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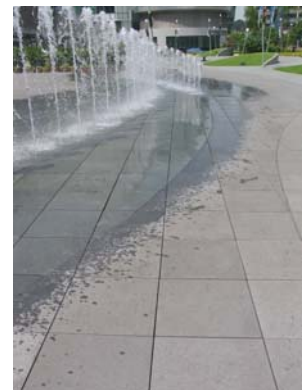
LATICRETE for the VivoCity mall in Singapore



December 15, 2008: LATICRETE, a global leader in the manufacturing of innovative systems for the installation of tile and stone, supplied all of the setting materials for the tile and natural granite installed at VivoCity at the HarbourFront Precinct in Singapore City. Designed by internationally acclaimed architect Toyo Ito, VivoCity is Singapore's largest multi-dimensional retail and lifestyle destination with over 1 million square feet of

floor space, 300 diverse retailers, an outdoor amphitheatre, a 20,000 square foot open plaza, and a beautiful harbor front promenade. LATICRETE® System materials were used to install the compressed marble and ceramic tiles inside VivoCity, as well as for the natural granite on each exterior plaza.

For the natural granite, LATICRETE® 4237 Admix was mixed with LATICRETE 211 Powder for a high-strength adhesive that is thermal and shock proof for the exterior application. For the compressed marble tiles, LATICRETE 101 Rapid Latex Admix was mixed with LATICRETE 272 Mortar for a rapid setting adhesive that allowed for grouting in the same day. For the ceramic tiles inside VivoCity, LATICRETE 317, a bagged cementitious powder, was mixed with water for a thin-set method installation. The grout of choice was primarily LATICRETE 1600 Unsanded Grout (85 percent), with the remaining grout joints fixed with LATICRETE 1500 Sanded Grout.



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