

MoistureCheck 12.5/15mm

Technical Datasheet: June 2025

Siniat MoistureCheck

Siniat MoistureCheck consists of an aerated gypsum core with silicone and other additives encased in, and firmly bonded to, strong paper liners. **Siniat MoistureCheck** is a plasterboard that is suitable for wet areas up to humidity of 70% where ceramic walling tiling is required.

Siniat MoistureCheck Plasterboards carry a SABS Mark of Approval under specification SANS 266: "South African National Standard: Plasterboards"

Siniat MoistureCheck is not suitable for protection against continuous dampness or as a base for cementitious rendering.

Intended use

Construction of walls and linings in wet areas i.e., bathrooms and kitchens

Board colour

- Faced/decorative side with green coloured paper
- Reverse faced with brown coloured paper

Features

| Type of gypsum plasterboard | Moisture Resistant |
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| Nominal thickness | 12.5mm and 15.00mm |
| Nominal width | 1200mm |
| Nominal length | 3600mm 3000mm 2700mm |
| Thickness tolerance | <u>+</u> 0.5mm |
| Width tolerance | 0/-4mm |
| Length tolerance | 0/-5mm |
| Edge Type | Taper |
| Squareness tolerance | <u><</u> 2.5mm/m |
| Weight 12.5mm | 9.6kg/m ² |
| 15.0mm | 13.8kg/m ² |









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Board printing

Edge – Siniat, product name, board thickness x width x length, edge type Reverse – standard and certification manufacturing date and time

Performance

| Total Water Absorption | 5% |
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| Surface Water Absorption | 160g/m ² |
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| Thermal conductivity 12.5mm | R 0.056m ² K/W |
| | K 0.21 W/m0K |
| Thermal conductivity 15mm | R 0.059m ² K/W |
| | K 0.25 W/m0K |
| Breaking load 12.5mm | |
| Longitudinal direction | >500N |
| Transverse direction | >180N |
| Breaking load 15mm | |
| Longitudinal direction | >650N |
| Transverse direction | >220N |
| Nail pull out strength daN | 30-60 |
| Fire and Sound | Siniat MoistureCheck will give similar performance to a standard board when tested for fire rating and sound insulation |

General storage, handling and installation instructions

| Storage: | store in dry, flat conditions. Ensure safe stacking up to maximum 4 packs (or 3 |
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| | metres). Use suitable handling equipment to avoid damage when lifting. |
| Handling: | boards shall always be handled from the stack by two persons and then be |
| | transported vertically. |
| Cutting: | boards can be cut with knife (score and snap) or with electrical saw for |
| _ | plasterboards. |
| Repair: | Minor damage: sand the surface lightly to remove any burrs and fill with two |
| | applications of Siniat Jointing Compound |
| Screwing | use plasterboard screws adapted to the metal frame thickness. |







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Jointing: No jointing compound required as surface needs to be prepared for tiling

Sealing: A water sealant must be applied to the cut edges, top and bottom

Entire surface to be painted with water sealant before tiling

Tiling: Full tiling specification available on request

Limitations of use:

Siniat MoistureCheck is not suitable for use in temperatures above 49° C and is also not suitable for any areas with continuous direct exposure to water.

Health & Safety

Please read the Plasterboard Health and Safety Datasheet available on our website. www.siniat.co.za





