



# COOLAG.

TILE BACKER CEMENT BOARD



## WATER RESISTANT

Will not deteriorate when subjected to water or moisture



## MOULD RESISTANT

Is resilient to mould growth



## SOUND ABSORPTION

Excellent sound dampening



## LIGHTWEIGHT AND EASY TO USE

Cement particle board makes handling easy



## SCORE & SNAP CUTTING METHOD

No special tools required



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CEMENT BOARD IS THE  
BEST POSSIBLE SURFACE  
TO TILE ONTO, PERFECT  
FOR BATHROOMS AND  
WET ROOMS.**

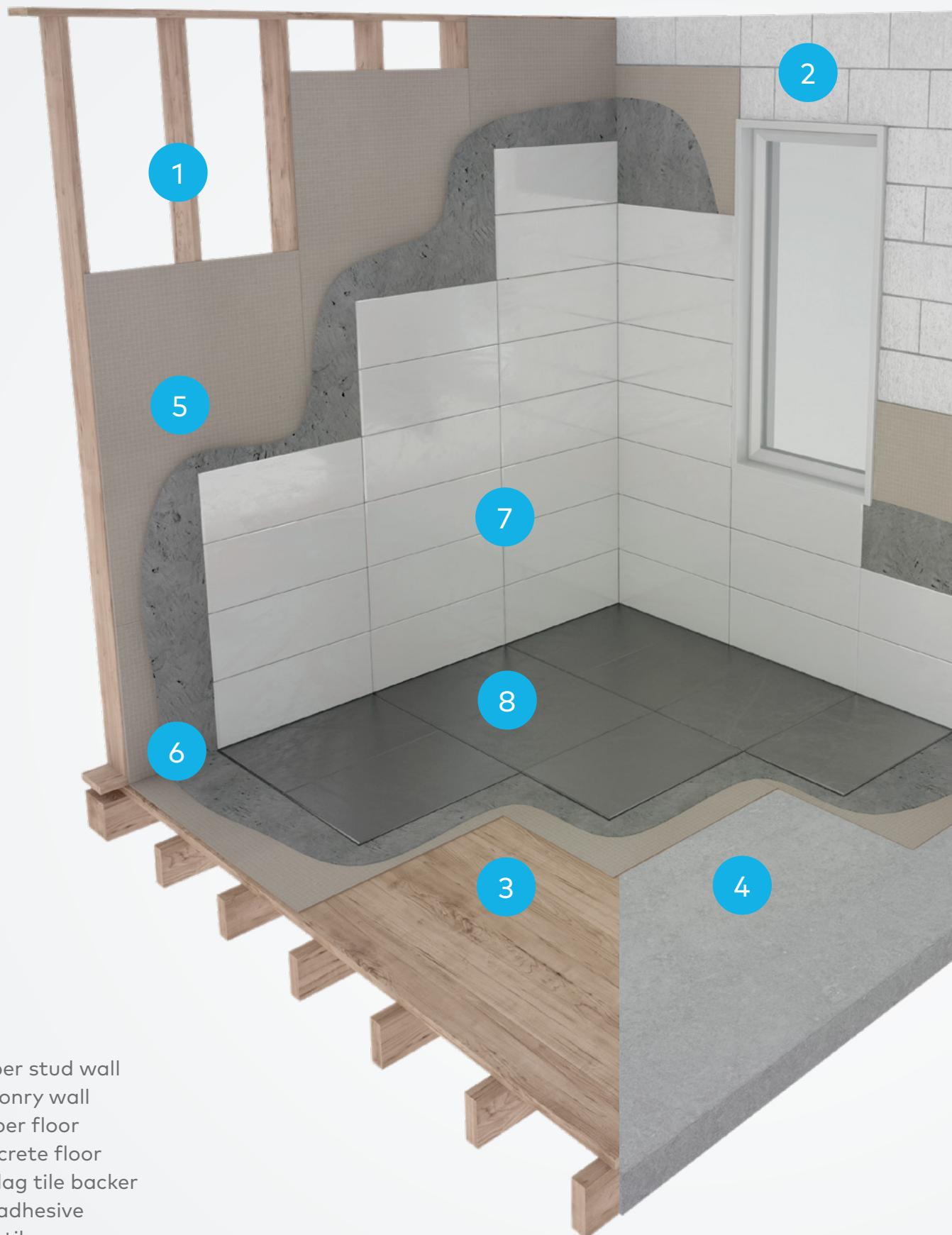
- Mould & rot  
resistant
- Heat resistant
- Easy to cut  
& install

- Water  
resistant
- Lightweight
- Stable layer  
for tiling



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## Instructions for use



### Key

1. Timber stud wall
2. Masonry wall
3. Timber floor
4. Concrete floor
5. Coolag tile backer
6. Tile adhesive
7. Wall tiles
8. Floor tiles



## Floors

6mm should be used over structually sound existing timber floors and should be screwed at 250mm centres (more if there is movement in the substrate).

Tile backer should be fixed with the rough face upwards. A good quality tile adhesive should be applied by notched trowel. The thicker the tile the deeper the notch is required, follow adhesive manufacturers instructions.

Tiles should be placed whilst the adhesive is still wet so don't overspread as placing tiles late can cause failures.

## Walls

Wall tiling should always be carried out on 12mm on wall situations as often there is considerable weight.

The 12mm tile backer should be fitted rough side toward you.

The board should be fixed directly to the studs at 400mm centres with minimum 45mm screws at 150mm centres.

## Tile backer handling

Tile backer is easy to work with and can be scored and snapped for ease of use. Tile backer can also be cut by saw and standard dust mask precautions should be taken.

## Frequently asked questions

**Can I fix through Coolag tile backer?**

Yes, all fixings should be made directly into studs or noggins fixed firmly between the studs.

**Which side should be tiled on?**

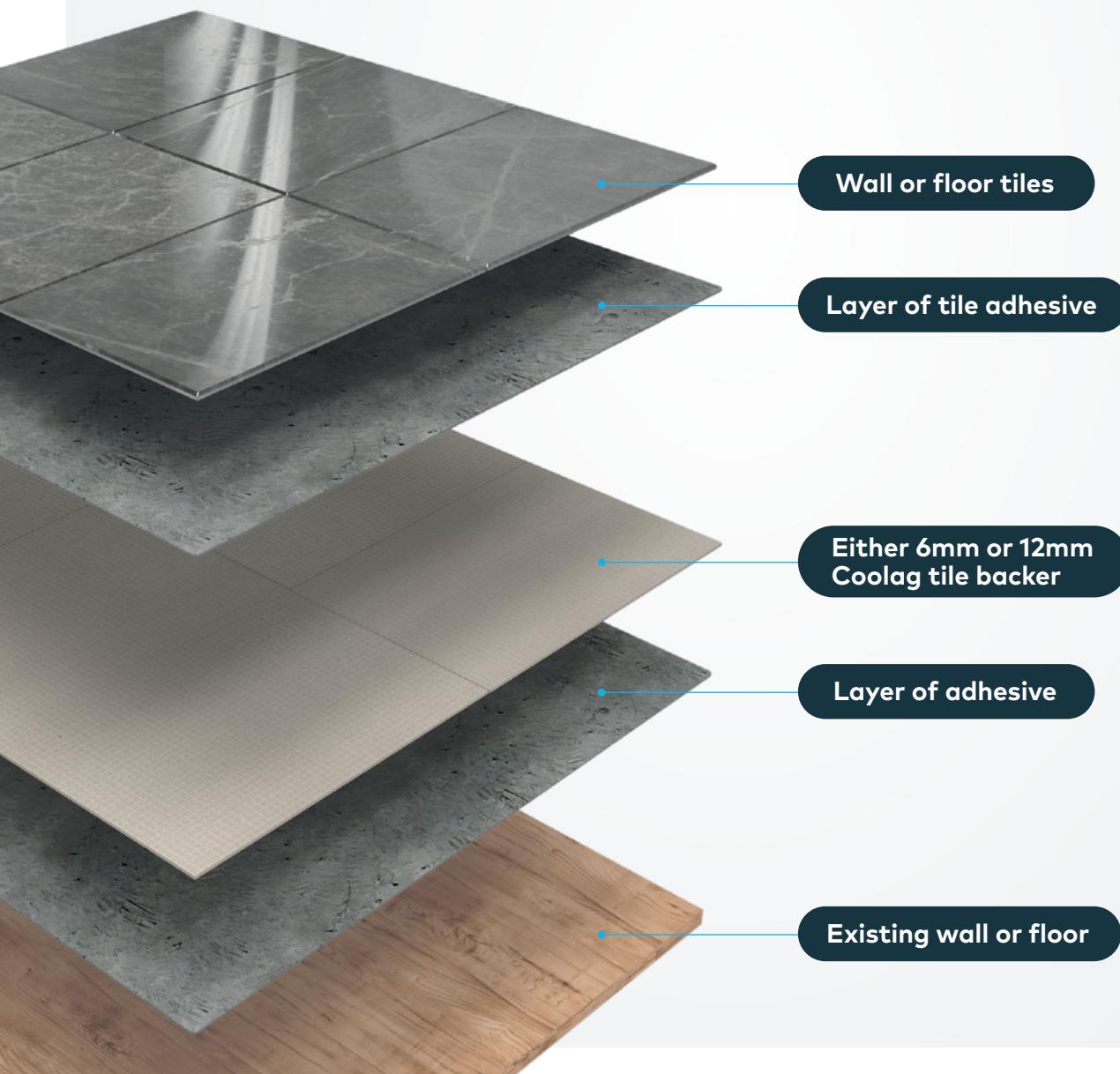
Coolag tile backer should be fixed with the rough side facing the inside of the room.

**Can I use Coolag tile backer in conjunction with underfloor heating?**

Yes, it is suitable for under floor heating. Boards should always be placed below the heating element.

**Can I fix through Coolag tile backer?**

Use galvanised, self drilling, self counter-sinking screws. For 6mm use 25mm screws, and 45mm screws on 12mm Coolag tile backer.





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## Industry websites

**Tile Association** [www.tiles.org.uk](http://www.tiles.org.uk)

**Ceramic Tiling** [www.cta-tiling.co.uk](http://www.cta-tiling.co.uk)

**Ardex adhesives** [www.ardex.co.uk](http://www.ardex.co.uk)

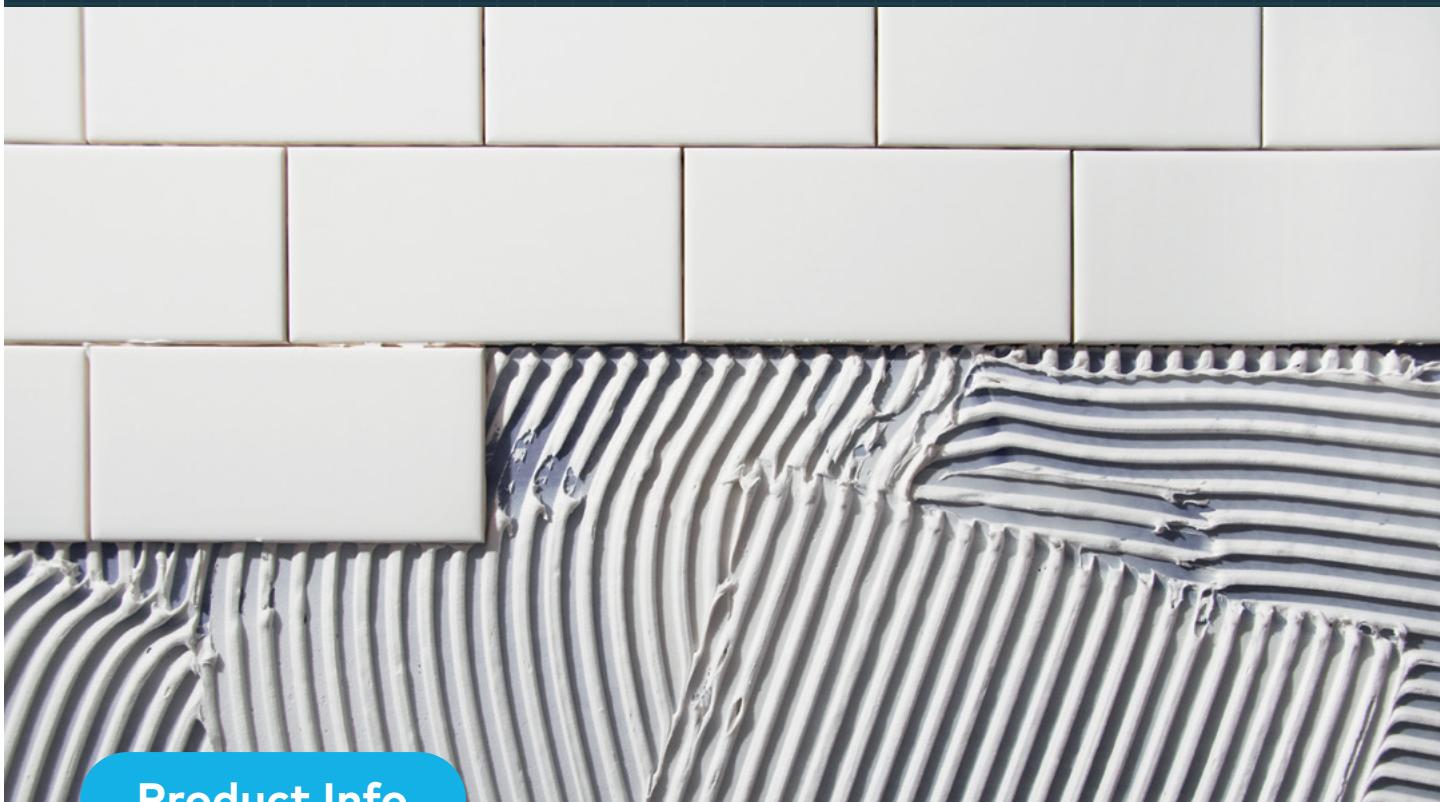
**Bal Adhesives** [www.bal-adhesives.com](http://www.bal-adhesives.com)

**Homelux Trims** [www.homelux.co.uk](http://www.homelux.co.uk)

**Mapei** [www.mapei.com](http://www.mapei.com)

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## Product Info

Thickness	Size (mm)	Pallet sizes	Weight (kg)
6mm	1200 x 800	200	4.5kg
12mm	1200 x 800	100	9kg

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