Adhesive Sealant to the joints prior to the next board being installed and penetrations must also be sealed. 24 hours curing time applies.
- Apply wedi self-adhesive Joint Reinforcement Tape to all 3 building board joints then tiling or plastering can com-









#### LEVELLING TO EXISTING TILES

- After cleaning the wall, simply line up and install the 6mm wedi building board fully embedded in flexible cement based tile adhesive.
- In wet areas, whilst bonding the board to the surface, apply a bead of wedi 610 Adhesive Sealant to the joints prior to the next board being installed. 24 hours curing time applies.
- Apply wedi self-adhesive Joint Reinforcement Tape to all building board joints then once the adhesive bed hardened, tiling or plastering can commence.



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PRODUCT NAME	DESCRIPTION	ORDER NUMBER
wedi building board	1250 x 600 x 4mm	01-00-00/004
wedi building board	2500 x 600 x 4mm	01-02-50/004
wedi building board	1250 x 600 x 6mm	01-00-00/006
wedi building board	2500 x 600 x 6mm	01-02-50/006
wedi building board	2500 x 600 x 10mm	01-00-00/010
wedi building board	2500 x 625 x 12.5mm	01-00-00/012
wedi building board	2500 x 900 x 12.5mm	01-00-00/912
wedi building board	2600 x 1200 x 12.5mm	01-00-01/612
wedi building board	2500 x 600 x 20mm	01-00-00/020
wedi building board	2500 x 900 x 20mm	01-00-00/920
wedi building board	2500 x 1200 x 20mm	01-00-01/220
Other formats i.e. 30mm,	40mm, 50mm, 60mm, 80mm,100n	nm are also available.
wedi Washers, galvanised, 35mm	bag of 10pcs	09-48-62/106
wedi Washers, galvanised, 35mm	box of 100pcs	09-48-60/106
wedi Metal Dowels, galvanised, 80mm	bag of 10pcs	09-49-23/108
wedi Metal Dowels, galvanised, 80mm	box of 100pcs	09-49-20/108
wedi Metal Dowels, galvanised, 110mm	bag of 10pcs	09-49-22/111
wedi Metal Dowels, galvanised, 110mm	box of 100pcs	09-49-20/111
wedi self-adhesive Joint Reinforcement Tape	25m x 125mm roll	09-52-25/053
wedi self-adhesive Joint Reinforcement Matting	50m x 600mm roll	09-52-15/052
wedi Joint Reinforce- ment Matting	50m x 600mm roll	09-52-10/052
wedi 320 Tile Adhesive	25kg bag	11-00-25/320
wedi 610 Adhesive Sealant	310ml tube	07-69-02/002
Fundo Sealing Set	1 bucket - wedi 520, Sealing tape 10m, 2 sealing corners	07-37-38/172
wedi 520 Waterproof Membrane	20kg bag + 10l drum	11-00-00/520 + 11-00-01/520
wedi Sealing Tape	50m x 120mm roll	09-51-10/352
Sealing corner, external	fleece laminated	09-51-35/001
Sealing corner, internal	fleece laminated	09-51-30/001
Sealing gaiter, 1/2" - 3/4" feed-throughs	120 x 120mm	09-51-20/050
Sealing gaiter, DN40- DN75	150 x 150mm	09-51-10/361
Sealing gaiter, DN90- DN 125	250 x 250mm, Ø 135	09-51-10/362



## FLOOR APPLICATIONS

#### **SOLID SURFACES**

- The substructure must be completely flat and true, clean of any mortar residue/dirt and primed with a suitable primer before laying the wedi building boards. Any unevenness must be eliminated using levelling filler. Newly created substructures must be adequately dried to ensure that the shrinkage process is completed before the wedi building board is fitted.
- Bond 4mm wedi building board to the surface using a thin bed flexible cement-based tile adhesive at a minimum thickness of 4-6mm, applied with a notched trowel over the entire surface. Boards must be laid in a staggered formation.
- In wet areas, whilst bonding the board to the surface, apply a bead of wedi 610 Adhesive Sealant to the joints prior to the next board being installed. 24 hours curing time applies.
- 4. Apply wedi self-adhesive Joint Reinforcement Tape to all building board joints then once the adhesive bed hardened tiling or plastering can commence.



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#### **WOODEN STRUCTURES**

- Ensure that the substructure is rigid (not vibrating or sprung), dry, free of dirt and damaging infestation, able to withstand the load and primed with a suitable primer. Any unevenness must be eliminated using levelling filler.
- Bond 4mm wedi building board to the surface using a thin bed flexible cement-based tile adhesive at a minimum thickness of 4-6mm, applied with a notched trowel over the entire surface. Boards must be laid in a staggered formation.
- In wet areas, whilst bonding the board to the surface, apply a bead of wedi 610 Adhesive Sealant to the joints prior to the next board being installed. 24 hours curing time applies.
- Once the adhesives hardened, secure the building boards with wedi Washers and no.8 gauge countersunk screws at a minimum fixing ratio of 5/m² for ceramic and 8/m² for large format tiles and stone.
- 5. In wet areas, penetrations must also be sealed with wedi 610 Adhesive Sealant. 24 hours curing time applies.
- 6. Apply wedi self-adhesive Joint Reinforcement Tape to all building board joints then once the adhesive bed hardened tiling or plastering can commence.

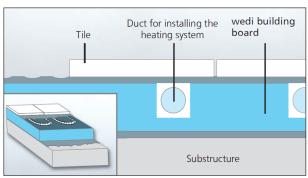


### UNDERFLOOR HEATING

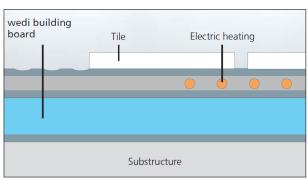
Thanks to their excellent insulating properties, wedi building boards reduce heat loss in bathrooms and improve the underfloor heating systems response time by at least 70% making the entire install cost effective for years to come!

Thermal Properties W/m2K				
0.19	0.17	0.12	0.036	
Cement board	Plasterboard	Ply	wedi®	

The lower the U-value of an element of a building's fabric, the more slowly heat is able to transmit through it - resulting in better insulation performance.



For hot-water systems ducts can be cut into the wedi boards quickly and easily. A minimum building board thickness of 10mm is recommended (leaving at least 3mm of the core material under the grooves) to optimise insulation values and keep its waterproof integrity.



Electrical underfloor heating systems are easy to mount on the building board and downward heat loss is prevented, making the heating system noticeably more efficient.



For areas over 20m<sup>2</sup> and when wedi boards are used beneath underfloor heating systems the whole surface must be reinforced.

#### THE WEDI® PRINCIPLE OF CUSTOMISED DESIGN

wedi tile backer boards are named 'building boards' for their versatility in being commonly used for the construction of tailor-made solutions – whether a washstand, partition wall, storage, shelving or a complete bathroom, almost any idea can be realised with the standard or flexible structural panels from wedi.

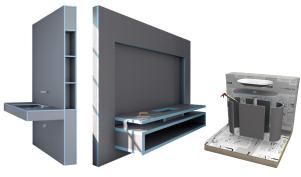
#### FITS LIKE A GLOVE

Prefabricated wedi cladding elements are robust, load-bearing, straightforward and easily adapted to any requirement.



#### **BUILD WITH CONFIDENCE**

Wide range of design opportunities will give the bathroom a personal touch.



wedi building boards 30mm, 40mm, 50mm Versatile and load bearing - the only limit is the imagination

wedi Construct board Flexible - sets in any desired radii



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