# Nanodefense<sup>®</sup> Eco

Certified, eco-friendly, organic, water-based, mineral waterproofing product for absorbent substrates in damp environments, ideal for use in GreenBuilding. Single-component with very low volatile organic compound emissions. Safeguards the health of both operators and the environment.

Nanodefense® Eco develops total water-resistance under positive thrust guaranteeing the protection of absorbent substrates or those subject to damp, or in constantly humid environments.





## **GREENBUILDING RATING®**

#### Nanodefense® Eco

- Category: Organic Mineral Products
- Class: Nanotech waterproofing products for substrates
- Rating: Eco 5



## **ECO NOTES**

- Formulated with locally-sourced minerals meaning lower greenhouse gas emission during transportation
- Water-based, limits the risk of loads that could be harmful and dan-
- gerous to the environment during storage and transportation
- Improved on-site safety guaranteed

## **PRODUCT STRENGTHS**

- Suitable for subsequent laying of ceramic tiles, porcelain tiles and natural stone using mineral adhesives
- High elasticity and chemical stability
- It can be easily applied with a spreader or roller to any substrate



# **AREAS OF USE**

#### Use

Waterproofing of smooth, compact and absorbent substrates before laying ceramic coverings with adhesives. Compatible adhesives:

- mineral adhesives and mineral adhesives with SAS technology
- single-component and two-component organic mineral adhesives
- cement-based, water-dispersed, reactive-epoxy and polyurethane two-component adhesives

For internal use. Concrete flooring, compact and smooth cement-based screeds, prefabricated or fresh concrete castings, gypsum, plasterboard and gypsum brick walls, cement-based plasters and finishing products and cement-lime mortar.

#### Do not use

Do not use in external applications, on wet surfaces or substrates subject to moisture rising; in environments where water is always present, baths, swimming pools and tanks.

## **INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE**

## Preparation of substrates

Substrates must be compact, smooth and absorbent, free from dust, oil and grease, free from moisture rising, with no loose and inconsistent debris. Varnishes and paints must be removed completely. The substrate must be stable, non-deformable and with no cracks. Plasters with a gypsum base must present a residual humidity  $\leq$  1% and screeds with an anhydrite base  $\leq$  0.5%, both of which should be measured with a carbide hygrometer. Check for traces of thin finishing, that would interfere with the subsequent laying of heavy surface coverings such as ceramic tiles.

\* ÉMISSION DANS L'AIR INTÉRIEUR Information sur le niveau d'émission de substances volatiles dans l'air intérieur, présentant un risque de toxicité par inhalation, sur une échelle de classe allant de A+ (très faibles émissions) à C (fortes émissions).



# **INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE**

#### Preparation

Nanodefense<sup>®</sup> Eco is ready-to-use and does not need any preparation. In any case, before use it is advisable to remix the product inside the pack to ensure the mixture is of an even consistency. Any excess waterproofing product can be kept for later use by putting the lid back on the packaging.

## Application

Apply a fine, uniform film, preferably using a short bristle, synthetic fibre roller, a steel spreader or brush. When applied with a roller or brush, wait until the first coat has hardened before proceeding with the second one ( $\approx$  1 hr depending on the absorbency level of the substrate and temperature) in order to ensure waterproofing. Nanodefense<sup>®</sup> Eco is ready-to-use and does not need any preparation. Angles and hydraulic couplings must be joined respectively using a non-woven polypropylene tape with Aquastop 70 waterproof treatment and relative accessories applied directly with Nanodefense<sup>®</sup> Eco.

#### Cleaning

Nanodefense® Eco can be removed from tools and other surfaces by washing them using water before the product hardens or with solvents once hardened.

# **SPECIAL NOTES**

On highly absorbent substrates, apply a base coat by diluting Nanodefense<sup>®</sup> Eco with water depending on substrate absorption (max 5%). After this, apply the second undiluted coat using a steel spreader or roller to ensure the watertightness of the surface. If necessary, Aquastop AR1 special reinforcing mesh made of alkali-resistant glass fibre can be inserted, followed by a further coat of Nanodefense<sup>®</sup> Eco.

## ABSTRACT

The certified waterproofing of damp environments, kitchens, bathrooms, shower cabinets and saunas before laying ceramic and porcelain tiles, marble or natural stone will be done using a single-component, ready-to-use, eco-friendly, organic, mineral, solvent-free waterproofing product, GreenBuilding Rating<sup>®</sup> Eco 5, such as Nanodefense<sup>®</sup> Eco by Kerakoll Spa, to be applied with a roller or steel spreader with coverage of 1.5 kg/m<sup>2</sup>.

Appearance	Light blue paste	
Specific weight	≈ 1,44 kg/dm³	
Chemical nature	co-polymers dispersed in water	
Shelf life	≈ 12 months in the original packaging	
Warning	Protect from frost, avoid direct exposure to sunlight and sources of heat	
Pack	20 / 15 / 5 kg buckets	
Viscosity	≈ 1100000 mPa · s, rotore 93 RPM 0,5	Brookfield method
Temperature range for application	from +5 °C to +35 °C	
Dilution for base coat	≈ 5%	
Minimum thickness per coat	≈ 1 mm	
Minimum dry thickness per coat	≈ 500 µm	
Waiting time between 1st and 2nd coat	≈ 1 hr	
Waiting time before laying:		
- min.	≥ 2 hrs	
- max	≤ 48 hrs	
Coverage	≈ 1,5 kg/m²	



# PERFORMANCE

Conformity	EC 1 plus GEV-Emicode	GEV certified 2134/11.01.02
HIGH-TECH		
Water-resistance	≥3 bar	DIN 1048
Permeability to water vapour µ after 28 days	≥ 20000	Cert.173379 Inst. Giordano
Water absorption after 28 days	≤ <b>5%</b>	UNI 8202/22
Adhesion to concrete after 28 days	≥ 1 N/mm²	EN 1542
Tensile strength after 28 days:		
- adhesives Class C1	≥ 0,5 N/mm²	EN 1348
- adhesives Class C2	≥ 1 N/mm²	EN 1348
Ultimate elongation after 7 days	≥ 90%	DIN 53 504
Crack bridging	≥ 1,5 mm	ASTM C 1305
Working temperature	from -40 °C to +90 °C	
Conformity	CSTB	13/12-1142

## WARNING

## - Product for professional use

- abide by any standards and national regulations
- do not apply Nanodefense® Eco as an external waterproofing covering
- use at temperatures between +5 °C and +35 °C
- Nanodefense® Eco is a product dispersed in water solution: hence, it should be stored and transported at temperatures of more than +5 °C
- apply the subsequent coat only when the previous one is perfectly dry
- if necessary, ask for the safety data sheet
- for any other issues, contact the Kerakoll Worldwide Global Service +39 0536 811 516 globalservice@kerakoll.com

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