

# SL C740 FIBER MAXI

FIBRE-REINFORCED HEAVY-DUTY SELF-LEVELLING COMPOUND FOR USE ON INTERNAL & EXTERNAL FLOORS

# KEY BENEFITS

- Heavy-duty thickness
- Suitable for use on external covered floors
- Very high mechanical resistance with no shrinkage
- Reinforced with special fiber-blend
- Up to 40 mm in one application

# APPLICATIONS

# DESCRIPTION

SL C740 MAXI FIBER is a fiber-reinforced, self-levelling, P4 compound.

# DESTINATION

- Suitable for use in both new-build and renovation projects
- Classified P3 from 3 mm thickness on supports in renovation
- Classified P4/4S from 3 mm thickness and up to 40 mm on bonded hydraulic systems
- Specially adapted to the renovation of old parquets and to all types of renovation work

# Areas of applications :

# New :

- Surfaced concrete with a neat face
- Concrete with embedded screed
- Built-up screed
- Calcium sulfate screed
- Heated floors
- Asphalt screed

Renovation :

- Old tiles
- Old traces of glue
- Old semi-flexible tiles
- Old floor paints
- Dry screeds
- wood based panels CTBX, CTBH, OSB3, etc.

# Associated floor coverings :

- PVC
- Carpet
- Linoleum
- Parquet, tiles
- Floor paints in all premises of class UPEC P3 at the most, in interior on new or bare cement support





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# **PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS**

Colour	Grey	
Composition	Fiber reinforced cement based	
Mixing ratio	5-5,5 liters of water per 25kg bag	
Storage / Shelf life*	9 months	
Application temperature	5 to 25°C	
Application thickness	1-40 mm	
Coverage	1.5 kg/mm/m²	
Working time**	20 min	
Walk on time**	3h	
Curing time / Floor installation**	Tiling : 24h PVC, Rubber : 48h Parquet: 72h	
Compressive strength	C30	
Flexural strength	F6	

\*from date of manufacture in original, unopened packaging, clear of the ground, in cool, dry conditions within the temperature range +5°C to +25°C and out of direct sunlight. Protect from frost, damp, condensation and dew. \*these times are determined at + 23°C and 50 % relative humidity on normally absorbent substrates and 3 mm thickness

# PREPARATION

#### Subfloor :

Ensure the subfloor is in accordance with building standards. Subfloors must be clean, sound, dry (<75%RH), and free from contaminants that may impair adhesion e.g. dust, grease, paint, plaster, polish, water softenable adhesive etc.

Check any remaining adhesive residues to ensure they don't re-emulsify in water, are hard, sound, and have sufficient cohesive strength to receive a levelling compound.

Mechanically remove any hard adhesive residue to a minimum. Remove any weak or water softenable adhesives.

Tiles must firmly adhere to the base, re-fix them if necessary. If the floor tiles are easily removable, remove them completely.

The temperature of the floor must be maintained between +5°C to +25°C throughout the application and drying of the smoothing compound.

Cracks smaller than 0.8 mm as well as joints should be treated with **RENO E742 STRUCTURE**, which should be sanded with S409 sand.

If the supports do not have the required humidity level, implement our anti rising damp proof membrane **HYTEC E336** or **HYTEC E736 TURBO** or any approved HYTEC solution.

# **Underfloor heating systems :**

Underfloor heating systems must be switched off for 48 hours before installation. Wait 7 days after installation before gradually turning up underfloor heating. Refer to your local norm and regulations in case of any technical questions.

Here are some recommendations:

	SURFACE	SPECIFIC PREPARATIONS AND VERIFICATIONS	
	Concrete slab	Elimination of the cure product	
NEW	Fluid cement screed		
-	Calcium sulfate screed	Measurement of residual moisture	
	Heated and/or cooled floors	Check that the heating has been carried out	
	Tiles	Cleaning with water and hydroxide solution, followed by rinsing with clea water	
	Semi-flexible slab without asbestos		
	Traces of acrylic glue	Remove as much as possible by scraping	
TION	Traces of asbestos-free bituminous glue	Remove excess thicknesses >0.5mm or total removal	
RENOVATION	Floor paint	Sanding to restore roughness then cleaning same as tiles	
	Floor resin	Sanding then same as floor paint	
	Parquet on joists	Elimination of waxes and varnishes followed by dusting by aspiration	
	Wood-based panels	Check that there is no arrow	
	Asphalt screed	No cracks	

TYPES OF SUPPORT		Primers	Consumption
Concrete cement screed	Porous	GRIP A310 PROJECT GRIP A700 UNIVERSAL	100-120 g/m²/layer
	Normally absorbent	GRIP A700 UNIVERSAL GRIP A500 MULTI GRIP A310 PROJECT	100-120 g/m <sup>2</sup>
	Closed	GRIP A700 UNIVERSAL GRIP A500 MUTLI	80-100 g/m²
Calcium sulfate screed		GRIP A 310 PROJECT GRIP A700 UNIVERSAL	100-120 g/m <sup>2</sup> /layer
Tile			100-120 g/m²
Traces of gluing		GRIP A700 UNIVERSAL GRIP A500 MULTI	
Residue from patching			00 100 r/m <sup>2</sup>
Paint / Resin floors		GRIP A936 XPRESS	80-100 g/m <sup>2</sup> 0,6-1.0 kg/m <sup>2</sup>
OSB / Wooden Floors Asphalt screed		GRIP A936 XPRESS	100-120 g/m <sup>2</sup>
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### Application thicknesses over different substrates:

- New cement support : 1 to 40mm
- Calcium sulphate screed : <u>1 to 20mm</u>
- Wood planks, tiles, traces of acrylic residue: <u>3 to</u> <u>30mm</u>
- Semi-flexible slab : <u>3 to 10 mm</u>

# MIXING

Measure 5-5,5 liters of clean, cold water into a clean mixing bucket. Gradually add the bag of **BOSTIK SL C740 MAXI FIBER** to the water, whilst continually mixing with an electric drill and mixing paddle (Recommended mixing paddle= COLLOMIX DLX <u>Turbine</u>) until a smooth lump-free mixture is obtained. This will normally be achieved after 1.5-2 minutes.

Do not under mix.

After mixing, a maturing time of at least 1 minute is recommended to optimize the flow. Remix for 30 seconds.

The mixture will retain its self-smoothing capability for approximately 20 minutes under normal conditions.

Note: the addition of too much water may result in separation of the compound.

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Adhesive solutions by **ARKEMA** 

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# **Trowel application :**

Pour the mixed material onto the prepared substrate using a smooth edge stainless steel trowel. Smooth and adjust evenly to the desired thickness. A single pass is required for applications between 1 and 10 mm.

# For thicknesses greater than 10 mm, use a pump mixer and place a 5 mm thickness peripheral foam strip around the entire perimeter.

A pin level may also be used to assist in gaining the required depth. Use a spiked roller to remove any trapped air and flow lines, to give a uniform surface appearance.

### **Pump application :**

Where large floor areas require levelling, it is beneficial to apply by mortar screw pump. Application rates in excess of 200m<sup>2</sup> per hour at 5mm or 300m<sup>2</sup> per hour at 3mm are achievable by pump application. Make sure to perform periodic flow tests of the compound, from the end of the hose. Flow test results should be 140-150mm when using an EN 12706 flow tube.

Depending on the power of the pump (number of bags/hour), it will be necessary to stop pouring according to the total surface and thicknesses. For example: stop pouring every 50 m<sup>2</sup> for 20mm using a 96-bag/hour pump, or every 20 m<sup>2</sup> for 20mm thickness using a 40-bag/hour pump.

Allows thickness adjustment up to 40 mm in a single pass.

# **DRYING TIME**

Protect from strong sunlight and through draughts as this can dehydrate the product resulting in incorrect curing.

# Foot Traffic :

The compound will accept foot traffic after 3 hours at +25 $^{\circ}$  C (approx.) at 3mm. In lower temperatures, curing times will be extended.

# Floor installation :

The curing times can vary based on the subfloor, ambient and floor temperature and humidity.

# **IMPORTANT NOTES**

- <u>Never add additional water to the SLC</u> after mixing or once applied.
- <u>Follow the mixing instructions</u> and recommended mixing paddle (DLX from Collomix)
- <u>Avoid sources of heat or change in temperatures</u> for the first few hours after application.
- <u>For application thicknesses greater than 10 mm,</u> <u>always use a 5 mm thickness foam strips</u> around the entire perimeter.
- <u>Review the maximum allowed thickness</u> based on the type of substrate.

#### CLEANING

Clean tools and equipment with warm soapy water immediately after use.

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# SAFETY DATA SHEET

# For more details, consult the safety data sheet on

https://bostiksds.thewercs.com/default.aspx

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