

Confil Bedding Mortar

Polyester Bedding Mortar

Description

An extremely versatile two pack polyester bedding mortar which exhibits a very fast set and rapid strength gain surpassing the average strength of concrete within 1 hour. Ideal for the bedding of manhole frames, bollards and other street furniture, where the rapid set allows the minimum of disruption. In addition Confil Bedding Mortar has been designed to comply with all strength requirements of Highway Works Specification HA104, as well as complying with the requirements of EN 1504 Part 3 Class R3.

Advantages


- Quick curing, high early compressive, flexural and tensile strength
- Economic-quantities mixed as needed, therefore very little wastage
- Supplied in polythene buckets, which act as mixing vessels
- Excellent chemical and water resistance
- Simple to use-no critical mixing ratios
- Will cure down to 0°C
- No primer required
- Summer grade version available for longer working life
- Meets all strength requirements of Highway Works Specification HA104

Applications

- Fixing or bedding of copings and kerbs, etc
- Bedding and raising of manhole frames
- Bedding street furniture
- Bedding of airport runway lights and cable ducts

Technical information

Yield	11.2 litres per 25 kg pack
Typical density	2240 kg/m ³
Working time	30 minutes @ 7°C 10 minutes @ 23°C

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EN 1504-3 Concrete repair product for structural repair PC Mortar (Polymer mortar)	
Compressive strength	Class R3 (>25 MPa)
Chloride ion content	<0.05%
Adhesive bond strength	>1.5 MPa
Adhesion after freeze/thaw	>1.5 MPa
Elastic modulus	>15 GPa
Dangerous substances	Complies with 5.4

Time	Strength gain at 7°C	Strength gain at 20°C
1 hour	15 MPa	45 MPa
2 hours	50 MPa	60 MPa
4 hours	60 MPa	70 MPa
24 hours	70 MPa	80 MPa
3 days	75 MPa	90 MPa
7 days	80 MPa	95 MPa



Technical Datasheet

Technical properties of Confil Bedding Mortar



Properties	Standard	Performance Requirement	Declared Value
Appearance			Resinous Mortar
Chloride-ion content	EN 1015-17	≤0.05 %	<0.05 %
Aggregate size			Max. 2 mm
Layer thickness - minimum maximum			5 mm 50 mm
Working time (@ 23°C)			10 minutes
Hardening time (@ 23°C)			20 minutes
Temperature for application			0°C to 35°C
Compressive strength @ 23°C	EN 12190	≥30 MPa	45 MPa @ 1 hour 60 MPa @ 2 hours 65 MPa @ 3 hours 70 MPa @ 4 hours 80 MPa @ 24 hours 90 MPa @ 3 days 95 MPa @ 7 days
Compressive strength @ 7°C	EN 12190		15 MPa @ 1 hour 50 MPa @ 2 hours 60 MPa @ 4 hours 70 MPa @ 24 hours 75 MPa @ 3 days 80 MPa @ 7 days
Tensile strength	BS 6319-7	≥5.0 MPa @ 3 hour	9.0 MPa @ 3 hours 12.0 MPa @ 7 days
Flexural strength	BS 6319-3		23 MPa
Flexural elastic modulus	BS 6319-3		>15 GPa
Elastic modulus	EN 13412	≥15 GPa	>15 GPa
Adhesion - concrete	EN 1542	≥1.5 MPa	>2.0 MPa
Adhesion after freeze/thaw	EN 13687-1	≥1.5 MPa	>2.0 MPa
Adhesion after thunder showers	EN 13687-2	≥1.5 MPa	>2.0 MPa
Adhesion after dry cycling	EN 13687-4	≥1.5 MPa	>2.0 MPa
Skid resistance	EN 13036-4		Class 1
Carbonation resistance	EN 13295	$d_k \leq \text{ref. concrete}$	$d_k < \text{ref. concrete}$
Capillary absorption	EN 13057	$\leq 0.5 \text{ kg/m}^2 \cdot \text{h}^{0.5}$	$\leq 0.5 \text{ kg/m}^2 \cdot \text{h}^{0.5}$
Cracking tendency	Coutinho ring test		No cracking after 180 days

Technical data shown are statistical results and do not correspond to guaranteed minima.

Tolerances are those described in appropriate performance standards.

Please contact our technical department for performance details of the summer grade version.

Surface Preparation

All surfaces should be clean, dry free from oil, grease, chemical contamination and all loose materials. Oil and grease should be removed using Desolve. Concrete surfaces should be free from laitance, this should be removed by scarifying or etching with Chemclean. After using Chemclean, and after the reaction has ceased, wash the surface thoroughly with water and allow to dry. On smooth surfaces a stronger bond will result if the substrate is roughened to produce a mechanical key.

Mixing

Remove the cans of Confil Resin and the bags of hardener/aggregate contained within the plastic mixing bucket. Pour one tin of resin into the mixing bucket and add one bag of hardener/aggregate slowly with continuous mixing until a trowellable consistency is achieved. Large quantities should be mixed in a suitable forced action or pan type paddle mixer.

Care should be taken not to mix more than can be used within the setting time of the material.

Application Instructions

If formwork is used a suitable silicone or wax based release agent should be used to avoid the sticking of the mortar. The mixed Confil bedding mortar should be trowelled firmly into place to ensure good adhesion; on dense substrates the mix should be made more resin rich to ensure good adhesion. A smooth surface can be obtained by keeping the float face clean by wiping with a cloth dampened with Nuwash. It is recommended that the maximum thickness of 40 mm per application should not be exceeded. In addition where multiple applications are required a rough surface between layers should be made to provide a mechanical key.

Clean all tools and equipment after use with Nuwash.

Packaging

Confil Bedding Mortar is available in 25 kg units.

Storage

Confil Resin is flammable (flash point is 31°C), due precautions should be made when handling and storing this material.

The shelf life is 6 months when stored unopened in dry, normal conditions and away from direct sunlight. Protect from frost.

Health and Safety

Product Safety Data Sheets (SDS) are available from Nufins. SDS sheets are provided to help customers satisfy their safe handling, use and disposal needs as well as assist with any conformance requirements made locally by health and safety regulations.

SDS are continually updated to provide the very latest information to our customers. We therefore recommend contacting our head office to obtain the most recent and accurate SDS before handling and using any product.

Limitations

For use below 5°C consult our technical department.

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