Product Description
Hacker Reinforcement is used with Firm-Fill® SCM Sound Control Mats and Firm-Fill® Gypsum Concrete Underlayments (GCU) for added crack suppression and to reduce the gypsum underlayment pour depth. The industry standard for reinforcement in gypsum concrete was galvanized metal lath, which is costly and difficult to install. Hacker Reinforcement is a time saving and cost-effective option to metal lath.

Features
• Light and easy to handle, easy to cut with scissors or utility knife
• Lower cost per square foot than metal lath
• No memory, unlike metal lath
• Excellent durability
• Dimensionally stable in hot weather; not brittle in cold
• Can be used over wood, concrete, precast plank, and Firm-Fill® SCM

Surface Prep
• All subfloors must be structurally sound, solid, free of dirt, mud and dust.
• Over oil, grease and other surface contaminates, Hacker Reinforcement must be mechanically attached.
• All subfloors must be dry and a minimum of 50°F (10°C).

Installation
• Loose lay Hacker Reinforcement wall-to-wall, overlapping one to two inches.
• Hacker Reinforcement may be mechanically fasted to a wood subfloor with staples approximately two to four feet on center.
• Top with a minimum of ¾” (19mm) approved Firm-Fill® GCU.

Over Concrete
• Hacker Reinforcement may be spot glued to the concrete subfloor with contact glue.
• Top with a minimum ½” (13mm) approved Firm-Fill® GCU.

Over Firm-Fill® SCM
• Loose lay Hacker Reinforcement perpendicular to the direction of the Firm-Fill® SCM wall-to-wall, overlapping one to two inches.
• Contact adhesive can be used where necessary to spot glue the Hacker Reinforcement to the SCM. Never use mechanical attachment to sound mat.

Technical Data
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Glass Construction (visual/inch)
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Values listed above are nominal and are only to be used as guidelines.

Code Listings:
- ESR-2540
- ESR-1153
- ESR-1141
- ESR-1774
- HUD 1255f
- City of Los Angeles

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