

August 04, 2025

**Re: CSS-CMT replacement mortar for Simpson Strong-Tie CSS FRCM System**

To Whom It May Concern:

The Simpson Strong-Tie<sup>(R)</sup> CSS-CMT, Cementitious Matrix – Sprayable and Trowelable, replaces Simpson Strong-Tie CSS-CM repair mortar. CSS-CMT is an improved version of CSS-CM, specifically designed to allow spray and trowel application.

CSS-CMT may be used with the Simpson Strong-Tie CSS FRCM system, including the [CSS-BCG](#), [CSS-HBCG](#), and [CSS-UCG](#) carbon grids. When CSS-CMT is used with these grids, the system material properties listed on the respective grid Technical Data Sheets (TDSs) will be greater than or equal to the system material properties as compared to CSS-CM properties when used with the aforementioned grids.

The information in this letter is valid until **07/02/2026** when it will be re-evaluated by Simpson Strong-Tie. Please visit [strongtie.com](http://strongtie.com) for additional pertinent information. If you have questions or need further assistance regarding this matter, please contact the Simpson Strong-Tie engineering department at 800.999.5099.

Sincerely,

**SIMPSON STRONG-TIE COMPANY INC.**