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EXECTUTIVE SUMMARY

Department of Civil Engineering, Faculty of Engineering, Srinakharinwirot University (SWU) was engaged by Ferro Construction Products Co., Ltd. To conduct the perfomance test of cementitious tile adhesive. The sample in the trademark of "Ferrocem 523" was submitted by the Ferro Construction Products Co., Ltd. The series of test were detailed in according with ISO 13007/European Norms (EN 12004:2001) test methods as follows:

Specification of cementitious adhesives (C)

Fundamental Characteristics

Narmal setting adhesives						
Characteristic	Requirement	Test Method	Results			
Tensile adhesion strength	≥ o.5 N/mm ²	ISO 13007 part 2 or EN 1348	PASS			
Tensile adhesion strength after water immersion	≥ o.5 N/mm ²	ISO 13007 part 2 or EN 1348	PASS			

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CIVIL ENGINEERING LABORATORY

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TYPE OF TEST: INITIAL ADHESION STRENGTH (EN 1348:1999)

TEST SPECIMEN Ten (10) specimens of 'Ferrocem 523' were prepared in the civil laboratoly.

The mix proportion of water to 'Ferrocem 523' ratio was 23% by weight of product.

CLIENT: FERRO CONSTRUCTION PRODUCTS CO., LTD.

DATE OF TEST: January 19, 2013

TEST METHOD: After finish preparation, the test units were placed in standard conditions for 27 days.

Bond the pull head plate to the tile with the high strength epoxy and keep the test units for a further 24 hour in standard condition. Determine the tensile adhesive strength.

TEST RESULTS:

Specimen	No.	Width of Specimen (mm)	Length of Specimen (mm)	Area (mm²)	Maximum Load (KN)	Tensile Adhesion Strength (N/mm²)	Remark
1		50	50	2,500	2.5	1.00	-
2		50	50	2,500	2.4	0.96	
3		50	50	2,500	2.3	0.92	
4		50	50	2,500	2.2	0.88	
5		50	50	2,500	2.3	0.92	
6		50	50	2,500	2.4	0.96	
7		50	50	2,500	2.4	0.96	
8		50	50	2,500	2.5	1.00	
9		50	50	2,500	2.3	0.92	
10		50	50	2,500	2.2	0.88	
					Average	0.94	

Note: This results certify the adequacy and representative character of the test samples only.

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TYPE OF TEST:

ADHESION STRENGTH AFTER WATER IMMERSION (EN 1348:1999)

TEST SPECIMEN

Ten (10) specimens of 'Ferrocem 523' were prepared in the civil laboratoly.

The mix proportion of water to 'Ferrocem 523' ratio was 23% by weight of product.

CLIENT:

FERRO CONSTRUCTION PRODUCTS CO., LTD.

DATE OF TEST:

January 19, 2013

TEST METHOD:

After finish the preparation, the test units were placed in standard conditions for 7 days

and stored in water for 20 days. Bond the pull head plate to the tile with the high strength epoxy and keep the test units for a further 24 hour in water at the standrad temperature. Determine

the tensile adhesive strength.

TEST RESULTS:

Specimen	No.	Width of Specimen (mm)	Length of Specimen (mm)	Area (mm²)	Maximum Load (KN)	Tensile Adhesion Strength (N/mm²)	Remark
1		50	50	2,500	3.2	1.28	-
2		50	50	2,500	2.8	1.12	
3		50	50	2,500	3.0	1.20	
4		50	50	2,500	3.3	1.32	
5		50	50	2,500	2.8	1.12	
6		50	50	2,500	2.8	1.12	
7		50	50	2,500	3.2	1.28	
8		50	50	2,500	3.2	1.28	
9		50	50	2,500	2.7	1.08	
10		50	50	2,500	2.8	1.12	
					Average	1.19	

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