

IBS PRIMAAqua

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PRIMAAqua is a wet room lining panel, manufactured from cellulose fibre cement.

Each panel is sealed to resist moisture and has a smooth sanded face, ready for tiling.

The panels are manufactured in a high-pressure chamber (called an autoclave) from high-grade cellulose pulp fibre, finely ground sand Portland cement and water.

This process makes PRIMAAqua strong, durable and non-combustible. It's also moisture resistant and can help with sound proofing. The rebated edges on its length allow for a neat flush join once filled.

We recommend using PRIMAAqua as:

- An internal dry wall
- A floor or wall substrate (over an existing structural floor) lining for wet areas
- A flat, even surface that can be covered with ceramic tiles or paint. You can use a water-based, acrylic or epoxy paint system, after the panels have been properly filled. In wet areas, PRIMAAqua can also be used with an approved waterproof membrane.



Maintaining PRIMAAqua

Under normal conditions, PRIMAAqua will need no maintenance. However, maintaining the protective finished layer will ensure that the wall or floor retains the desired look and feel.

If water damage occurs to an area where PRIMAAqua has been used, first remove the finishing layer then make sure the area is allowed to dry thoroughly before you replace any finish. The moisture content is to be approximately between 12% and 14% before resealing.

Maintaining the protective layer will depend on the specific requirements of the finish manufacturer.

Typically it will include:

- Regularly washing and/or wiping clean protective surfaces to remove mould, scale and/or soap deposits
- Checking the sealant joints around fixtures
- Checking the grout joints between ceramic tiles
- Removing any loose or defective grout and replace in part or all (as required)
- Checking that the paint system is maintained
- Removing the loose paint, then sanding the surface back and applying a primer and finishing coats in accordance with the manufacturer's specification.

Scan the QR code to view all IBS PRIMAAqua documents.



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PRIMAAqua Cement Panel Product Details

L x W x Thickness (mm)	Weight (kg)	IBS Product Code	GTIN
2400 x 1200 x 9	36	PRIMAA092412	09421028760447
2700 x 1200 x 9	40.5	PRIMAA092712	09421028760454