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### **TEST REQUESTED BY:**

Cepac Tile

# TEST METHOD: Mohs' Scratch Hardness

This test method is used to determine the scratch hardness of a tile surface using the Mohs' hardness scale. A scratch test is performed at each level of hardness to determine the hardness of the surface relative to the Mohs' scale.

TEST SUBJECT MATERIAL:

Identified by client as: "Classic Rounds 3/4" Penny Rounds CR-13" Approximate Size as Received: 3/4" 10/27/2015

## **TEST DATE:**

## **TEST PROCEDURE NOTES:**

- Sample prep: None
- Three whole tiles were tested.
- The tiles were tested using a Deluxe Hardness Pick Set from Mineralab, LLC. The following minerals are used as standard:
  - l Talc 6 Feldspar
  - 2 Gypsum 7 Quartz
  - 3 Calcite 8 Topaz
  - 4 Fluorite 9 Corundum
  - 5 Apatite 10 Diamond

### **TEST RESULTS:**

The Mohs Scratch Hardness was determined to be as follows:

Tile Sample #	Mohs Scratch Hardness
1	7
2	7
3	7

### **COMMENTS:** None

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