

# K 112



## Special Conductive Adhesive

For conductive PVC and rubber flooring

### CHARACTERISTICS

- ▶ Light color and conductive
- ▶ Particularly high bonding strength
- ▶ Ready for use

### SCOPE OF USE

Very low-emission, special conductive dispersion adhesive for – conductive PVC sheet and tile flooring – conductive rubber sheet (up to 3.5 mm thickness) and tiles (up to 2.5 mm thickness)

Recommended e.g. for operation theaters and computer rooms, laboratories in potentially explosive production and storage areas. Ceresit K 112 meets the highest requirements for indoor air quality and environmental compatibility.

### SUBSTRATE PREPARATION

Substrates must comply with the requirements of comparable national standards. In particular, they must be clean, free from structural defects, firm, dry and free of substances which may impair adhesion. To level off any substrate unevenness, first treat with the appropriate Ceresit primer and then apply the recommended Ceresit levelling compound.

Every 30 m<sup>2</sup> fix a copper strip of approx. 1 m length. Use a conductive adhesive and always leave a protruding end (tail). In the case of rubber flooring, fix a copper strip lengthwise under each row of rubber tiles or strips, over the full length. Connect the copper strips transversely at the end of each row. Allow the copper strips to protrude every 30 m<sup>2</sup>. Only in cases that a copper strip grid is needed, apply this before.

### APPLICATION

Apply the adhesive evenly to the substrate with a S1 notched trowel.

#### Wet bonding:

After a short open time of approx. 10 – 20 minutes, place the covering material into the still wet adhesive bed, taking care to avoid air pockets, and carefully rub it down to ensure good wetting of the back. The covering material must be free of tension and lie flat on the substrate, otherwise weight it down. Avoid rucking at the joints.



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#### Pressure-sensitive bonding (only for PVC coverings):

On impervious substrates, allow the adhesive to air-dry until it has taken on a uniformly yellowish to transparent colour (approx. 30 – 60 minutes). Then test with a finger to make sure it is touch-dry.

#### Contact bonding (e.g. for rubber floor coverings on non-absorbent substrates):

Rubber flooring can be fixed on non-absorbent substrates only by contact bonding. Apply the adhesive on back of the floor covering with a smoothing trowel. In addition, apply adhesive on the substrate with a notched trowel (size S1). Allow both adhesive surfaces to dry to the touch (check by finger test as described under pressure-sensitive bonding). Then place the floor covering, but avoid entrapping air.

Always press the ready laid floor covering in place by vigorously rubbing or rolling it down again. Wait at least another 24 hours before welding the joints.

### PLEASE NOTE

- Best possible indoor air quality after floor installation work requires conformity to the standard working conditions as well as completely dry substrates, primers and levelling compounds.

- Only carry out floor installation work if the floor temperature is above 15 °C, air temperature above 18 °C and relative humidity below 75 %.
- Remove any skin of dried-up adhesive which may have formed (e.g. due to improper storage). Do not stir in.
- Remove fresh spots of adhesive with a moist cloth.
- Clean tools with water and soap immediately after use.
- Tightly close opened buckets and use them up quickly.
- Open and working time may vary depending on temperature, relative humidity and absorbency of the substrate. They will be shorter at higher temperatures and lower humidity, but longer at lower temperatures, higher humidity and with non-absorbent substrates.
- Grounding of the flooring system must in any case be done by a qualified electrician.

## PRODUCT SAFETY

Ceresit K 112 is solvent-free and a suitable alternative to solvent-containing products. No special safety procedures or measures are necessary for its use. The risk of medium or long-term release of appreciable concentrations of volatile organic chemicals (VOC) into the ambient air is negligible. Nevertheless ensure good ventilation during and after application and drying. Avoid eating, drinking or smoking while processing this product. In case of contact with eyes or skin rinse immediately with plenty of water. Product contains: Benzisothiazolinone.

Information for allergy sufferers on: +49 (0)211 7970. Keep out of reach of children.

For professional users.

Apart from the information given here it is also important to observe the relevant guidelines and regulations of various organisations and trade associations as well as the respective standards of the German Standards Institute (DIN). The aforementioned characteristics are based on practical experience and applied testing. Warranted properties and possible uses which go beyond those warranted in this information sheet require our written confirmation. All data given was obtained at an ambient and material temperature of +23 °C and 50 % relative air humidity unless specified otherwise. Please note that under other climatic conditions hardening can be accelerated or delayed.

The information contained herein, particularly recommendations for the handling and use of our products, is based on our professional experience. As materials and conditions may vary with each intended application, and thus are beyond our sphere of influence, we strongly recommend that in each case sufficient tests are conducted to check the suitability of our products for their intended use. Legal liability cannot be accepted on the basis of the contents of this data sheet or any verbal advice given, unless there is a case of wilful misconduct or gross negligence on our part. This technical data sheet supersedes all previous editions relevant to this product.

Safety data sheet available on [www.ceresit.com](http://www.ceresit.com) Ingredients: acrylate copolymer dispersion, modified natural resin, inorganic fillers, poly(1,2-propandiol), wetting agent, thickener, carbon fibers, anti-foaming agent, preservative (benzisothiazolinone)

GISCODE D 1 solvent free, according TRGS 610  
EMICODE EC 1 very low-emission according to GEV

## DISPOSAL

Do not allow product to reach sewage system or any water course. Do not allow to penetrate the ground/ soil. Only recycle totally empty packages. Dispose of hardened product residues as industrial waste similar to household waste or in the container for commercial/ construction site waste. Dispose of unhardened product residues as hazardous waste.

European waste code number (EWC): 08 04 09.

## STORAGE

12 months, cool and dry.

## PACKAGING

Plastic bucket 12 kg.

## TECHNICAL DATA

Supplied as	light grey, paste
Open time	
wet bonding	approx. 15 minutes
pressure-sensitive/ contact bonding	approx. 45 minutes
Working time	
wet bonding	approx. 40 minutes for PVC
pressure-sensitive/ contact bonding	approx. 120 minutes for PVC
Load bearing	after approx. 24 hours
Suitability for castor chairs	acc. to DIN EN 12529
Grounding resistance	< 3 x 10 <sup>5</sup> Ohm according to DIN EN 13415
Temperature resistance:	
after curing	up to max. 50 °C, can be used on underfloor heating constructions
for transport	+5 °C to +50 °C, protect against frost
for storage	+10 °C to +30 °C
Consumption:	coverage/bucket: 37 m <sup>2</sup>
notch size S 1	approx. 330 g/m <sup>2</sup>

The above times were measured under standard climatic conditions (23 °C/50 % rel. air humidity). Please note that under other climatic conditions curing resp. hardening may be accelerated or delayed.



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