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Ceramic tiles Grouts and adhesives Part 3: Terms, definitions and specifications for grouts

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Terminologies and conventions

Wherever the words “International Standard” appear, referring to this Tanzania standard, they should interpret as “Tanzania Standard”.

Scope

This document defines terms concerning the products, working methods and application properties for

ceramic tile grouts. It specifies values of performance requirements for all ceramic tile grouts [cementitious

(CG) and reaction resin (RG) grouts].

This document is applicable to ceramic tile grouts for internal and external tile installations on walls

and floors.

It is not applicable to criteria or recommendations for the design and installation of ceramic tiles.

NOTE Ceramic tile grouts can also be used for other types of tiles (natural and agglomerated stones, etc.), where these do not adversely affect the materials.

