



BAL Rapid-Mat

Protection for problematic floors for any tile type, domestic or commercial.

Award-winning, lightweight uncoupling solution that requires over 20% less adhesive to install.

Guaranteed Performance

BAL Rapid-Mat is covered by our 25-Year Written Guarantee – this means you can trust our products to be free from manufacturing defects and to be fit for use when used correctly as per our instructions and technical data and good working practice.

With our 25-Year Written Guarantee there is no confusion – it's one guarantee for all our internal-use products – whether used for domestic or commercial purposes!

With BAL Rapid-Mat you're not just tiling, you're installing protection!



You're installing value

BAL provides multiple award-winning products, industry-firsts and trademarked technologies. This means BAL products provide better, long-lasting results for clients – with easier, more efficient and faster installations for you.

More than that – when you install BAL, you are also installing as part of our team. Call for leading technical guidance, project support and the latest industry standards. Get nationwide technical support in-the-field with free training, site-tests and immediate problem-solving and advice.

Then, relax. Your work is guaranteed with a 25-year BAL warranty – now just cash-in through GivBax Rewards.

You're not just installing the BAL product in the bag or bucket – but everything else that BAL provides too.

Full System Solution

Whatever the project, BAL can provide a full system for tiling including:

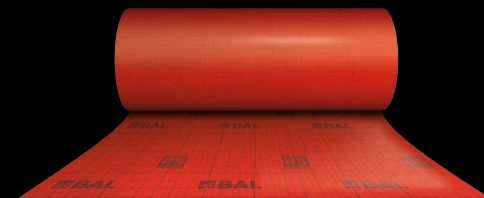
- Waterproofing
- Levelling
- Preparation – including uncoupling
- Adhesives
- Grouts
- Sealants
- External Tiling Systems



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You're installing protection.



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Award-winning uncoupling mat saving time and money, you're installing protection.

With **BAL Rapid-Mat**, you're installing an award-winning and proven technology to stop failures on problematic floors.

When you need to protect floors from lateral movement, you want an uncoupling system that is easy and fast to install and that can be tiled instantly, with any type of tile. With the additional benefit of reducing the amount of adhesive needed by 20% versus cavity mat systems and being an easier and faster install, **BAL Rapid-Mat** protects with no problems.

BAL Rapid-Mat is an ultra-thin and lightweight uncoupling mat with numerous benefits:

- ✓ Uses over 20% less adhesive than cavity mat systems – that's a massive 45kg+ less adhesive needed per roll. Money saved directly with less bags needed, as well as less adhesive to mix and trowel out.
- ✓ Less than 1mm thick for minimal height build-up – perfect for refurb
- ✓ Lightweight at only 8.5kg per 30m roll making moving it around site easy
- ✓ Accommodates lateral movement for tile installations on floors with limited movement protecting tiling on problematic substrates to ensure no failures
- ✓ Use for domestic and commercial, can be used in heavy duty applications
- ✓ Recommended for heated and timber floors
- ✓ Can be used with ANY tile type or size – even mosaics!
- ✓ Easy to roll-out, measure and cut, with no roll-back and no specialist tools, or additional tapes needed!

No problems!

BAL Rapid-Mat uncoupling mat provides fast-track protection when tiling onto problematic floors.

Providing a technically superior separating layer between substrates and floor coverings – **BAL Rapid-Mat** allows any substrate movement to be independent to the tile. Any movement in the subfloor due to expansion and contraction through environmental factors (humidity, shrinkage etc) or by the nature of different substrate types is not transferred to the tiling above.

Easy to roll out and measure with handy grid lines, it can be easily cut with scissors or stanley knife.

Once installed onto a bed of adhesive trowelled out with a 4mm notched trowel, tiling can begin instantly – unlike other systems which require the mat to dry before tiling can begin.

Fast-track tiling guaranteed!



Find out more

Let's get to it.

Less adhesive, less work, less time!

With **BAL Rapid-Mat**, you're installing an award-winning uncoupling system that uses approximately 20% less adhesive consumption than traditional cavity mat systems.

In fact when we tested the consumption of **BAL Rapid-Mat** versus cavity mat systems using BAL XL Floor One 20kg with a 20mm notched trowel, we found that a 30m roll of **BAL Rapid-Mat** used approximately 8 bags of adhesive. This is compared with a typical 30m cavity mat system which used approximately 11 bags of adhesive!

With no cavities to fill, you save money directly with less bags of adhesive per job, as well as less effort and time from mixing and applying less adhesive – and the ability to tile instantly.

Reduced height build-up and more space in your van!

BAL Rapid-Mat is a lightweight and thin mat, only 0.8mm thick – perfect for when minimal height build-up is required. This compares with traditional cavity mats which are typically 4mm thick, with a layer of fleece bonded by mesh to an upper layer.

Being only 0.8mm thick also means that **BAL Rapid-Mat** 30m rolls are smaller and lighter than traditional cavity mat system. At only 8.5kg per roll, compared to 16-18kg per roll respectively, this means they are not only easier to carry but they take up less space in your van. This means less trips from your stockist, and more space for your adhesive and tools!

Versatility for any tile type; domestic or commercial

Unlike traditional cavity mat systems which have restrictions on tile type and size, **BAL Rapid-Mat** can be used for any tile type, tile thickness and tile size.

Whether you are fixing large format floor tiles, Victorian-style geometrics, or mosaics; thin porcelain panels or even thick natural stone, **BAL Rapid-Mat** is your uncoupling mat of choice.

With minimal mat compression, there is no danger of large tiles damaging the integrity of the mat, and with no cavities, mosaics can be easily installed.

In-fact **BAL Rapid-Mat** is manufactured with handy printed grid-lines to help you when setting out. If you don't require these grid-lines, you can even install the mat upside down on its plain side, so you can set-out how you prefer!

A versatile mat for any tile type – **BAL Rapid-Mat** is your must have uncoupling system for floor tiling – protecting your tiles from lateral movement in the subbase in both domestic and commercial installations.