

# Gypsol Rapide

Gypsol Rapide is a unique fast drying screed, providing a drying time of just 14 days.

## About Gypsol Rapide

Gypsol Binder is an integral component of Gypsol Rapide, a unique fast drying screed system which is ready to receive floor coverings in as little as 14 days. Gypsol Rapide can be used as a fast drying alternative to all other Gypsol screed formats.

## Physical data

Appearance	Off white fluid mortar
Density (kg/m <sup>3</sup> )	Wet – 2200 Dry – 2000
Required strength	C35-F6 Minimum binder content 900kg/m <sup>3</sup>
Required flow (EN 13454-2)	230-250mm
Reaction to fire	Class A1 <sub>fl</sub> Non-Combustible

## Performance data

Working time	Place and finish within 2.5 hours of batching <sup>[2]</sup>
Foot traffic	24-48 hours
Loading	7 days
Drying (20°C and 60% RH 50mm)	14 days <sup>[3]</sup>
Force drying	Can be force dried after 7 days

<sup>[2]</sup> Ensure account is taken of travel time from plant to site.

<sup>[3]</sup> Independently tested and verified. Drying times vary depending on screed depth, ambient conditions and the suitability of the building envelope

## Minimum depth requirements

Bonded	15mm <sup>[4]</sup>
Unbonded	15mm
Floating	35mm domestic 40mm commercial
Cover to conduits	20mm

<sup>[4]</sup> Prepare the substrate in accordance with BS8204:7:2003 using a gritted two coat epoxy resin DPM or similar.

## Bay sizes and joint requirements

### Heated

Maximum length	20m
Maximum aspect ratio	6:1
Maximum bay size	300m <sup>2</sup>

*Movement joints should be placed at door thresholds, between independently controlled heating zones and where heated and unheated screeds meet.*

### Unheated

Maximum length	40m
Maximum aspect ratio	8:1
Maximum bay size	1000m <sup>2</sup>

## Environmental data

Typical embodied CO <sub>2</sub>	7-8.5kg/m <sup>2</sup>
Thermal conductivity	Up to 2.5w/mK

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