# **Product data sheet**

#### **Product**

# Robust<sup>™</sup> Fugemasse 2-15mm (QM FFU)

# **Description**

Robust™ Fugemasse flexible tile grout is suitable for grouting ceramic floors and wall coverings for indoor and outdoor areas, for a jointing width of approx. 2-15 mm. It is preferred for grouting surfaces exposed to water and heat such as, e.g., in showers and baths, on balconies and patios. Moreover, for ceramic tiles on underfloor heating systems, dry screed, gypsum plasterboard and gypsum fibreboard, and pre-cast concrete elements. Cementbound hydraulically hardening grouting slurry mortar. Flexible tile grout is characterised by a high elasticity, water impermeability and a rapid strength development. The colour pigments available in the coloured flexible tile grout are weather resistant, lightfast and stable in cement. The completely hardened joint is resistant against frost and the weather. Mineral and rapid hardening. Quality controlled. CG2WA in acc. with EN 13888 stands for improved grout containing cement with high wear resistance and reduced water absorption. Low-chromate.

- Flexible grout 2-15mm.
- · Hydraulically hardening.
- Walls and floors.
- For indoor and outdoor use.
- Frost, weather resistant, light fast and stable in cement.
- · Rapid hardening.
- Grout class: CG2WA.
- High wear resistance.
- Reduced water absorption.
- Mineral.
- Low-chromate.
- Many colours.

#### **Preparation**

o prevent discolouration, the subsurface must be thoroughly dried out before grouting. The joints to be grouted must be free of any bedding mortar and adhesives. Irregular joint depths and tiles with different absorbing properties could lead to the grout drying out unevenly and discolouration of the joints. Robust™ Fugemasse flexible tile grout should only be used on closed-pore tiles, such as, e.g., tiles, fine stoneware, mosaic tiles, natural stone (rough surface) that is susceptible to discolouration, etc.

#### Mixing

Sprinkle the Robust™ Fugemasse flexible tile grout in clean water. 5kg bag with approx. 1,3-1,5 litres. 15kg bag with approx. 3,9-4,5 litres and mix to a smooth consistency using an appropriate mixer/agitator. Let the mixture rest and mature for approx. 3

minutes and then mix it again quickly before applying within approx. 30 minutes. Absorbent subsurfaces must always be wetted before grouting. Keep the mixing ratio equal otherwise colour variations may occur. Use a material of the same batch for an area to be grouted. Materials mixed unequally, residual moisture in the substrate or substrates absorbing variably as well as tile edges may cause changes in colour.

## **Application**

Spread the grout flush to the surface of the tiles, spreading diagonally to the joints using a suitable rubber trowel, hard rubber sponge board or rubber grout float. After the grout has set (finger test), i.e. when the grouting material can no longer be rubbed out or washed out of the joints, wash over the top of the tiles using a hard and damp sponge. In doing so, make sure that the joints are not washed out. Wet the surface again (e.g., using a spray bottle or sponge, etc.) in order to achieve a tight and fixed joint as well as complete hardening or setting. Protect the freshly grouted joints from drying out too quickly particularly in event of high temperatures and similar risks. The surface grouted with Robust™ Fugemasse flexible tile grout can be walked on after approx. 3 hours, and loaded after 24 hours. The colour pigments of polished fine stoneware may settle in micropores that may be present in the surface of the panels. This is why we advise against strong colour contrasts between the tiles. In case of doubt, sample grouting should be carried out or a sample area should be laid. Depending on the concentration, acidic substances may attack and destroy the cemented grout. For this reason, when using acidic cleaners, closely observe the application guidelines of the cleaning agent manufacturer. Before using acidic cleaners, wet the area to be cleaned with water beforehand and rinse off immediately after cleaning with sufficient water.

# Consumption

Tile size	Joint width	Consumption
10x10x0,5 cm	3mm	approx. 0,5 kg/m <sup>2</sup>
15x15x0,5 cm	3mm	approx. 0,4 kg/m <sup>2</sup>
30x30x0,8 cm	5mm	approx. 0,5 kg/m <sup>2</sup>
30x60x1 cm	5mm	approx. 0,5 kg/m <sup>2</sup>
60x60x1 cm	5mm	approx. 0,3 kg/m <sup>2</sup>

The consumption depends on the tile format, joint width and joint depth.

#### **Finishing**

Protect the freshly grouted joints from drying out too quickly and from unfavourable weather conditions (such as strong sunlight, frost, or rain, etc.), if necessary, cover it temporarily with plastic sheeting. Application may not be carried out work at air, material and surface temperatures below +5°C or above +25°C.

### **Storage**

Up to 12 months in unopened original packaging. Must be stored dry.

Technical data	Cement-bound, hydraulically hardening grout. Cement in accordance with EN 197. Quality controlled. Low-chromate. CG WA in acc. with EN 13888.		
	Joint width: 2-15mm.		
	Water required: approx. 1,3-1,5 liters per 5 kg bag. Approx. 3,9-4,5 liters per 15 kg bag.		
	Mixing time: 2-3 min.		
	Resting time: approx. 3 min.		
	Processing time: approx. 30 min.		
	Walked on after: approx. 3 hours. Fully loaded: 24 hours.		
	Under floor heating: Yes		
	<b>Processing temperature:</b> +5°C to +30°C and 50% RF. (air, material and subsurface temperature).		
	<b>Colours:</b> Grey, white, silver grey, cement grey, basalt, manhatta anthracite.		
Safety	This product contains cement and produces an alkaline reaction when it comes into contact with moisture/water. Therefore ensur that skin and eyes are protected. If it should come into contact we the skin or eyes, rinse them thoroughly with water. See a doctor immediately if it comes into contact with the eyes. See also the information printed on the bag.		
Packaging	5 and 15 kg bag.		
GTIN	Robust™ Fugemasse - Hvit 5kg: 7090040902641 Robust™ Fugemasse - Hvit 15kg: 7090040902665 Robust™ Fugemasse - Lysgrå 5kg: 7090040902689 Robust™ Fugemasse - Lysgrå 15kg: 7090040902702 Robust™ Fugemasse - Grå 5kg: 7090040902726 Robust™ Fugemasse - Grå 15kg: 7090040902740 Robust™ Fugemasse - Sementgrå. 5kg: 7090040902887 Robust™ Fugemasse - Sementgrå. 15kg: 7090040902900 Robust™ Fugemasse - Basalt 5kg: 7090040902924 Robust™ Fugemasse - Basalt 15kg: 7090040902948 Robust™ Fugemasse - Manhatten 5kg: 7090040902962 Robust™ Fugemasse - Manhatten 15kg: 7090040902986 Robust™ Fugemasse - Antrasit 5kg: 7090040902764		
	Robust™ Fugemasse - Antrasit 15kg: 7090040903006		
Item no	Robust™ Fugemasse - Hvit 5kg: 264 Robust™ Fugemasse - Hvit 15kg: 266 Robust™ Fugemasse - Lysgrå 5kg: 268 Robust™ Fugemasse - Lysgrå 15kg: 270		

	Robust™ Fugemasse - Grå 5kg: 272
	Robust™ Fugemasse - Grå 15kg: 274
	Robust™ Fugemasse - Sementgrå. 5kg: 288
	Robust™ Fugemasse - Sementgrå. 15kg: 290
	Robust™ Fugemasse - Basalt 5kg: 292
	Robust™ Fugemasse - Basalt 15kg: 294
	Robust™ Fugemasse - Manhatten 5kg: 296
	Robust™ Fugemasse - Manhatten 15kg: 298
	Robust™ Fugemasse - Antrasit 5kg: 276
	Robust™ Fugemasse - Antrasit 15kg: 300
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Warning	Recommendations and technical details in this data sheet is based on the best of our knowledge and experience. However, we cannot guarantee that all information in the datasheet is complete and correct. Anyone who plan to use the product must ensure beforehand that the product is suitable for the intended use. The user alone is responsible for any consequences from using the product. Always download the most recent documentation available online on www.robustnorge.no.
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