

Glass Tile Testing

Sampling Requirements and Typical Turnaround

| TEST METHOD | SAMPLING REQUIREMENTS | TYPICAL TURNAROUND |
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| ANSI A137.2 - 7.6 Mounting | · | |
| Allowable Deviation from | | |
| Nominal Joint Size | Pricing based on testing 2-8 sheets | 3 weeks |
| | 8 specimens, 4" x 4" or an array of specimens, 4" x 4" | |
| ANSI A137.2 - 7.7 Bond | The client must provide the thin-set, specify cure time | |
| Strength | needed and provide installation instructions for the set-up. | 6 weeks |
| ANSI A137.2 - 7.8 | | |
| Compressive Strength | 10 whole specimens | 3 weeks |
| ANSI A137.2 - 7.9 Thermal | | |
| Shock Resistance | 5 whole specimens | 3 weeks |
| ASTM C372 Linear Thermal | | |
| Expansion (Air) | 1 whole specimen (Any size) | 3 weeks |
| ASTM C372 Linear Thermal | | |
| Expansion (Cryogenic) | 1 whole specimen (Any size) | 3 weeks |
| ASTM C373 Water | | |
| Absorption | 5 whole specimens | 3 weeks |
| ASTM C424 Crazing | | |
| Resistance | 10 whole specimens | 3 weeks |
| ASTM C485, C499, C502 | | |
| Warpage, Dimensions & | | |
| Wedging | 10 whole specimens | 3 weeks |
| ASTM C609 Light | | |
| Reflectance and Color | | |
| Difference | 5 specimens, 4" x 4" | 3 weeks |
| | 16 sq. ft. of material The client must provide all materials, | |
| ASTM C627 Robinson Floor | except substrate. Please contact the lab for the additional | |
| Test | form required for this test. | 6 weeks |
| ASTM C648 Breaking | | |
| Strength | 10 whole specimens | 3 weeks |
| ASTM C650 Chemical | | |
| Resistance | 15 specimens, 2" x 2" | 3 weeks |
| ASTM C895 Lead & | | |
| Cadmium Extraction | 6 specimens, 6" x 6" or larger | 3 weeks |
| | 5 specimens, 3" x 3" Specimens to be cut from the center | |
| ASTM C1026 Freeze/Thaw | of 5 separate pieces. | 4 months |
| ASTM C1027 Surface | | |
| Abrasion | 16 specimens, 4" x 4" | 3 weeks |
| ASTM C1028 Static | | |
| Coefficient of Friction | 3 specimens, 6" x 6" or larger | 3 weeks |
| ASTM C1378 Stain | | |
| Resistance | 6 specimens, 4" x 4" | 3 weeks |

| ANSI A326.3 Dynamic | | |
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| Coefficient of Friction (Wet | | |
| Only) | 3 specimens, 8" x 8" or larger | 3 weeks |
| ANSI A326.3 Dynamic | | |
| Coefficient of Friction (Dry | | |
| Only) | 3 specimens, 8" x 8" or larger | 3 weeks |
| ANSI A326.3 Dynamic | | |
| Coefficient of Friction (Wet + | | |
| Dry) | 3 specimens, 8" x 8" or larger | 3 weeks |
| ASTM C1505 Modulus of | | |
| Rupture | 10 whole specimens | 3 weeks |
| ASTM C1895 Scratch | | |
| Hardness | 3 specimens, 3" x 12" | 3 weeks |
| | 6 sq. ft. of material If applicable, the client must provide | |
| | the provide installation instructions for the set-up and the | |
| DIN 16165 German Ramp | grout needed, along with the trowel size. | 3 weeks |